

### **Annual Highlights**

The Center for Chromosome Stability (CCS) has continued to perform scientifically at a top international level in 2019. A major long-term investment in the development of Eva Hoffmann's research program, which seeks to define how chromosomal instability in human oocytes influences reproductive health, has come to fruition in 2019 with a high-profile publication in *Science*. In this article, the Hoffmann group defined the molecular basis for changes in female fertility throughout a women's reproductive lifespan. This study attracted widespread scientific and media attention. It is anticipated that the now established collaborative links between the Hoffmann group and fertility experts in Denmark and overseas will also reap major dividends in the coming years in terms of novel insights into female reproductive health. In addition to this, all of the CCS PIs continued to publish widely in the most prestigious biology journals and to secure major research grants. Most notably, Michael Lisby was successful in obtaining a Distinguished Investigator grant of DKK 10.000.000 from the Novo Nordisk Foundation.