

2017 Cincinnati Cancer Research Retreat

Breakfast Served 8:00 am to 8:30 am

Welcome, Overview and Opening Remarks
8:30 am to 9:00 am



Jun-Lin Guan, PhD
 Chair, Department of
 Cancer Biology



Gregory Rouan, MD
 Chair, Department
 of Internal Medicine

Session 1. Moderator: David Plas, PhD



Jason Chesney, MD, PhD
 Director
 James Graham Brown Cancer Center
 University of Louisville

Keynote Speaker
9:00 am to 9:40 am
*"Harnessing the Immune
 System to Control Cancer"*



Trisha Wise-Draper, MD, PhD
 Assistant Professor of Medicine
 Division of Hematology/Oncology
 Department of Internal Medicine
 Medical Director,
 UCCI Clinical Trials Office

9:45 am to 10:05 am
*"New Horizons for Immunotherapy
 in the Treatment of Head and
 Neck Cancer"*



H. Leighton Grimes, PhD
 Professor, Division of Immunobiology
 Director, Program in Cancer Pathology of the
 Divisions of Experimental Hematology and Pathology
 Co-Leader, Program in Hematologic Malignancies
 of the Cancer and Blood Disease Institute
 Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

10:05 am to 10:25 am
*"From Flies to Man; Novel
 Targeting of Lethal Infant
 Leukemia"*



Xiaoting Zhang, PhD
 Associate Professor
 Department of Cancer Biology

10:25 am to 10:45 am
*"ER Coactivator MED1
 in Breast Tumorigenesis
 and Therapeutic Resistance"*

Break 10:45 am to 11:00 am

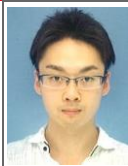
Session 2. Moderator: Xiaoyang Qi, PhD



Jordan Althoff
 Dr. Jose Cancelas Lab
 PhD Candidate
 Cancer & Cell Biology Graduate Program

11:00 am to 11:15 am
*"Scribble Controls HSC
 Self-Renewal through
 Polarity-Dependent Activation
 of the Hippo Signaling Pathway"*

Session 2: continued



Takahiko Murayama
Graduate Student
Division of Molecular Therapy
Department of Internal Medicine
University of Tokyo

11:15 am to 11:30 am
*"Oncogenic Fusion Gene CD74-NRG1
Confers Cancer Stem Cell-like
Properties in Lung Cancer through
an IGF2 Autocrine/Paracrine Circuit"*



Pranjal Sarma, PhD
Dr. David Plas Lab
Department of Cancer Biology

11:30 am to 11:45 am
*"Investigating the TAM-S6K1
Axis as a New Therapeutic Strategy
for Glioblastoma"*



Kamdem Toukam, PhD
Dr. John C. Morris Lab
Post-Doctoral Fellow
Division of Hematology/Oncology

11:45 am to 12:00 pm
*"Vaccine Cells Derived From
Cancer Stem Cells Expressing
Interleukin-15 and its Receptor
Inhibits Tumor Cell Growth"*

Special Presentation



Nicholas Marko, MD
Associate Professor
Department of Neurosurgery
Director of UCGNI Brain Tumor Center

12:00 pm to 12:10 pm
*"Remarks from the Director of the
UCGNI Brain Tumor Center"*

Gourmet Lunch 12:15 pm to 1:00 pm

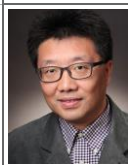
Dessert and Poster Session 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Session 3. Moderator: Atsuo Sasaki, PhD



Vladimir Bogdanov, PhD
Associate Professor of Medicine
Director, Hemostasis Research Program
Division of Hematology/Oncology
Department of Internal Medicine

3:00 pm to 3:20 pm
*"Alternatively Spliced Tissue Factor
and Pancreatic Cancer: An Update"*



Gang Huang, PhD
Associate Professor
Division of Experimental Hematology
& Cancer Biology
Cincinnati Children's

3:20 pm to 3:40 pm
*"Insights into the Function of Setd2
and H3K36 Trimethylation in
Leukemia and Chemo-resistance "*



Jane Yu, PhD
Associate Professor
Division of Pulmonary, Critical Care,
and Sleep Medicine
Department of Internal Medicine

3:40 pm to 4:00 pm
*"Tuberin Negatively Regulates the
Function of Acid Ceramidase in
an mTOR-independent Manner
in Tuberous Sclerosis Complex"*



Tom Cunningham, PhD
Assistant Professor
Department of Cancer Biology

4:00 pm to 4:20 pm
*"Satiating MYC's Hunger: PRPS2
Activity Fuels Lymphomagenesis"*

Social Hour with Award Announcements and Refreshments

4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

