



**ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING &
MEMBER CELEBRATION**

July 19, 2024

Convention Center, Auditorium

Dublin, Ireland

AGENDA

Item/Topic	Lead	Time
<p>Call to Order and Member Welcome Join 2023 – 2024 SSR President Blanche Capel for the 2024 Annual Business Meeting and Member Celebration!</p> <p>1. SSR will share an overview of the State of the Society, highlight the many Member contributions to our committees and initiatives, announce Trainee Abstract Competition Award recipients and install the incoming President and Board of Directors.</p>	<p>President Blanche Capel</p>	<p>5:00 PM</p>
<p>The Fine Print</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Approval of the Minutes of the 2023 Business Meeting - Proposed Bylaw Revisions Overview (Ahmed Balboula) 		<p>5:05 PM</p>
<p>Money, Money, Money! Treasurer Lane Christenson will provide the Annual Treasurer’s report, sharing an overview of the Society’s financial highlights.</p>	<p>Treasurer Lane Christenson</p>	<p>5:10 PM</p>
<p>Editors’ Eye: BOR Editors in Chief Report BOR Editors in Chief Mary Zelinski and Romana Nowak will share an update on the state of the BOR, SSR’s flagship Journal, and consistently one of the most highly cited journals publishing original research in the field of reproductive biology.</p>	<p>Mary Zelinski / Romana Nowak</p>	<p>5:20 PM</p>
<p>*** BINGO BREAK!***</p>		
<p>We Can’t Do it Without YOU! State of the Society and Member Recognition SSR Members and our Committees are the heart and soul of the SSR community! Join SSR in recognizing SSR’s Committee Chairs and Member volunteers, and the many contributions to the SSR Membership through the work of each of SSR Committees.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee Chair Recognition • Membership Report • New Emeritus Members • Emerging Investigator Grant Recipients 	<p>President Blanche Capel</p>	<p>5:25 PM</p>

6.	<p>In Memoriam Join John Parrish, Chair of the Heritage Committee, and SSR in gratefully recognizing and remembering the many contributions of members to our organization and their impact on the field of reproductive science.</p>	John Parrish	5:35 PM
7.	<p>Abstract Aces: Trainee Abstract Competition Awards You heard their presentations during the Platform Competition and / or Poster Sessions; now, see who among our talented trainees wins for the best abstract in each category!</p>	Patrick Hannon	5:40 PM
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8.	<p>Changing of the Guard SSR is grateful for the guidance and leadership of its dedicated Board of Directors and Officers, carrying out the important work of SSR on behalf of our members over the course of the year. Join SSR in recognizing Retiring Officers, Directors and Trainee Representatives, and welcoming the incoming newly elected Officers and Board Members guiding SSR into the future!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognition of Retiring Officers, Directors and Trainee Representatives • Newly Elected Officers • Newly Elected Board Members 	President Blanche Capel	5:45 PM
9.	<p>Capital Convening: 2025 SSR Annual Meeting From the capital of Ireland to the capital of the United States! Join 2025 Program Chair Blanche Capel for a preview of SSR's 2025 Annual Meeting, taking place in exciting and historic Washington, D.C.!</p>	President Blanche Capel	5:50 PM
10	<p>Welcome, Madame President! SSR outgoing President passes the gavel to formally install the 2024 – 2025 President, Jennifer Wood.</p>	Past President Blanche Capel	5:55 PM
11	<p>New Business</p>	President Jennifer Wood	5:55 PM
12	<p>Meet you at the Pub! Adjournment</p>	President Jennifer Wood	6:00 PM