



WELCOME TO BIRMINGHAM

NEXT YEAR

ASPO 39TH ANNUAL MEETING
MARCH 14TH–17TH, 2015

Mark your calendars and come join us for Springtime in the South!!

The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) will host the 2015 ASPO Annual Meeting. A flourishing University/Medical Center, UAB is ranked one of the nation's top hospitals by *US News and World Report*. It also is one of the 1st NCI-designated Comprehensive Cancer Centers.

With a pleasant average March temperature of ~60°F, enjoy the Arlington Antebellum Home and the Botanical Gardens in full spring bloom. Then take the magic indoors with world class performances at the Alys Stephens Center and the Alabama Ballet.

The Civil Rights Institute is world-acclaimed and a reception-tour is currently planned for one evening.

Can you spend a bit more time, maybe merge the

ASPO trip with spring break? If so, head for the Gulf and the white sand beaches. On the way, stop at the Rosa Parks or Zelda Fitzgerald Museums in Montgomery. Fans of "To Kill a Mockingbird," Harper Lee and Truman Capote need to see the Monroeville Courthouse. Or if the great outdoors is your pleasure, set-off hiking in the trails that meander through the Appalachian foothills. Take your cell phone and snap a "selfie" beside a hidden waterfall!

The Southern Museum of Flight, Barber Motorsports Park and Vintage Museum and Alabama Sports Hall of Fame, draw ardent sports enthusiasts as does the new, state of the art ballpark, Regions Field located directly across from Birmingham's 'Living

Room,' Railway Park. While in the area, be sure not to miss the boiled peanuts at the Peanut Depot on Morris Avenue. Try one of every kind!

If golf is for you then Birmingham touts several excellent golf courses within 30 minutes of UAB. Two are included in the Robert Trent Golf Trail!

Over 500 restaurants and Craft Breweries ranging from down home cooking to high-end 5-star dining are available to delight any foodie - many within an easy walk of your hotel. Amuse your senses while you experience this revitalized Southern City!

We'll See You there!



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ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM

Did you know?

- ✦ Birmingham founded Veterans Day
- ✦ Alabama Jazz Hall Of Fame is right here in town
- ✦ The Vulcan is the largest cast-iron statue in the world
- ✦ Regions Field is home to the AA Minor League team the Birmingham Barons
- ✦ Birmingham was Voted The Best City for Bass Fishing
- ✦ Alabama was the 1st state to make Christmas an official holiday
- ✦ It's illegal to operate a vehicle while blindfolded
- ✦ Home to Southern Living Magazine
- ✦ Famous People Born in the Birmingham area: Charles Barkley, Edith Brown Clement, Courtney Cox, Taylor Hicks, Ruben Studdard, Claudette Colvin, Tobias Wolff, Condoleezza Rice

With over 40 years of continuous research funding which currently exceeds \$433 M, UAB is now recruiting Associate & Assistant Professors in the following areas:

ENERGETICS & CANCER

Contact: Wendy Demark-Wahnefried, PhD, RD, Professor & Webb Endowed Chair of Nutrition Sciences Email: demark@uab.edu

EPIDEMIOLOGY

Contact: Christine Skibola, PhD, Professor & Caldwell Marks Endowed Chair in Molecular Epidemiology Email: cskibola@uab.edu

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