## \*\*\*Call for Abstracts\*\*\*

# StemConn 09

# Connecticut's International Stem Cell Research Symposium

### **Scientific Program Poster Session, March 24, 2009**

With its 10-year, \$100 million stem cell research grant program, Connecticut has emerged as an innovative national and international leader in the field of stem cell research.

The StemCONN Scientific Program Poster Session provides scientists with a venue to share and discuss recent discoveries. Our 2007 Poster Session attracted 60 posters of the highest scientific quality. We expect the 2009 Session to continue to provide the basis for collaborations within Connecticut and beyond.

#### Who is invited to submit a poster?

Academic and commercial research entities both within and outside Connecticut are invited to share their work during the *StemCONN 09* Poster Session.

Abstracts for posters will be accepted without cost; however, only registered StemCONN 09 meeting attendees may present posters in the *StemCONN 09* Poster Session.

The corresponding author is required to be present physically at the poster during the Scientific Program Poster Session March 24th.

#### What should my poster include?

Stem cell biology is a diverse field, with contributions from a wide variety of researchers, clinicians, and others are welcome. Your poster should include unpublished data presented in a clear, concise, visually appealing format. A **lay summary paragraph** is strongly suggested such that the broadest audience possible will understand and be stimulated by your contribution. This summary may be made available as a take-away 'handout' at your poster, or included in its text.

#### What size should my poster be?

All posters should be no larger than 43" (length) x 38 " (wide)

#### How do I submit a poster?

All poster abstracts must be submitted online at <a href="https://www.stemconn.org/poster.htm">www.stemconn.org/poster.htm</a> Register for StemCONN at <a href="http://stemconn.org/reg.htm">http://stemconn.org/reg.htm</a>

#### **Important Dates:**

DEC 1, 2008 – JAN 20, 2009 FEB 15, 2009 Abstract submission Acceptance Notification

See you at the meeting March 23 and 24, 2009!