

Organoids Are Us



25 June 2018 Doherty Institute Auditorium

Symposium Program

8.00 – 8.30am	Registration (doors open 8.00 am)
8.30 – 8.50am	Welcome, Symposium Overview, Fzd7 in GI stem cells and cancer: Elizabeth Vincan
8.50-10.20am	Session 1: Wnt Signalling and Stem Cells
	Chair: Maree Faux
8.50 – 9.20am	Nick Barker (Singapore)
	"Lgr5+ Stem Cells in epithelial homeostasis, regeneration and diseases of the stomach"
9.20 – 9.50am	Karl Willert (USA)
	"Wnt-Fzd specificity in stem cells"
9.50 – 10.20am	Arial Zeng (China)
	"Protein C receptor in regulating mammary stem cells and breast cancer"
10.20 – 10.50am	Morning tea
10.55 – 12.00pm	Session 2: Rapid Fire Session (ECR & MCR speakers)
	Chair: Jason Mackenzie & Joe Torresi
11.00 – 11.15pm	James Whittle (WEHI)
	"Modelling breast cancer using CRISPR-Cas9-mediated engineering of human breast organoids"
11.15 – 11.30pm	Wei Zhao (Doherty, University of Melbourne)
	"In vitro modelling of HIV-HBV coinfection with human liver organoids"
11.30 – 11.45pm	Chuan Kok Lim (University of Adelaide)
	"Liver organoid culture as a model system for hepatotropic viral infection"
11.45 – 12.00pm	Jaclyn Pearson (Hudson, Monash University)
	"Using intestinal organoids to understand bacterial-viral interactions in the gut"
12.00 – 1.00pm	Session 3: Keynote/Plenary
	Hans Clevers (Netherlands)
	"Organoids in Human Disease"
	Chair: Elizabeth Vincan
	Combined "Organoids Are Us" symposium and "RMH Medical Research Week" session
1.00 – 1.40pm	Lunch

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1.45-3.15pm	Session 4: Induced Pluripotent stem cell organoids
	Chair: Elizabeth Vincan
1.45-2.15pm	Melissa Little (MCRI)
	"iPSC-derived human kidney organoids: how well do they model the kidney and what can
	they be used for?"
2.15-2.45pm	Alice Pébay (University of Melbourne)
	"Pluripotent Stem Cell Approaches to the Modelling of Diseases of the Eye and Brain"
2.45-3.15pm	Ali Motazedian (MCRI)
	"T-cell development from Lymphopoietic Organoids"
3.15-3.40pm	Afternoon tea
3.45-5.00pm	Session 5: Wnt, organoids, cancer
	Chair: Tony Burgess (WEHI)
3.45-4.00pm	Florijn Dekkers
	"Imaging Organoids"
4.00-4.30pm	David Virshup (Singapore)
	"Crypts, Organoids and Cancer - the journey of Wnts"
4.30-5.00pm	Ramanuj DasGupta (Singapore)
	"Patient-derived models to map trajectories of tumour evolution under drug selection
	stress"
5.00-5.05	Close – thank-you - next meeting announcements
	Elizabeth Vincan

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