**2015 Symposium in Virology Agenda**

8:00 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30 Welcome

 **Hank Bounds, PhD**

 President

 University of Nebraska

 Opening Remarks

 **Prem Paul, PhD**

 Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic

 Development

 University of Nebraska—Lincoln

 Moderator

 **Asit Pattnaik, PhD**

Professor

 School of Veterinary Medicine

 and Biomedical Sciences

 University of Nebraska—Lincoln

9:00 **Xiang-Jin Meng, MD, MS, PhD**

 Hepatitis E Virus: Animal Reservoirs and

 Zoonotic Risks

10:00 **Vishwajit L. Nimgaonkar, MD, PhD**

 Persistent, non-encephalitic HSV-1

 Infection as a risk factor for cognitive

 impairment in the community

11:00 Break

11:30 **Paul E. Turner, PhD**

 Environmental complexity and virus

 evolution

12:30 PM Luncheon—Ball Room

1:30 **Louise T. Chow, PhD**

 Organotypic epithelial cultures to investigate

 HPV genetics and to develop therapeutic

 strategies

2:30 Break

3:00 **T. Jack Morris, PhD**

 A retrospective view of my 49 year career

 as a plant virologist

4:00 Poster Session—Regency Suite

 Wine and Cheese Reception