Grants & Contracts Awards

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Join us as we congratulate the investigators listed below who have recently received a new or competitive renewal award (Based on information available in Grants Central as of 4/1/13):

*Total award amount reflects **Direct Costs** only for the duration of the project

March 2013

Principal Investigator: Scott A. Armstrong, MD, PhD

Department/Program: Human Oncology & Pathogenesis Program (HOPP)

Project Title: Molecular Pathogenesis of MLL-AF4 Leukemias

Total Award* Amount: \$337,136

Award Date: 03/12/13 Project Duration: 2 Years

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: Ronald Blasberg, MD

Department/Program: Neurology/Neurology Service/Molecular Pharmacology & Chemistry

Project Title: Imaging and Targeting Metastatic-Prone Breast Cancer

Total Award* Amount: \$1,560,096

Award Date: 03/08/13 Project Duration: 5 Years

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: Cameron Brennan, MD

Department/Program: Neurosurgery

Project Title: EFGR and PTEN in Human and Mouse Glioma

Total Award* Amount: \$55,480

Award Date: 03/07/13 Project Duration: 1 Year

Awarding Agency: MD Anderson Cancer Center/National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: Aniruddha Deshpande, PhD

Department/Program: Human Oncology & Pathogenesis Program (HOPP) Project Title: The Role of AF10 in Normal and Leukemic Hematopoiesis

Total Award* Amount: \$82,082

Award Date: 03/21/13 Project Duration: 1 Year

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute



Principal Investigator: Francesca Gany, MD

Department/Program: Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences

Project Title: The FOOD Program: Food to Overcome Outcomes Disparities

Total Award* Amount: \$40,000

Award Date: 03/22/13 Project Duration: 1 Year

Awarding Agency: New York City Council

Principal Investigator: Katharine C. Hsu, MD, PhD Department/Program: Bone Marrow Transplant

Project Title: Hematopoeitic Stem Cell Transplantation

Total Award* Amount: \$121,209

Award Date: 03/12/13 Project Duration: 1 Year

Awarding Agency: Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center/National Institute of Allergy and

Infectious Diseases

Principal Investigator: Clifford Hudis, MD

Department/Program: Medicine/Breast Cancer Medicine

Project Title: A Multicenter Phase II Study of Docosahexaenoic Acid (DHA) in Triple Negative

Breast Cancer Survivors, MDA 10-16-01

Total Award* Amount: \$278,613

Award Date: 03/04/13 Project Duration: 2 Years

Awarding Agency: MD Anderson Cancer Center/National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: Jason S. Lewis, PhD Department/Program: Radiology/Radiochemistry

Project Title: Annotating Oncogene Status in Prostate Cancer with Zr-89-transferrin PET

Total Award* Amount: \$1,544,820

Award Date: 03/26/13 Project Duration: 5 Years

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: Jamie Ostroff, PhD

Department/Program: Psychiatry

Project Title: Development of a Web-based, 3D Coping Skills Game to Increase Self-Efficacy

for Maintaining Smoking Abstinence Total Award* Amount: \$301,103

Award Date: 03/15/13 Project Duration: 3 Years

Awarding Agency: Muzzy Lane Software/National Institute on Drug Abuse



Principal Investigator: Katharina Schlacher, PhD

Department/Program: Developmental Biology

Project Title: Cellular and Molecular Tumorsuppressor Processes Uncovered by DNA Fork

Protection

Total Award* Amount: \$556,500

Award Date: 03/12/13 Project Duration: 3 Years

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: David R. Spriggs, MD

Department/Program: Medicine/Gynecologic Medical Oncology

Project Title: Early Clinical Trials of New Anti-Cancer Agents with Phase 1 Emphasis

Total Award* Amount: \$826,783

Award Date: 03/08/13 Project Duration: 6 Years

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: Craig B. Thompson, MD Department/Program: Cancer Biology & Genetics

Project Title: Cancer Center Support Grant

Total Award* Amount: \$40,338,959

Award Date: 03/12/13 Project Duration: 16 Years

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute

Principal Investigator: Craig B. Thompson, MD Department/Program: Cancer Biology & Genetics

Project Title: Role of IDH Mutations in Acute Myeloid Malignancies

Total Award* Amount: \$985,625

Award Date: 03/08/13 Project Duration: 5 Years

Awarding Agency: National Cancer Institute

INTERNAL COMPETITION

Principal Investigator: Emily H. Cheng, MD, PhD

Department/Program: Human Oncology & Pathogenesis Program (HOPP) Project Title: Cycle for Survival Philanthropy General Fund for Rare Cancers

Total Award* Amount: \$98,566

Award Date: 03/21/13 Project Duration: 1 Year

Awarding Agency: Cycle for Survival



Principal Investigator: Jason T. Huse, MD, PhD

Department/Program: Human Oncology & Pathogenesis Program (HOPP) Project Title: Cycle for Survival Philanthropy General Fund for Rare Cancers

Total Award* Amount: \$98,566

Award Date: 03/18/13 Project Duration: 1 Year

Awarding Agency: Cycle for Survival

February 2013

Principal Investigator: Scott A. Armstrong, MD, PhD

Department/Program: Human Oncology & Pathogenesis Program (HOPP)

Project Title: MLL Fusion Genes in Leukemogenesis

Total Award* Amount: \$174,604.67

Award Date: 02/26/13 Project Duration: 2 Years

Awarding Agency: Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

Principal Investigator: Aimee Crago, MD, PhD

Department/Program: Surgery

Project Title: Optimizing Targeted Therapy in Liposarcoma - Co-amplification of MDM2 and

CDK4 in Liposarcomagenesis Total Award* Amount: \$80,000

Award Date: 02/27/13 Project Duration: 2 Years

Awarding Agency: American College of Surgeons

Principal Investigator: Eric Lai, PhD

Department/Program: Developmental Biology

Project Title: Control of Neural Stem Cell Identity by the Zinc Finger Protein Ars2

Total Award* Amount: \$882,198

Award Date: 02/27/13 Project Duration: 3 Years

Awarding Agency: NYSTEM Program of New York State Department of Health

Principal Investigator: Barbara Tanos-Lora, PhD

Department/Program: Cell Biology

Project Title: Mechanism Controlling Centrosome Duplication

Total Award* Amount: \$166,446

Award Date: 02/28/13 Project Duration: 3 Years

Awarding Agency: National Institute of General Medical Sciences