## WORKSHOP ON PLANT DEVELOPMENT AND DROUGHT STRESS

November 5-8, 2017
Asilomar Conference Center
"Monterey Peninsula's Refuge by the Sea"
Pacific Grove, CA

This meeting brings together experts in plant development and plant stress biology. The goal is to understand how drought stress affects plant growth and development AND how intrinsic developmental programs pattern and determine stress responses.

## **Topics**

Root Development and Drought Stress

Developmental Patterning of Drought Responsiveness

Effect of drought stress on stem cell activity

Leaf and Shoot Development and Drought Stress

Mechanical Stress, Heat Stress, Salt Stress and Development

Reproductive Development and Drought Stress

Hormone Signaling Networks Connecting Development and Environmental Stress

## **Invited Speakers:**

Julia Bailey-Serres, UC-Riverside; David Jackson, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratories Niko Geldner, University of Lausanne; Christa Testerrink, University of Amsterdam Philip Benfey, Duke University; Malcolm Bennett, University of Nottingham Maciej Zwieniecki, UC-Davis; Jennifer Fletcher, PGEC/UC-Berkeley Anna Amtmann, University of Glasgow; Devin O'Connor, University of Cambridge Lawren Sack, UCLA; David Salt, University of Nottingham Walid Sadok, University of Minnesota; Christophe Maurel, INRA Robert Sharp, University of Missouri; Gloria Muday, Wake Forest University Ramin Yadegari, University of Arizona; Elizabeth Haswell, Washington University Julie Gray, University of Sheffield; Isabel Baurle, University of Potsdam Ron Mittler, University of North Texas Additional talks will be selected from submitted abstracts.

## Register online at:

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