

**Institute for Cancer Research
Seminars (2009-10)
Coordinator: Sharad Singhal, Ph.D.
ICR Secretary: Jacklyn Crisp**

Location: RES-114 Beyer Hall
University of North Texas Health Science Center
3500 Camp Bowie Blvd
Fort Worth, TX 76107
Noon to 1:00 p.m.

- August 5: Speakers Name: Bruce J. Heron, Ph.D.
Position and location: NY State Department of Health
Wadsworth Center, NYS DOH
Biggs Lab, Rm e419
Albany, NY
(Confirmed by: Dan Dimitrijevic, Ph.D.)
**Title of Seminar: "Defining the role of 14-3-3 sigma in
cancer progression"**
- September 16: Speakers Name: Ganesh Raj, MD, Ph.D.
Position and location: Assistant Professor,
UT Southwestern Medical Center
Dallas, Texas
(Confirmed by: Jamboor Vishwanatha, Ph.D.)
Title of Seminar: "Microfluidics in prostate cancer"
- October 7: Speakers Name: Nancy Turner, Ph.D.
Position and location: Associate Professor of Nutrition
Texas A & M University
College Station, Texas
(Confirmed by: Huanbiao Mo, Ph.D.)
**Title of Seminar: "Fiber and Colon Cancer Prevention:
Molecular Mechanisms"**

- November 4: Speakers Name: Bal L. Lokeshwar, Ph.D.
Position and location: Professor and Co-Director,
Division of Urology Research
Departments of Urology and Radiation Oncology,
University of Miami School of Medicine
Miami, FL.
(Confirmed by: Sharad Singhal, Ph.D.)
**Title of Seminar: "Regulation of Prostate Cancer
Growth and metastasis by pro-inflammatory
chemokines and their receptors: New Avenues for a
Cure"**
- December 11: Speakers Name: David A. Boothman, Ph.D.
Position and location: Professor
Simmons Comprehensive Cancer Center
Department of Pharmacology
UT Southwestern Medical Center
Dallas, Texas
(Confirmed by: Jamboor Vishwanatha, Ph.D.)
**Title of Seminar: "Therapy of cancer using beta-
lapachone: a kiss of death mechanism of action"**
- January: **None – Due to Holidays**
- February 17: Speakers Name: Paul Dent, Ph.D.
Position and location: Professor,
Department of Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
School of Medicine at Virginia Commonwealth University
Richmond, VA
(Confirmed by: Sanjay Awasthi)
**Title of Seminar: "MDA-7 as a therapeutic for
glioblastoma"**

- March 17: Speakers Name: Kenneth D. Tew, Ph.D.
Position and location: Professor and Chairman
Department of Cell & Molecular Pharmacology
John C. West Chair of Cancer Research
Medical University of South Carolina
Charleston, SC
(Confirmed by: Sharad Singhal, Ph.D.)
**Title of Seminar: "Glutathione S-Transferase Pi: Not
Just A Detoxification Enzyme Any More"**
- April 7: Speakers Name: Janet Houghton, Ph.D.
Position and location: Professor and Department Chair
Department of Cancer Biology
Lerner Research Institute/NB40
Cleveland, Ohio
(Confirmed by: Sharad Singhal, Ph.D.)
**Title of Seminar: "Molecular Mechanisms of
Hedgehog Signaling in Colon Cancer"**
- May 5: Speakers Name: Shrikant Anant, Ph.D.
Position and location: Director of Gastroenterology Research
Associate Professor of Medicine
University of Oklahoma Health Science Center
Oklahoma City, OK
(Confirmed by: Sharad Singhal, Ph.D.)
Title of Seminar: "Pancreatic and Colon Cancer"
- June 2: Speakers Name: Ravindra K. Pandey, Ph.D.
Position and location: Distinguished Professor
Department of Oncology
Roswell Park Cancer Center
Buffalo, NY
(Confirmed by: Rajendra Sharma, Ph.D.)
**Title of Seminar: "Multifunctional Agents for Tumor
Imaging and Phototherapy"**
- July: **None – Due to Vacations**