The American Association of Immunologists

**2007 Introductory Course in Immunology**

**June 22 - 28, 2007**
The University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

*Course Director:* Terri M. Laufer, M.D., University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine

This two-part course will give students the tools necessary to understand and discuss current topics and methods in the field of immunology. Part I is a comprehensive introduction to the basic principles of immunology and is suitable for students with a general biology background. Part II is a lecture course covering major areas of immunology and requires an understanding of basic immunology. Parts I and II may be taken independently at the discretion of the student. 38 Continuing Medical Education (CME) Category I credits are offered. Minority Access to Research Careers (MARC) travel awards are available to US citizens and permanent residents.

Attendance is limited to 200 registrants.

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**2007 Advanced Course in Immunology**

**August 4 - 10, 2007**
The University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

*Course Director:* Marc K. Jenkins, Ph.D., University of Minnesota

This intensive course is designed for serious students of immunology. Leading experts will present recent advances in understanding the biology of the immune system and its role in health and disease. This course is directed toward advanced trainees and scientists who wish to expand or update their understanding of the field. This is not a survey course and requires that attendees have a firm understanding of the principles of immunology. 43 Continuing Medical Education (CME) Category I credits are offered. Minority Access to Research Careers (MARC) travel awards are available to US citizens and permanent residents.

Attendance is limited to 220 registrants.

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**FOR INFORMATION, COURSE OUTLINES, AND REGISTRATION, VISIT:**

[www.aai.org/Courses.htm](http://www.aai.org/Courses.htm)

For questions or assistance in registering, contact aaioffice@aai.org or 301-634-7178.

*Overseas applicants are advised to apply early for visas.*

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