

ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND

**Centre for Stem Cell Research
& Obstetrics and Gynaecology**

*** * Special Tuesday Seminar * ***

CSCR Quarterly Networking Forum

17th March 2009

4pm Florey Lecture Theatre

**The University of Adelaide
Medical School, Frome Road**

**Food &
Drinks
Provided**

Visiting Speaker:

Professor Andrew McMahon

**'Developmental Programs and Stem cells
in Regenerative Medicine'**



Prof. Andrew McMahon from the Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, Harvard University, and The Harvard Stem Cell Institute.

"Professor McMahon is a leading proponent of the use of genetic approaches to decipher regulatory mechanisms underpinning mammalian development. His discovery and functional analysis of key signalling genes of the mammalian Hedgehog and what families have lead to important insights into critical cell-cell interactions mediated by these factors in development and disease. Professor McMahon is chair of the NIH scientific oversight group for the Knock Out Mouse Project, adviser to the European Conditional Mouse Mutant Project and is scientific coordinator for international NIH funded Genitourinary Molecular Anatomy Project. Professor McMahon's contributions have been recognized by election to the Royal Society, the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, American Association for the Advancement of Science and European Molecular Biology Organization. Professor McMahon is the Frank B. Baird Jr., Professor of Science at Harvard University, a founding faculty member of the Harvard Stem Cell Institute and a member-designate for a new cross University Harvard Department of Stem Cell and Regenerative Biology".