



Professor Emma Whitelaw

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Date: Wednesday 14th October 2009

Time: 3:30pm –5:00pm
A networking session will follow in the IHBI Atrium.

Location: IHBI Seminar Room and Atrium.

Seminar topic: “ From Genetics to Epigenetics”

RSVP: To Meira Gampell at ihbi.events@qut.edu.au or 07 3138 6082 by **COB Wednesday 7th October 2009.**

About Professor Whitelaw:

Emma Whitelaw is an NHMRC Australia Fellow at the Queensland Institute of Medical Research. After completing her undergraduate degree at the Australian National University, she obtained a D.Phil at the University of Oxford and remained working in London and Oxford for the next fifteen years, moving back to Australia in 1991. She was offered a Senior Lectureship at the University of Sydney and carried out both teaching and research. She has focused her research on eukaryotic transcription using the mouse as a model organism. Her most notable research achievements are in the area of epigenetics. In particular, her studies on the transgenerational inheritance of epigenetic marks have stimulated a great deal of interest from the wider scientific community. In 2008 she was awarded an Australia Fellowship, the most prestigious fellowship in medical research in Australia.

