The Wistar Institute

- The nation’s first independent biomedical research institution
- An international leader in science with a special expertise in cancer research, virology, immunology and vaccine development.
• 32 Investigators, with >$60 million dollars per year in federal funding
• Highly collaborative research environment
• 11 State-of-the-Art Core Facilities
• 63 postdocs, 33 pre-docs
The Ellen and Ronald Caplan Cancer Center is an NCI-designated Cancer Center, organized into three programs:

- Gene Expression and Regulation
- Molecular and Cellular Oncogenesis
- Immunology, Microenvironment and Metastasis

Five Centers:
The Vaccine & Immunotherapy Center
The Melanoma Research Center
The Center for Systems and Computational Biology
The Hubert J. P. Shoemaker Education and Training Center
The Center for Advanced Therapeutics
Wistar Faculty who are adjunct at Penn:

Dario Altieri: Cancer Metabolism
Hildegund Ertl: Vaccines
Meenhard Herlyn: Melanoma
Paul Lieberman: Virology, Transcription
Luis Montaner: HIV therapy
Maureen Murphy: p53, HSP70
Yulia Nefedova: Multiple myeloma
Kazuko Nishikura: RNA editing
Joe Salvino: Medicinal chemistry
Louise Showe: Functional genomics
Jessie Villanueva: Melanoma drug resistance

Mohamed Abdel-Mohsen: Host-virus interactions, HIV
Qing Chen: Cancer metastasis to the brain
Alessandro Gardini: Chromatin, enhancers and hematopoiesis
Daniel Kulp: Rational design of vaccines
Kavitha Sarma: RNA mediated epigenetic gene regulation
Zachary Schug: Cancer metabolism and metabolomics
David Weiner: DNA vaccines
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