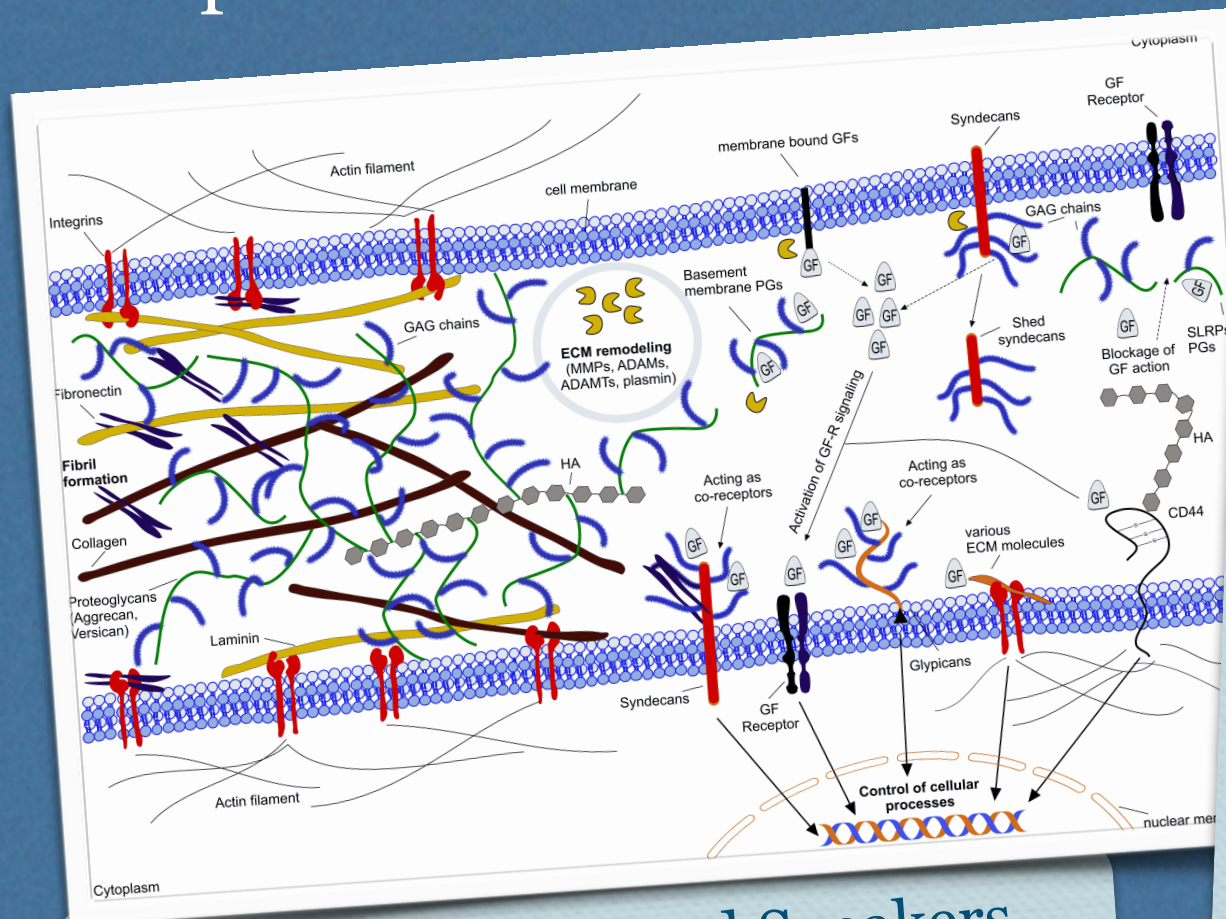




# FEBS Advanced Lecture Course 4th FEBS-MPST 2013

## Matrix Pathobiology, Signaling and Molecular Targets

September 26<sup>th</sup> – October 1<sup>st</sup> 2013, Kos Island-Greece



### Tutorials/Plenary Symposia

FEBS-MPST 2013 will offer oral sessions with invited plenary lectures, general lectures/tutorials, selected talks related to the topics of the presented abstracts, participant poster presentations, panel discussions and speakers' corner.

**Plenary Symposia:** *Matrix Pathobiology/ Interactions and Functions of Matrix Macromolecules/Glycobiology and Metabolic Regulation of ECM molecules/Matrix-mediated Signaling and EMT/Cell Receptors Signaling and ECM based Nanotechnology/Signaling and Disease Molecular Targeting/Matrix Regulation in Health and Disease* will be introduced and moderated by leading scientists acting as discussion leaders.

The meeting will further cover **topics related** to ongoing development in the fields of:

Cell surface, interactions and signaling  
Metalloproteinases and other proteases  
Matrix organization and assembly  
Cancer Stem Cell Biology, Biomarkers and  
Pharmacological Targeting

### Invited & Confirmed Speakers

Renato Iozzo (USA), Vincent Hascall (USA), John Couchman (Denmark), Israel Vlodavski (Israel), Dimitris Kletsas (Greece), Jan-Olof Winberg (Norway), Liliana Schaefer (Germany), Donald Gullberg (Norway), Achilleas Theocharis (Greece), Nikos Karamanos (Greece), Paraskevi Heldin (Sweden), Jeffrey D. Esko (USA), Dick Heinegård (Sweden), Alberto Passi (Italy), Carl-Henrik Heldin (Sweden), Dragana Nikitovic (Greece), Lena Kjellen (Sweden), Kazuyuki Sugahara (Japan), David Birk (USA), Jorge Filmus (Canada), Veli-Matti Kähäri (Finland), Thomas N. Wight (USA), Ralph Sanderson (USA), Peter Friedl (Netherlands/USA), Alan J. Grodzinsky (USA), Themis Kyriakides (USA), Boris Turk (Slovenia), Martin Götte (Germany), François Maquart (France), Muhammad Zaman (USA), Mauro Pavao (Brazil), Steven Pals (Netherlands), Sarah Wilcox-Adelman (USA), Joanna Phillips (USA), Antony Day (UK), Katalin Dobra (Sweden), Efsthios S. Gonos (Greece), Paolo Bonaldo (Italy), Marco Maccarana (Sweden), Jerry Turnbull (UK)

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- Deadline for FEBS YTF applications **May 20th, 2013**
- Deadline for application/registration and abstract submission **May 31st, 2013**