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WEBINARS

Last Chance - The BoR Winners Webinar is Happening TODAY



The final [BoR Winners Webinar](#) is here! Join us **THIS EVENING from 5-6pm ET**.

Topic: Microvesicles and Exosomes Released by Amnion Epithelial Cells under Oxidative Stress Cause Inflammatory Changes in Uterine Cells

Speaker: Dr. Ramkumar Menon, Division of Maternal-Fetal Medicine and Perinatal Research, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston

[Register Now & Learn More!](#)

ANNUAL CONFERENCE UPDATES

Early Bird Deadline Extended Through Monday, May 15th!

In case you missed the good news, early bird registration for the [SSR 56th Annual Meeting](#) has been extended through **Monday, May 15th!** If you have not yet registered, now is the time to do so. After May 15th, prices will increase. Re-connect with your colleagues and join the many already registered! *Please note that you must be logged in to your SSR account to access early bird registration.*

While registering, make sure you check out the [schedule](#), book your [hotel](#), and learn more about the [speakers and session topics](#).



[Register Here](#)

[Visit the Conference Site](#)

Virtual Conference Registration will be available in June! We will have recordings of many of the sessions presented in Ottawa available for purchase.

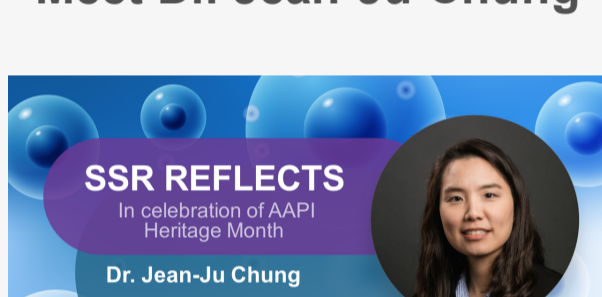
Late-Breaking Abstracts are Here!

As promised, SSR is now accepting Late-Breaking Abstracts. Do not miss out on this special opportunity to submit an abstract by **Monday, May 15th**. As a reminder, we encourage abstracts based on work using diverse species. *Note: Late-breaking abstracts will be considered for Poster Presentations only and will not be eligible for awards.*

[Learn More & Submit Here](#)

NEW ON THE BLOG

Meet Dr. Jean-Ju Chung



In celebration of AAPI Heritage Month, Dr. Zhibing Zhang (SSR's Diversity committee) sat down with Dr. Jean-Ju Chung from Yale School of Medicine to learn about her work, career, and thoughts on the challenges she faced during the pandemic. Dr. Jean-Ju Chung is an Associate Professor of Cellular and Molecular Physiology at Yale School of Medicine. She currently leads a research lab focusing on uncovering the role of ion channels in reproductive physiology. Keep reading to learn more!

[Read the Full Blog](#)

NEWS & UPDATES

Call for 2023 SSR Volunteers

Are you passionate about the reproductive sciences and looking to make a meaningful impact in the field? Our [2023 Call for Volunteers](#) is open now and you're invited to apply! As a volunteer, you will play a critical role in shaping the direction of the Society and advancing the field of reproductive science. Learn more and apply by **May 26, 2023!**



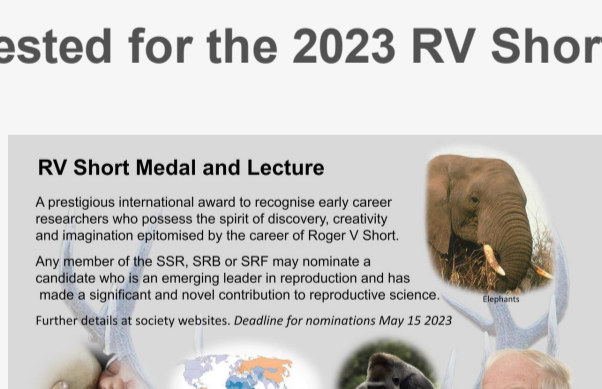
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Are You the Next Editor in Chief of Biology of Reproduction?

Society for the Study of Reproduction has commenced a search for successors to the current Editors-in-Chief of Biology of Reproduction. We are now seeking applicants for the position of Editor(s)-in-Chief, whose **duties will start officially on July 1, 2025 and extend through June 30, 2029**. To learn more about the responsibilities of the Editor(s) in Chief and the application process, please visit [this page](#).

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Nominations Requested for the 2023 RV Short Medal and Lecture



The Society for Reproductive Biology (SRB, Australasia), the Society for Reproduction and Fertility (SRF, UK) and the Society for the Study of Reproduction (SSR, North America) are delighted to announce the RV Short Medal and Lecture as an exciting new initiative to recognize emerging early career researchers across the globe.

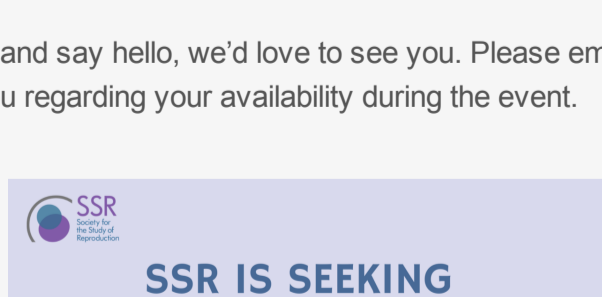
The initiative has been developed by Marilyn Renfree, Jock Findlay, and the Presidents/Chairs of the SRB, SSF and SSR. Further information on the award, the criteria, and the process by which you can nominate can be accessed [here](#).

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SSR Seeking Booth Volunteers at ESHRE

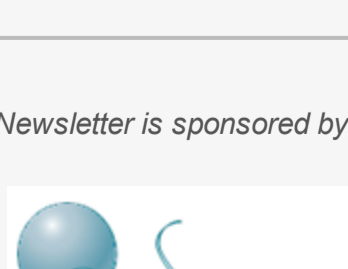
Are you attending the European Society of Human Reproduction and Embryology (ESHRE)'s Annual Meeting, taking place in **Copenhagen, Denmark from 25-28 June 2023?** Wondering what to do in your spare time? SSR is seeking member volunteers to spend an hour or two at the SSR booth to help answer questions about the Society and share their SSR experiences alongside SSR's Executive Director.

Can't volunteer? That's okay, stop by and say hello, we'd love to see you. Please email membership@ssr.org if you are interested, and we will reach out to you regarding your availability during the event.



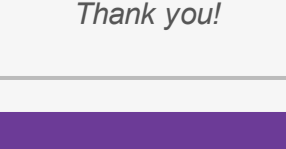
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