



Translating the Cancer Genome

August 30-31, 2007
Biomedicum Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland

THURSDAY AUGUST 30, 2007

13.00 Opening of the symposium

Keynote Lectures

13.00 Mike Kastan, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, TN, USA
TBA

14.00 Joan Massagué, Sloan-Kettering Institute, New York, NY, USA
Breast cancer metastasis genes and functions

15.00 Student's Get-to-know the Speakers

16.00 Get-together and Poster session

Speakers' Dinner Biomedicum Helsinki Faculty Club

FRIDAY AUGUST 31, 2007

Session I Genotoxic stress

9.00 Jiri Lukas, Danish Cancer Society, Copenhagen, DK
TBA

9.45 Wim Vermeulen, Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, Rotterdam, NL
Regulation of mammalian nucleotide excision repair

10.30 Coffee

Session II Cancer-specific signatures

11.00 Kornelia Polyak, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, MA, USA
Molecular profile of breast stem cells

11.45 Justin Lamb, Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard, Cambridge, MA, USA
The Connectivity Map: A new tool for biomedical research

12.30 Lunch

13.30 Student presentations á 15 min

14.30 Coffee and Posters

Session III miRNAs and mouse models

15.30 Reuven Agami, The Netherlands Cancer Institute, Amsterdam, NL
Genetic screens identify miRNAs with cancer related functions

16.15 Jos Jonkers, The Netherlands Cancer Institute, Amsterdam, NL
Conditional mouse models of breast cancer

17.00 Closing of the symposium

Speakers' Dinner Restaurant Särkänlinna

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