

Saturday, March 11, 2006

50th Anniversary Symposium

“The Leading Edge of Innovation: 50 Years of Bench to Bedside”

Session I: Lectures at the UF Hilton Conference Center, Century Ballroom

- 7:30-8:30am Breakfast and Welcome
- 8:30-8:50am **“What Causes Type-1 Diabetes and Why Haven't We Been Able to Cure It?”**
Mark Atkinson, Ph.D.
Eminent Scholar, Professor
Pathology, Immunology and Laboratory Medicine
- 8:50-9:10am **“Gene Therapy for Inherited Disorders”**
Terence Flotte, M.D.
Eminent Scholar, Professor and Chair
Department of Pediatrics
- 9:10-9:30am **“Gene Therapy for Blindness”**
William W. Hauswirth, Ph.D.
Professor and Eminent Scholar
Department of Ophthalmology
- 9:30-9:50am **“Physical Activity to Maintain Mobility Independence in Elders”**
Marco Pahor, M.D.
Professor and Chair
Department of Aging and Geriatric Research
Director, Institute on Aging

Session II: Lectures and optional tours at the UF Health Sciences Center campus

For CME participants, tour availability is listed below. For non-CME guests, the Academic tours will run from 8am until noon at regular intervals. Tour schedules will be made available on the website prior to the event.

For information on these and other tours, refer back to the events page at:

<http://www.med.ufl.edu/50years/events.shtml>.

- 10:00-10:15am Buses depart for lectures/tours at the Cancer Genetics Research Building
(Guests are welcome.)
- 10:15-10:30am Break (or tour of the NEW Cancer Genetics Research Building)
- 10:30-10:45am **“The Promise of Gene Therapy” – Cancer Genetics Research Building**
Kenneth Berns, M.D., Ph.D.
Professor of Molecular Genetics and Microbiology
Director, Genetics Institute

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- 10:45-11:00am **“Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation: After Fifty Years” –
Cancer Genetics Research Building**
W. Stratford May, M.D., Ph.D.
Professor of Medicine
Director UF Shands Cancer Center
- 11:00-11:30am Break (or tour the new Cancer Genetics Research Building and/or bus to
the HSC for the Brain Institute lecture/tour and other Academic tours)
- 11:30am-11:45am **“Regenerative Medicine for Neurological Diseases” – McKnight Brain
Institute, DeWeese Auditorium (LG-101A)**
Dennis Steindler, Ph.D.
Professor of Neuroscience and Director
Evelyn F. & William L. McKnight Brain Institute
- 11:45-12:15pm Break (or tour the Brain Institute and/or a variety of other Academic tours)
- 12:15-2:00pm **Boxed Lunch (Academic Research Building – Founder’s Gallery)**
Lunch for non-CME participants will begin at noon.

(Note: Transportation will be provided to/from the Hilton and the HSC sites. Bus schedules and Academic, as well as Cultural tour, schedules will be provided the morning of the event at our registration desks at the Hilton and in the Founder’s Gallery at the Health Science Center.)

CME credit details:

Accreditation

The University of Florida College of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit

The University of Florida College of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 2 category 1 credits toward the AMA Physician’s Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those credits that he/she actually spent in the activity.