Herpesviruses: Pathogenesis and Cancer

Wednesday, June 4, 2014

Rubensteir	Auditorium and Commons, Smilow Center for Translational Research
8:00 am	Registration and Breakfast (Registration Required)
8:25 am	ERLE ROBERTSON Ph.D., Professor, Director of the Tumor Virology Program, University of Pennsylvania Opening Remarks
8:30 – 9:00 am	ETHEL CESARMAN, M.D./Ph.D., Professor, Weill Cornell Medical College Pathology and genomics of lymphomas associated with herpesviral infection and AIDS
9:00 – 9:15 am	NANA MINKAH, Graduate Student, Laurie Krug's Lab, Stony Brook University Absence of the uracil DNA glycosylase of murine gammaherpesvirus 68 impairs replication and delays latency in vivo
9:15 – 9:30 am	JENNIFER TOTONCHY, Ph.D., Post-Doctoral Fellow, Ethel Cesarman's Lab, Weill Cornell Medical College Use of KSHV BAC16 recombinant strains to assess de novo infection of endothelial and B cells

- 9:30 9:45 am MORIAH SZPARA, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Pennsylvania State University Impacts of intra-strain variation in HSV-1
- 9:45-10:00 am CHRIS PETRO, Graduate Student, Betsy Herold's Lab, Albert Einstein College of Medicine An HSV-2 gD Null Virus Confers Complete Protection against HSV-2
- 10:00 10:30 am Coffee and Tea Break (Registration Required)
- 10:30 11:00 am **JEFFREY COHEN, M.D.,** Chief, Laboratory of Infectious Diseases, NIAID/NIH A VZV protein that activates the MEK-ERK and PI3K-Akt pathways to regulate apoptosis and cell cycle progression
- 11:00 -11:15 am GABRIEL LUTZ, Graduate Student, Angus Wilson's Lab, New York University Selective induction of cellular microRNAs during herpesvirus infection
- 11:15 11:30 am CARRIE COLEMAN, Ph.D., Post-Doctoral Fellow, Rosemary Rochford's Lab, SUNY Upstate Medical College EBV type 2 infection of T cells: an alternative strategy for viral persistence
- 11:30 11:45 am RACHEL TEMPLE, Graduate Student, Clare Sample's Lab, Penn State Hershey Medical College Epstein-Barr Virus Infection of Stratified Epithelium Results in Spontaneous Virus Production and Dissemination
- 11:45 12:00 pm LAURIE KRUG, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Stony Brook University Murine gammaherpesvirus 68 impairs inflammasome activation
- 12:00 1:15 pm Lunch (Registration Required)
- 1:15 1:45 pmILEANA CRISTEA, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Princeton University
Host Defense versus Viral Immune Evasion: A Proteomics Perspective
- 1:45 2:00 pm PIERRE JEAN BELTRAN, Graduate Student, Ileana Cristea's Lab, Princeton University Tracking the Impact of HCMV Infection on Cellular Organelles: Host Organelle Proteomics
- 2:00 2:15 pm SHANE McALLISTER, M.D./Ph.D., Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota Medical School Autocrine β-adrenergic signaling drives post-confluent growth of endothelial cells infected with Kaposi sarcoma Herpesvirus
- 2:15 2:30 pm **KEVIN TSAI**, Graduate Student, Paul Lieberman's Lab, Wistar Institute Viral Reprogramming of the Daxx-ATRX Histone H3.3 Chaperone During Epstein-Barr Virus Early Infection
- 2:30 3:00 pm Coffee and Tea Break (Registration Required)
- 3:00 3:30 pm THOMAS KRISTIE, Ph.D., Chief, Molecular Genetics Section, LVD, NIAID/NIH HCF-1 coactivator complexes modulate HSV chromatin dynamics
- 3:30 3:45 pm **POOJA CHADHA, Ph.D.,** Post-Doctoral Fellow, John Wills' Lab, Penn State Hershey Medical College Dissecting the functional segments of UL16, a conserved tegument protein of HSV-1
- 3:45 4:00 pm **JESSE H. ARBUCKLE, Ph.D.,** Post-Doctoral Fellow, Thomas Kristie's Lab, NIH/NIAID Epigenetic repression of herpes simplex virus infection by the nucleosome remodeler CHD3
- 4:00 4:15 pm HEM C. JHA, Ph.D., Post-Doctoral Fellow, Erle Robertson's Lab, University of Pennsylvania KSHV-mediated regulation of Par3 and SNAIL contributes to cell migration
- 4:15 4:30 pm CHRISTINE A. KING, Ph.D., Research Assistant Professor, SUNY Upstate Medical University Mast cells are a reservoir for KSHV in Kaposi's sarcoma
- 4:30 pm Wine and Cheese Reception (Registration Required)