

Announcements

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1999 ANNUAL MEETING

The AACR's Annual Meeting is one of the largest and most important annual gatherings of scientists engaged in cancer research worldwide. The next Annual Meeting will take place in Philadelphia, PA, April 10-14, 1999. The Chairperson of the Annual Meeting is Waun Ki Hong of the UT-M. D. Anderson Cancer Center. Co-Chairpersons are Carol W. Greider, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine; Joseph F. Fraumeni, Jr., National Cancer Institute; and Leroy Fong Liu, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School.

The Program Committee will invite outstanding scientists in the field to organize plenary sessions, symposia, scientific forums, and meet-the-expert sunrise sessions. It will also review proffered papers submitted by members of the cancer research community and will schedule acceptable ones in minisymposia, poster discussion sessions, and poster sessions. The deadline for submission of abstracts will be **November 6, 1998**. Further program information can be found on the AACR's Website (<http://www.aacr.org>).

FUTURE ANNUAL MEETINGS OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH

2000 April 1-5, San Francisco, CA
2001 March 24-28, New Orleans, LA
2002 April 6-10, San Francisco, CA

APPLICATIONS NOW AVAILABLE FOR THE NEW AACR CAREER DEVELOPMENT AWARD-AVAILABLE TO CANCER RESEARCHERS AROUND THE WORLD

The AACR Career Development Awards in Cancer Research will be presented for the first time in 1999. These two-year, international awards support research by junior, tenure-track scientists, at the level of Assistant Professor, who are engaged in meritorious cancer research at an academic institution anywhere in the world. The AACR-National Foundation for Cancer Research Career Development Award is restricted to proposals in basic research related to any type of cancer. The AACR-Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation Career Development Award is restricted to proposals for basic, clinical, or translational research related to breast cancer, including epidemiological and prevention studies.

The two-year, international grants provide \$50,000 per year. The grant covers direct research expenses, which may include payments to research assistants. The grant is not intended to replace or supplement the salary of the primary investigator.

At the time of application, candidates must be in the first or second year of a full-time, tenure-tracked faculty appointment, at the level of Assistant Professor, in an academic institution anywhere in the world. Candidates must also have completed productive postdoctoral research and demonstrated independent, investigator-initiated research. Employees of a national government and employees of private industry are not eligible. Candidates must be nominated by a member of the AACR and must be an AACR member or apply for membership by the time the fellowship application is submitted. AACR Associate Members may not be nominators.

The application deadline is **January 15, 1999**.

To obtain the application form and complete guidelines, contact Jenny Anne Horst-Martz, American Association for Cancer Research, Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483; Phone: (215) 440-9300; Fax: (215) 440-9372; E-mail: horst@aacr.org

APPLICATIONS NOW AVAILABLE FOR 1999 AACR RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

The AACR Research Fellowships in Clinical, Translational, Basic, and Prevention Research foster meritorious cancer research in the Americas by young scientists currently at the postdoctoral or clinical research fellow level.

The Research Fellowships provide either a one or two-year grant of \$30,000 per annum. Travel to the AACR Annual Meeting to accept the award is also provided. Fellowships are sponsored by Amgen, Inc., Bristol-Myers Squibb Oncology, Cancer Research Foundation of America, Kimmel Foundation for Cancer Research, and the AACR, among others.

Candidates must be nominated by a member of the AACR and must be an AACR member or apply for membership at the time the fellowship application is submitted. Candidates must have been fellows for at least two years but no more than five years prior to July 1999. Academic faculty holding the rank of assistant professor or higher, students, medical residents, permanent federal government employees, and employees of private industry are not eligible. The application deadline is **January 15, 1999**.

The application form and complete guidelines can be downloaded from the AACR Website: www.aacr.org/fellowa.htm#b. Hard copies of these materials can also be requested; contact Jenny Anne Horst-Martz, American Association for Cancer Research, Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483; Phone: (215) 440-9300; Fax: (215) 440-9372; E-mail: horst@aacr.org.

APPLICATIONS NOW AVAILABLE FOR GERTRUDE B. ELION CANCER RESEARCH AWARD

The AACR Gertrude B. Elion Cancer Research Award fosters meritorious basic, clinical, or translational cancer research in the United States or Canada by a not-yet-tenured, tenure-tracked scientist at the level of Assistant Professor. The one-year, \$30,000 grant is supported by an educational grant from Glaxo Wellcome Oncology. Travel to the AACR Annual Meeting to accept the award is also provided.

Candidates must be nominated by a member of the AACR. Tenured faculty, federal government employees, and employees of private industry are not eligible. The application deadline is **December 15, 1998**.

The application form and complete guidelines can be downloaded from the AACR Website: <http://www.aacr.org/fellowa.htm#a>. Hard copies of these materials can also be requested; contact Jenny Anne Horst-Martz, American Association for Cancer Research, Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483; Phone: (215) 440-9300; Fax: (215) 440-9372; E-mail: horst@aacr.org.

AACR SPECIAL CONFERENCES IN CANCER RESEARCH

A number of meetings are now being organized in the AACR's series of smaller scientific meetings. Following are the topics, dates, locations, and program committees for these meetings. When full details of each meeting are available, AACR members will be the first to receive complete brochures and application forms for participation in these important conferences. Nonmembers may receive this information by sending their names and addresses to Meetings Mailing List, American Association for Cancer Research, Public Ledger Building, 150 South Independence Mall West, Suite 826, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483. Up-to-date program information is also available via the Internet at the AACR's website (<http://www.aacr.org/confnc.html>).

NEW RESEARCH APPROACHES TO THE PREVENTION AND CURE OF PROSTATE CANCER

December 2-6, 1998

Hyatt Grand Champions Resort, Indian Wells (Palm Springs), CA

Co-Chairpersons

Jonathan W. Simons, Baltimore, MD
Kenneth J. Pienta, Ann Arbor, MI

THE STEROID RECEPTOR SUPERFAMILY

January 8–12, 1999

Renaissance Esmeralda Resort, Indian Wells (Palm Springs), CA

ChairpersonsM. Geoffrey Rosenfeld, La Jolla, CA
Christopher K. Glass, La Jolla, CA**CANCER BIOLOGY AND THE MUTANT MOUSE: NEW METHODS, NEW MODELS, NEW INSIGHTS**

January 31–February 5, 1999

Keystone Resort and Conference Center, Keystone, CO

ChairpersonsTyler Jacks, Cambridge, MA
Ronald A. DePinho, Bronx, NY**MOLECULAR DETERMINANTS OF SENSITIVITY TO ANTITUMOR AGENTS**

March 4–8, 1999

Whistler Resort & Conference Center, Whistler, British Columbia, Canada

ChairpersonsMichael B. Kastan, Memphis, TN
I. David Goldman, Bronx, NY**MOLECULAR ASPECTS OF METASTASIS**

September 22–26, 1999

Snowmass Village Resort, Snowmass, CO

Chairperson

Ruth J. Muschel, Philadelphia, PA

THE MOLECULAR AND GENETIC BASIS OF CHEMOPREVENTION AND EARLY DETECTION OF CANCER

October 6–10, 1999

Sheraton Bal Harbour Beach Resort, Bal Harbour, FL

ChairpersonsDavid Sidransky, Baltimore, MD
Frank L. Meyskens, Jr., Orange, CA**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Blood Substitutes and Oxygen Therapeutics: Advancements Towards Clinical Use, November 19–20, 1998, Ritz-Carlton Pentagon City, Washington DC. Contact: IBC Group plc, 225 Turnpike Road, Southborough, MA 01772-1749. Phone: (508) 481-6400; Fax: (508) 481-7911; E-mail: reg@ibcusa.com; Website: www.ibcusa.com/conf/bloodsubs.

State-of-the-Knowledge Conference on Nurse-Sensitive Outcomes, November 20–22, 1998, Pittsburgh, PA. Contact: ONS Research Team. Phone: (412) 921-7373, Ext. 250; E-mail: research@ons.org.

Nutrition Adelaide 98, November 29–December 2, 1998, Adelaide Hilton International Hotel, Adelaide, Australia. Contact: Conference Secretariat, Festival City Conventions Pty Ltd., PO Box 949, Kent Town 5071, South Australia. Phone: (61) 08–8363-1307; Fax: (61) 08–8363-1604.

Antibody Engineering, December 1–3, 1998, Hotel del Coronado, Coronado, CA. Contact: IBC USA Conferences, Attn: Ellen Massa, 225 Turnpike Road, Southborough, MA 01772. Phone: (508) 481-6400, Ext. 440; Fax: (508) 481-4473; E-mail: emassa@ibcusa.com; Website: www.ibcusa.com/conf/antibody.

Vahouny Satellite Symposium: Dietary Fibre in Health and Disease, December 3, 1998, Adelaide, Australia. Contact: Charles T. Bonfield, 1334 Woodgate Lane, McLean, VA 22101. Phone: (703) 847-6666; Fax: (703) 893-8347.

1998 FDA Science Forum–Biotechnology: Advances, Applications, and Regulatory Challenges, December 8–9, 1998, Washington Convention Center, Washington, DC. Contact: American Association of Pharmaceutical Sciences. Phone: (703) 518-8429; E-mail: meetings@aaps.org.

Mycobacterium Tuberculosis: Novel Therapeutic Development, December 10–11, 1998, The Ritz-Carlton Tysons Corner, McLean, VA. Contact: IBC Group plc, 225 Turnpike Road, Southborough, MA 01772-1749. Phone: (508) 481-6400; Fax: (508) 481-7911; E-mail: reg@ibcusa.com; Website: www.ibcusa.com/conf/mtb.

Cell Adhesion and Communication in Growth Control and Cancer, January 19–21, 1999, International Agency for Research on Cancer, Lyon, France. Contact: Meeting Secretariat, Dr. H. Yamasaki, Unit of Multistage Carcinogenesis, IARC, 150 cours Albert Thomas, 69372 Lyon Cedex 08, France. Phone (33) 472 73 84 96; Fax: (33) 472 73 84 42; E-mail: yamasaki@iarc.fr.

Biliopancreatic Malignancy: From Gene to Cure, February 4–5, 1999, Amsterdam, the Netherlands. Contact: European Cancer Centre, P.O. Box 9236, 1006 AE Amsterdam, the Netherlands. Phone: (31) 20 617 5429; Fax: (31) 20 617 5491; E-mail: ecc@euronet.nl.

Chemotherapeutic Strategies for Treatment of Colorectal Cancer: Present and Future Developments, February 10–12, 1999, Amsterdam, the Netherlands. Contact: European Cancer Centre, P.O. Box 9236, NL-1006 AE Amsterdam, the Netherlands. Phone: (31) 20 617 5429; Fax: (31) 20 617 5491; E-mail: ecc@euronet.nl.

Alternative Medicine: Implications for Clinical Practice, February 28–March 3, 1999, Boston Marriott Copley Plaza, Boston, MA. Contact: Professional Meeting Planners, 5 Central Square, Suite 201, Stoneham, MA 02180. Phone: (781) 279-9887 or 1–800-378–6857; Fax: (781) 279-9875; E-mail: pmpmeeting@aol.com.

Oncology Nursing Society 24th Annual Congress: Embracing New Traditions, April 28–May 1, 1999, Atlanta, GA. Contact: ONS National Office, Meeting Services Team, 501 Holiday Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15220-2749. Phone: (412) 921-7373, ext. 553; Fax: (412) 921-6565; E-mail: meeting@ons.org.

Third International Conference on Human Herpesviruses 6, 7, and 8, May 13–15, 1999, Clearwater Beach, FL. Contact: Dr. Peter Medveczky, University of South Florida, Department of Medical Microbiology, Tampa, FL 33612-4799. Phone: (813) 974-3281; Fax: (813) 974-4151; E-mail: pmedvecz@com1.med.usf.edu.

Radiology 1999: Imaging, Science & Oncology, May 17–19, International Convention Centre, Birmingham, United Kingdom. Contact: Radiology 1999 Secretariat, 36 Portland Place, London, W1N 4AT, United Kingdom. Phone: (44) 171 255 3209; Fax: (44) 171 436 7807.

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International Conference on Diet and Prevention of Cancer, May 28–June 2, 1999, Tampere, Finland. Contact: Congress Secretariat, ICDPC'99, P.O. Box 151, 00141 Helsinki, Finland. Phone: (35) 8 9 175 355; Fax: (35) 8 9 170 122; E-mail: 74161.1110@Compuserve.com.

Tenth National Meeting for State Cancer Pain Initiatives: Building a Pain Management Community, June 3–5, 1999, Double Tree Inn, Salt Lake City, UT. Contact: Sarah Aslakson, Continuing Medical Education, 2715 Marshall

Court, Madison, WI 53705. Phone: (608) 263-2856; Fax: (608) 262-8421; E-mail: aslakson@facstaff.wisc.edu.

Seventh International Conference on Human Antibodies & Hybridomas, September 8–10, 1999, The Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, Scotland. Contact: John Herriot, HAH'99, Meetings Management, Hart House, No. 4 The Hart, Farnham, Surrey, GU9 7HA, United Kingdom. Phone: (44) 125 272 6066; Fax: (44) 125 272 3303; E-mail: jherriot@meetingsgmt.u-net.com.

Erratum

In the article by D. G. Tang *et al.*, which appeared in the August 1, 1998 issue of *Cancer Research* (pp. 3466–3479), there was a mislabeling in the figure legends for Figures 6C, 8C, 10C, 12C, and 14C. The correct labeling should be "DAPI-stained BPH (6C), PCA (8C), LNCaP (10C), PC3 (12C), and Du145 (14C) cells."