

IRCMS Kickoff Symposium

Connecting Scientists across Borders and Disciplines

Date : January 15, 2015 (Thursday)

Venue : Kumamoto Prefectural Community Center PAREA

Program:

8:45	-		Registration	
9:00	-	9:05 (5)	Opening Remarks	Isao Taniguchi President, Kumamoto University
9:05	-	9:15 (10)	Introduction of IRCMS	Toshio Suda Director, IRCMS, Kumamoto University
Session I (Chair: Toshio Suda, Takumi Era)				
9:15	-	9:55 (40)	I -1	Daniel G. Tenen NUS, Singapore Regulation of Myeloid Transcription Factors and DNA Methylation by Noncoding RNAs
9:55	-	10:25 (30)	I -2	Hitoshi Takizawa Kumamoto University, Japan Hematopoietic Stem Cell Response to Inflammation
10:25	-	10:45 (20)	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
Session II (Chair: Takumi Era, Yuichi Oike)				
10:45	-	11:25 (40)	II -1	Ben D. MacArthur Southampton University, UK Stochastic models of stem cell dynamics
11:25	-	11:55 (30)	II -2	Atsushi Iwama Chiba University, Japan Epigenetic regulation of hematopoietic stem cells
11:55	-	12:35 (40)	II -3	Gou Young Koh KAIST, South Korea Tactical issues in the ocular and tumor angiogenesis
12:35	-	14:00 (85)	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
Session III (Chair: Masafumi Takiguchi, TBA)				
14:00	-	14:40 (40)	III-1	Richard Koup NIH, USA Impact of HIV and SIV on Lymph Node Structure and Function
14:40	-	15:20 (40)	III-2	Andrew J McMichael University of Oxford, UK <i>TBA</i>
15:20	-	15:50 (30)	III-3	Shinya Suzu Kumamoto University, Japan Fibroblastic leukocytes as novel HIV-1 host cells
15:50	-	16:10 (20)	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
Session IV (Chair: Yasuharu Nishimura, Mitsuyoshi Nakao)				
16:10	-	16:50 (40)	IV-1	Charles Bangham Imperial College, UK HTLV-1: regulation of proviral load, latency and clonality in vivo
16:50	-	17:20 (30)	IV-2	Masao Matsuoka Kyoto University, Japan Roles of HTLV-1 bZIP factor (HBZ) gene in pathogenesis by HTLV-1
17:20	-	17:50 (30)	IV-3	Ryuichi Nishinakamura Kumamoto University, Japan Creating the kidney in vitro
17:50	-	18:20 (30)	IV-4	Hideo Baba Kumamoto University, Japan Cancer stem cells, microRNA, and epigenetics in gastrointestinal cancer
18:20	-	18:25 (5)	Closing Remarks	Shinji Harada Vice President, Kumamoto University
19:00	~		Reception	Hotel Nikko Kumamoto 5F Banquet Room "AMAKUSA"