

Thursday, 9 February 2012

Registration

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Mantra Reception Foyer

Plenary 1 - Breast Cancer Biology

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Chair: Mathew Vadas

Tecan Lecture Theatre

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Generation of Multiple Cell Fates *abs#001*

Afternoon Tea

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

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Agilent Technologies

Session 2 - Molecular Genetics

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

Chairs: Rob Ramsay and Ross Dickins

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4:00pm

Benjamin Neel

Large-scale functional genomic classification of breast cancer using pooled lentiviral shRNA screens *abs#002*

4:40pm

Andrew Biankin

The Genomic Landscape of Pancreatic Cancer: from Discovery to Patient Care *abs#003*

5:10pm

Neil Watkins

Mechanisms of Hedgehog Signalling in Cancer *abs#004*

5:40pm

Ana Janic

Germline Genes Drive Malignant Brain Tumor Growth in Drosophila *abs#005*

Dinner

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Dining Room or venue of own choice

Poster Session 1

7:30 PM - 10:00 PM

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Friday, 10 February 2012

Trade Workshop - Biorad

7:15 AM - 8:15 AM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

Registration

7:45 AM - 1:00 PM

Mantra Reception Foyer

Session 3 Cancer Focus Session - Breast Cancer

8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

Chair: Rik Thompson and Roger Daly

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8:30am

Geoff Wahl

Stem Cells, Cancer and Cancer Stem Cells *abs#006*

9:10am

Jos Jonkers

Studying therapy response and resistance in mouse models of BRCA-associated breast cancer *abs#007*

9:50am

Alexander Swarbrick

Hedgehog overexpression is associated with stromal interactions and predicts for poor outcome in breast cancer *abs#008*

10:20am

Alison Butt

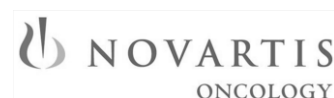
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Morning Tea

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

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Session 4 Tumour Suppressors

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

Chair: Roger Reddel and Marc Achen

11:00am

Laura Attardi

Unraveling Mechanisms of p53 Action *in vivo* Using Mouse Models *abs#010*

11:40am

Jean-Christophe Marine

p53 Modulators and cancer therapy *abs#011*

12:20pm

Sin Tiong Ong

A Common *BIM* Polymorphism Mediates Intrinsic Resistance and Inferior Responses to Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors in Cancer *abs#012*

12:40pm

Kamil Wolyniec

Disruption of E6AP ubiquitin ligase triggers PML-induced senescence to suppress Myc-driven lymphomagenesis *abs#013*

Lunch/Break
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

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Trade Workshop - Australian Phenomics Facility
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Heritage Room 2

Registration
3:45 PM - 6:00 PM

Mantra Reception Foyer

Session 5 Mouse Models

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Chair: Richard Lock

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- 4:00pm **Michael Hemann**
Investigating the role of the tumor microenvironment in chemotherapeutic response *abs#014*
- 4:40pm **Raelene Endersby**
Akt inhibition prolongs survival and decreases proliferation in a mouse model of high-grade astrocytoma *abs#015*

Plenary 2 -Targeting Tumor Defects

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

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Chair: Jane Visvader

Alan Ashworth

Harnessing Genetic Dependencies in Cancer Therapy *abs#016*

Dinner
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Dining Room or venue of own choice

Poster Session 2
7:30 PM - 10:00 PM

Exhibition Hall - Conference Centre

Saturday, 11 February 2012

Registration

8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Mantra Reception Foyer

Session 6 Malignant Growth and Transformation

8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

Chairs: Brian Gabrielli and Steven Stacker

8:30am

Hiroyuki Mano

EML4-ALK oncogene; from its discovery to clinical application *abs#017*

9:10am

Richard Kefford

Targeting the MAP kinase pathway in melanoma. What have we learnt from the clinic? *abs#018*

9:40am

Robert Parton

New insights into the formation and function of caveolae *abs#019*

10:10am

Jaclyn Sceneay

Priming the premetastatic niche through recruitment of bone marrow-derived cells *abs#020*

Morning Tea

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

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Session 7 Targeting Cancer

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

Chair: Grant McArthur and Clare Scott

11:00am

Heidi Phillips

Development of Targeted Therapies for Brain Tumors: Finding and Hitting the Right Target *abs#021*

11:40am

Paul Keall

The Australian MRI-Linac Program: Using real-time image guided adaptive radiotherapy to improve cancer treatment outcomes *abs#022*

12:10pm

Justine Stehn

Developing chemotherapeutics which selectively disable the actin cytoskeleton of tumour cells *abs#023*

Lunch/Break

12:30 PM - 4:00 PM

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Guest Lecture Cancer Epigenome

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

Chair: Megan Hitchins

Peter Jones

DNA Methylation and Nucleosome Repositioning in Cancer and during Epigenetic Therapy *abs#024*

Registration

3:45 PM - 6:45 PM

Mantra Reception Foyer

Session 8 Genome Analysis

4:40 PM - 5:20 PM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

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Chair: Patrick Humbert

4:40pm

William Hahn

Functional genomics, experimental models and cancer

abs#025

5:20pm

Ross Dickins

The tumour suppressor Ikaros promotes responses to endogenous and therapeutic glucocorticoids in lymphocytes and lymphoblastic leukaemias *abs#026*

Plenary 3 Ashley Dunn Oration - Bench to Bedside

5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Tecan Lecture Theatre

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Chair: Ashley Dunn

George Demteri

Pre-dinner drinks

6:45 PM - 7:30 PM

Dining Room/Lawn area

Dinner

7:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Dinner sponsored by

Dining Room



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Conference Party

9:30 PM - 1:00 AM

Dining Room