

# ADIPOSIGN Opening Symposium

May 27, 2019

10.00 - 16.00

Join us on May 27, 2019, when we officially launch the Center for Adipocyte Signaling - ADIPOSIGN, in Conference room O100, University of Southern Denmark, Campusvej 55, 5230 Odense M.

Please [register](#) no later than May 17

The official poster for the event can be found here:



## Program

- 10:00 Welcome by **Susanne Mandrup**, Center Leader  
**Marianne Holmer**, Interim Dean of the Faculty of Science  
**Jakob Møller-Jensen**, Head of Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
- 10:20 **Susanne Mandrup**, Center Leader, University of Southern Denmark (DK)  
"ADIPOSIGN Aim and Strategy: Adipocyte Signaling States in Obesity"

- 10:40 **M. Madan Babu**, ADIPOSIGN co-founder, MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology (UK)  
“Data science approaches to understanding obesity”
- 11:00 **Jan-Wilhelm Kornfeld**, ADIPOSIGN co-founder, University of Southern Denmark (DK)  
“Noncoding RNA networks in adipocyte dysfunction and metabolic disease”
- 11:20 **Zach Gerhart-Hines**, ADIPOSIGN co-founder, University of Copenhagen (DK)  
“Exploring adipocyte receptor signaling across healthy and disease states”
- 11:40 Questions and Answers
- 11:50 Lunch reception
- 12:40 **Matthias Blüher**, Medical Department, University of Leipzig (DE)  
“Healthy Obesity – fact or fiction?”
- 13:20 **Ruth Loos**, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York (US)  
“When obesity is good for you – using genetics to uncouple adiposity from its consequences”
- 14:00 Break
- 14:20 **Martin Klingenspor**, Technical University of Munich (DE)  
“The role of brown fat in energy balance: More than a mere heater organ”
- 15:00 **Christian Wolfrum**, ETH Zürich (CH)  
“Adipose tissue heterogeneity – the many facts of adipocyte function”
- 15:40 End of official program