



2016 RQR Symposium

The 9th Symposium of the Réseau Québécois en reproduction will take place on **November 8th and 9th 2016** at the **Espaces Dalhousie** in Vieux-Québec. A training workshop on genome editing will be held prior the Symposium on **November 7th**. Details of this workshop will follow during the next weeks.

GUEST SPEAKERS:



[Pablo J. Ross](#) from UC Davis, California



[Ina Dobrinski](#) from the University of Calgary, Alberta



[Deborah Sloboda](#) from McMaster University, Ontario

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Symposium (November 8th and 9th, 2016)

- Registration deadline: **October 7th 2016** – [REGISTRATION FORM](#)
- Abstract submission deadline: **September 23rd 2016** – [ABSTRACT SUBMISSION FORM](#)

Pre-Symposium Workshop (November 7th, 2016)

- Pre-Symposium Workshop registration deadline: **October 28th, 2016** – [WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM](#)

LODGING:

A block of rooms is reserved at the Hotel Port-Royal – a 4 minute walk – at the special price of **\$147 per night**, including parking and breakfast.

Classic Suite:	1 Queen bed and equipped kitchen
Deluxe Suite:	1 Queen or King bed (<i>according to availability</i>) and equipped kitchen
Deluxe Plus Suite:	1 Queen or King bed (<i>according to availability</i>), 1 sofa-bed and equipped kitchen



Room reservations must be made directly with the Hotel Port Royal, by contacting Agnès Marsoin at 418 692-2777 extension 126 or by email at amarsoin@leportroyal.com, mentioning the name of the group **SYMPOSIUM** to benefit from the special price.

For trainees who are interested in getting involved in the organization of the 2016 Symposium, please contact Julie Blouin at j.blouin@umontreal.ca.

KT Award



As part of the 2016 Symposium, the RQR will offer two **Knowledge Transfer Awards: a researcher award and a trainee award**.

These two awards in the amount of \$400 each will be officially awarded at the RQR Annual Symposium in November along with an honorary plaque. Please note that it is also possible to nominate another member, trainee or researcher.

Applications must be submitted by email at j.blouin@umontreal.ca by **September 23rd** and a committee will review the applications.

To submit an application, please complete the [form](#).

Reproductive Biology course

A course on reproductive biology is offered at the Faculté de médecine vétérinaire and is available online on the RQR website. Many topics are discussed and most of the presentations given by various RQR researchers were filmed and placed on the website. You can access it by [creating an account](#) to access the secure section of the RQR website.

Industry meetings

2016 Symposium sur les bovins laitiers

The Quebec Reference Center for Agriculture and Agri-food (CRAAQ) will present the 2016 Symposium sur les bovins laitiers on **Thursday October 27** at the Centrexpo Cogeco in Drummondville.

Deadline to register, and benefit from the special price, is **October 13**.

For more information, please visit the [CRAAQ](#) website.



2016 AETA & CETA/ACTE Joint Scientific Convention

The American Embryo Transfer Association and the Canadian Embryo Transfer Association invite you to their annual convention, **September 29 – October 1, 2016**.

For more information, please visit the [AETA](#) or the [CETA](#) website.

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