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WEBINARS

BOR Winners Webinar Series - September 27, 2023

The BOR Research Article Awards Webinar Series is designed to highlight research from Biology of Reproduction Awards winners. This series is free, and attendees are encouraged to share with their colleagues. Join us on **September 27, from 12-1 pm ET** for this upcoming webinar! Find more details [here](#).

Topic: Placental Strategies Supporting Fetal Growth During Normal and Suboptimal Gestational Environments

Speaker: Dr. Amanda Sferruzzi-Perri, Professor of Fetal and Placental Physiology, Department of Physiology, Development, and Neuroscience, University of Cambridge



Learn More & Register Now

SSR REFLECTS BLOG

Meet Dr. Celina M. Checura

In Celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month

The **National Hispanic Heritage Month** is annually celebrated from **September 15 to October 15** in the United States to recognize the contributions and influence of Latinx to the history, culture, and achievements of the United States. In

celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, Diversity Committee Chair Dr. Angela Gonella sat down with three individuals, one being **Dr. Celina M. Checura**.



[Read the Full Blog](#)

Dr. Checura from Clemson University, is also a member of the SSR diversity committee, and during our last annual meeting in Ottawa, she was instrumental in all the planning and logistics of the Diversity Lunch.

Dr. Checura's research interest focused on how the bioenergetic capacity of cells is modified by the prenatal environment, with an emphasis on the role of mitochondria in early development and in developmental programming. At her lab, they use two different models: bovine in vitro fertilization for oocyte and early embryonic development and pregnant sheep for later stages of embryonic and fetal development. [Read more about her on the blog!](#)

NEWS & UPDATES

LAST CALL – One Week Left!

An important function of the Society for the Study of Reproduction is to acknowledge individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the scientific discipline of reproductive biology.

Please consider nominating or applying for an [SSR Major Award](#) or an [SSR Distinguished Fellow](#).

Applications are due next Thursday, September 28th. Nominate or Apply today!



[SSR Major Awards](#)



SSR Distinguished Fellow

FASEB Opportunities for SSR Members

FASEB CARES (Career Advancement and Research Excellence Support), a component of FASEB's Diversity, Equity, Accessibility, and Inclusion initiative, provides financial support to alleviate burdens associated with caregiving—enabling researchers at FASEB member societies to continue their scientific training, professional development, and career progression.

Applications are accepted through **October 27, 2023**. [Apply now](#).

The BioArt Awards are presented annually to honor original, visually stunning photographs, illustrations, data visualizations, or videos that effectively communicate an important aspect of 21st century biological research. FASEB seeks visually compelling images or videos produced during biological/biomedical science research activities.

[Learn more and apply](#) by **September 29, 2023**.

FASEB CARES

BioArt Awards

2023 ANNUAL MEETING POST-EVENT REMINDERS

Post-Event Recordings are Still Available

There's still time to purchase and gain access to the on-demand recordings. **Access will remain open through October 30, 2023.**

Please note that all SSR meeting attendees can access the recordings for **FREE.*

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SSR 56th ANNUAL MEETING
**Reproductive Sciences:
From Innovation to Impact**

July 11–14, 2023
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2024 ANNUAL MEETING - SAVE THE DATE



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SSR Annual Conference 2024
**EVOLUTION OF
REPRODUCTIVE SCIENCES**
Where Should We Go?



JULY 15–19, 2024
Dublin, Ireland

Friendly reminder: If you are not an Irish citizen, please check your passport expiration date today and look up your country's agreement with Ireland – in the U.S., passport renewals have been a bit delayed, so please plan ahead and get your renewal application in early so you can travel to Dublin with us in 2024!

Note: If you are a U.S. citizen intending to go anywhere in the EU after or before the conference, your passport must have an expiration date at least 3 months after the date you intend to leave the EU. This does not apply to Ireland, where a valid passport is sufficient (just another reason to love Ireland!).

More Details Here

BIOLOGY OF REPRODUCTION

Publish Your Work in BOR

As a member of SSR, Biology of Reproduction is *your* journal! BOR is one of the leading journals in the field of reproductive biology, and we encourage members to submit their work. Learn more about the many benefits of publishing with BOR at <https://academic.oup.com/biolreprod/pages/why-publish>.



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