

THE FACES OF TOMORROW'S SCIENCE

GRADUATE PARTNERSHIPS PROGRAM // NATCHER CONFERENCE CENTER ATRIUM AND AUDITORIUM // NOVEMBER 14, 2008

8:30	OPENING	Story C. Landis, Ph.D. Director, NINDS
9:00 – 10:00	STUDENT ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION I	Vanessa C. McMains – <i>Dictyostelium Has a Functional Presenilin/Gamma-secretase that Regulates Cell Differentiation</i> Lacey D. Taylor – <i>Chlamydia trachomatis Polymorphic Membrane Protein D Is an Oligomeric Autotransporter with Higher-ordered Structure</i> Marcelo Diaz-Bustamante – <i>Role of microRNA (miR135) in the Development of Hippocampal Neurons</i> Christina Bodner – <i>Visible and Invisible: NMR Studies on the Exchange of Human α-Synuclein on the Phospholipid Membrane</i>
10:00 – 11:00	KEYNOTE ADDRESS FROM SINGLE-CELL TO COLLECTIVE CANCER INVASION AND RESISTANCE	Peter Friedl, M.D., Ph.D. Professor, Microscopical Imaging of the Cell, Department of Cell Biology Radboud University Nijmegen Medical Centre, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
11:00 – 1:45	LIGHT REFRESHMENTS	
11:00 – 12:20	POSTER SESSION I	Poster #s 1-42
12:20 – 1:45	POSTER SESSION II	Poster #s 43-85
2:00 – 3:00	KEYNOTE SPEAKER'S DISCUSSION RULES AND EXCEPTIONS: A CAREER TRACK IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE	Peter Friedl, M.D., Ph.D. – An informal discussion about career development
3:00 – 4:00	STUDENT ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION II	Jason Warfel – <i>Anthrax Lethal Toxin Alters the Transcriptional Control of Pro-inflammatory Gene Expression in Human Endothelium</i> Ronit Salomon – <i>CreMM, a Novel CHD Protein Involved in Polymerase I Transcription</i> Andrius Masedunskas – <i>Intravital Two-photon Microscopy for Studying Uptake and Trafficking of Fluorescent Molecules in Live Rodents</i> Athena Klutz – <i>Enhanced A3 Adenosine Receptor Selectivity of Multivalent Nucleoside Dendrimers</i>
4:00 – 5:00	AWARDS CEREMONY	Outstanding Mentor Awards – Dr. Bruce Hope, Dr. Alan Kimmel, and Dr. Robert Wenthold GPP Graduation Awards NIH Graduate Student Research Award (NGSRA)