

The Cancer Biology Graduate Program
Presents
The First Annual Cancer Biology Research Symposium
Mazurek Education Commons Rooms 301-302
May 12, 2011

9:00-9:15 am	Welcome
9:15-9:40 am	Oral Presentation: Prasanna Ekambaram Activation of Thromboxane A2 receptor-alpha promotes tumor growth and angiogenesis through induction of VEGF expression in prostate cancer
9:45-10:10 am	Oral Presentation: Michael Price Interactions between reactive oxygen species and photodynamic therapy: effects of reactive oxygen species variations and hypoxia on tumor cell survival
10:15-10:40 am	Oral Presentation: Sita Desmoulin Increasing Solid Tumor Selectivity of Antifolates by Targeting the Proton-coupled Folate Transporter for Uptake and Inhibiting <i>de novo</i> Purine Biosynthesis
10:45-11:00 am	Break
11:00-11:25 am	Oral Presentation: Richard Warner TIMP-1/CD63 Axis in Breast Cancer Progression
11:30-11:55 am	Oral Presentation: Maggie Purcell Transcriptional Control and Chromatin Remodeling During Cellular Senescence: Defining the Senescence and Immortalization Pathways
12:00-12:25 pm	Oral Presentation: Ivory Dean The Molecular Mechanism of Maspin Trafficking and Secretion
12:30-1:15 pm	Break for Lunch
1:30-3:30 pm	Poster Session Kelly Haagenon, Jennifer Rothberg, Angela Sosin, Jesse Veenstra, Daniela Buac, Aimalie Hardaway, Jonathan Irish, Shermaine Mitchell, Taskeen Mujtaba, Sara Schmitt and Elizabeth Tovar, Presenters
3:45pm	Awards Presentation
4:30 pm	Grand Rounds Presentation: Dr. Lynn Matrisian, Vanderbilt University Wertz Auditorium, Hudson Webber Cancer Research Center, Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute Hosted by the Graduate Program in Cancer Biology