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IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Now Open: Vote for Your Favorite #ReproBioArt!

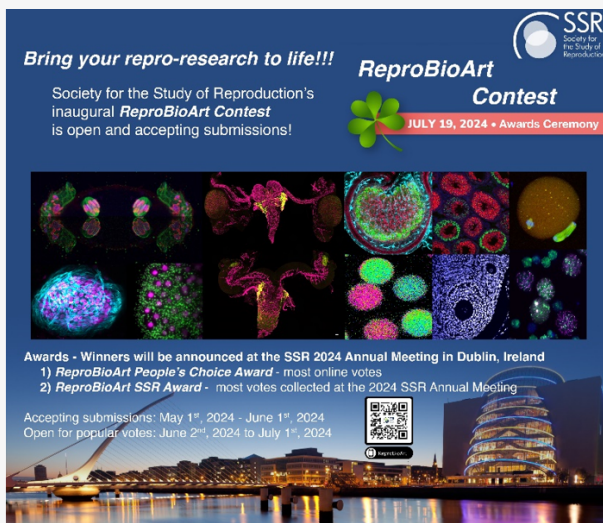
The voting period for the inaugural **ReproBioArt Contest** is officially underway! Cast your vote through **Monday, July 1, 2024**.

ReproBioArt is a celebration of original images captured by dedicated researchers in the field of reproductive science. This contest aims to spotlight the remarkable progress being made in reproductive science and medicine. We welcome images captured using any imaging technique.

The contest is open to members of the Society for the Study of Reproduction (SSR), the Society for Reproductive Biology (SRB), and the Society for Reproduction and Fertility (SRF). The voting period will begin on **June 2nd** and conclude on **July 1st, 2024**. The top 10 images, as chosen by online popular vote, will be showcased at the SSR Annual Meeting in July 2024.

Awards:

- **ReproBioArt People's Choice Award:** This award will be given to the image that receives the most votes from the online public (anyone is eligible to vote!)
- **ReproBioArt SSR Award:** This award will be presented to the image that receives the highest number of votes from SSR members and Annual meeting attendees.



Bring your repro-research to life!!!


Society for the Study of Reproduction's inaugural **ReproBioArt Contest** is open and accepting submissions!


ReproBioArt Contest
JULY 19, 2024 • Awards Ceremony


Awards - Winners will be announced at the SSR 2024 Annual Meeting in Dublin, Ireland

- 1) **ReproBioArt People's Choice Award** - most online votes
- 2) **ReproBioArt SSR Award** - most votes collected at the 2024 SSR Annual Meeting

Accepting submissions: May 1st, 2024 - June 1st, 2024
Open for popular votes: June 2nd, 2024 to July 1st, 2024

QR code: 

ReproBioArt logo: 

SSR logo: 

Background image: A collage of colorful, artistic representations of reproductive cells and structures, including sperm, oocytes, and embryos, set against a dark background.

Full details and eligibility available [here](#).

Please note: By submitting to the Society for the Study of Reproduction's **ReproBioArt Contest**, participants grant SSR nonexclusive rights to use their submissions for educational and promotional purposes, including website display, social media, print materials, and exhibits.

[Click Here to Vote](#)

SOCIETY NEWS

Opening Gates: Conception Foundations and Exploring Contraceptive Innovations

Hands-on Workshop on Female Contraception

Thanks to funding by the Gates Foundation, the Society for the Study of Reproduction (SSR) and Frontiers in Reproduction (FIR) are excited to offer an opportunity for 12 early career researchers and physician-scientists in Southeast Asia. Participants will attend a week-long training event in Mumbai, India featuring hands-on laboratories and cutting-edge lectures led by distinguished experts, providing invaluable insights into the latest advancements in the field of Female Contraception.

The course will be held at the prestigious International Institute for Research in Reproductive and Child Health (NIRRCH), in Mumbai from December 2-6, 2024.

We're removing barriers to participation by offering selected applicants a fully-funded package, covering all expenses related to travel, accommodation, and program participation. Seize this opportunity to expand your knowledge, hone your skills, and connect with peers and mentors in a supportive and stimulating environment.



Don't miss out on this chance to learn and connect with your fellow scientists.

[Apply today](#) or share this [flyer](#) with someone you think would benefit from this special opportunity.

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Help Contribute to Our Society

[Help SSR](#) continue to lead in reproductive science innovation! Your donations fund vital research, support young scientists, and make our Annual Meeting an unparalleled event for collaboration and discovery.

Invest in our future. Every contribution counts!

2024 ANNUAL MEETING UPDATES

Gates Foundation Sponsored Contraception Sessions

Attending the Annual Meeting in Dublin? Don't forget to attend our Gates Foundation Sponsored Contraception Sessions on Thursday, July 18th and Friday, July 19th.

Thursday, July 18th

- **10:00 – 12:00 PM** | SRF Exchange Lecture on Gametes
- **11:45 AM – 12:00 PM** | Identification of New Targets for Non-Hormonal Contraceptive Drug Development Using a Phenotypic Assay of Murine Oocyte Meiotic Maturation

[View Thursday's Sessions](#)

Friday, July 19th | 1:30 – 3:00 PM

Session Chair: Paula Cohen | **Session Co-Chair:** Philippe Godin

- sAC Inhibitors as Potential Nonhormonal On-Demand Contraceptives for Men
- Investigating Genes Regulated by BRDT In Vitro For Non-Hormonal Male Contraception
- Knockout of PKDREJ, A Candidate Oviduct Receptor on Porcine Sperm, Reduces Fertility Assessed by Competitive Insemination
- The Epididymis: Balancing The Burden & Responsibility of Fertility
- Absence Of Eppin and Its Closely Related Wap Four-Disulfide Core Genes Wfdc6A, Wfdc8, And Wfdc6B Leads to Defects in Spermatid Elongation and Male Sterility in Mice

[View Friday's Sessions](#)

Act Now: Secure Your Participation at the 2024 Annual Meeting

Planning to join us next month in the beautiful Dublin? [Secure your spot](#) now, [access the complete agenda](#), and start planning your experience! See below for pricing based on your registration type.

Registration Type	Pricing
Regular or Associate SSR Member	\$891.75
Emeritus SSR Member	\$768.75
Trainee SSR Member	\$707.25
Trainee Non-Member	\$707.25
Non-Member	\$1,260.75

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Become an Annual Meeting Sponsor or Exhibitor

SSR has developed a wide variety of sponsorship opportunities to ensure maximum visibility for our sponsors during the SSR 57th Annual Meeting.

As a Sponsor and Exhibitor, you will have direct contact with over 1,000 research scientists, medical doctors, post-doctoral fellows, and graduate students in the field of reproductive biology. Delegates from several continents will participate in a forum of active discussion and learning; present data; discover the latest information in their field and collaborate with fellow scientists.

Please contact Mika Sonis, Sponsorship Coordinator at meetings@ssr.org and view the [Sponsorship Prospectus](#) for more information on becoming a Sponsor or Exhibitor.

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Ensure You are Staying Updated

An event mobile app will be available for all attendees. Stay tuned for more details and access in the coming weeks!

For all important details including the complete schedule, speakers, events, onsite guide, FAQs, and more, visit the [Annual Meeting website](#).

[Explore the Website](#)

BIOLOGY OF REPRODUCTION

Reviewers Wanted

Being a peer reviewer for Biology of Reproduction is a vital contribution to advancing reproductive biology and ensuring the quality of research. The BOR editorial team is grateful for everyone who has provided reviews for the journal. As an SSR member, we encourage you to accept review requests to help ensure timely decisions to our authors, and to help us maintain the quality of SSR's flagship journal. If you are an SSR trainee member, you can also volunteer to review through our Trainee Reviewer program. [Learn more](#) about how to apply for the trainee reviewer program.

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