

Media Advisory, two-day symposium on latest advances in biomedical research sponsored by UCSD's Center for Molecular Genetics

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MEDIA ADVISORY

EVENT: LATEST ADVANCES IN BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTED During a Two-day Symposium Sponsored by UCSD's Center for Molecular Genetics

DATE/TIMES: Thursday, September 26 1 P.M.-5:30 P.M. Friday, September 27 8 A.M.-2 P.M.

LOCATION: Sheraton Grande Torrey Pines Hotel La Jolla, California

BACKGROUND: As many as 50 pharmaceutical companies are expected to attend this first symposium, featuring the latest research by UCSD scientists in the rapidly evolving field of biomedical science. Topics will include HIV detection, Alzheimer's Disease, Protein Engineering, Molecular Modeling, Marine Pharmaceuticals, and Gene Therapy.

Members of the media are invited to attend the conference and interview speakers. The conference should offer opportunities for potential features about biomedical research and technology at UCSD, in addition to providing an excellent background for future articles.

George Palade, M.D., dean of scientific affairs with the UCSD School of Medicine, will deliver the keynote speech on the "past, present and future" of biomedical research. Other notable speakers include: Douglas Richman, Marilyn Farquhar, Murray Goodman, Tsunao Saitoh, Justin Zivin, Susan Taylor, Len Ten Eyck, John Faulkner, Palmer Taylor, Roger Tsien, Vivek Malhotra, Edward Dennis and Theodore Friedmann.

A copy of the program of events is enclosed.

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