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**Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center Consortium**

**Thomas Jefferson University, Drexel University, Lankenau Institute for Medical Research**

**Symposium and Poster Presentations**

**Bluemle Life Sciences Building, Room 101, Mandeville Conference Room**

**233 S. 10th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107**

**October 1, 2014**

**8:00 AM Continental Breakfast**

**8:30 AM Welcome**

*Richard G. Pestell, MD, PhD, MBA, Director, Kimmel Cancer Center*

 *Janet Sawicki*, *PhD, LIMR, Deputy Director*

 *Kenny Simansky, PhD, Drexel, Vice Dean for Research, DUCOM*

**8:40 AM KCC Overview**

*Richard G. Pestell, MD, PhD, MBA, Director, Kimmel Cancer Center*

**9:05 AM Discussion**

**9:10 AM Basic and Clinical Science Programs**

*Karen Knudsen, PhD*

*Deputy Director for Basic Science*

**9:25 AM Discussion**

**9:30 AM Translational Initiatives**

*Massimo Cristofanilli, MD*

*Deputy Director for Translational Research*

**9:45 AM Discussion**

**9:50 AM Break**

**10:05 AM Clinical Trials**

 *Matthew Carabasi, MD*

 *Associate Director, Clinical Investigations*

**10:20 AM Discussion**

**10:25 AM Population Science Program and Moving towards Comprehensive Status**

*Ann Klassen, PhD*

*Associate Co-Director for Population Science, Associate Dean for Research,*

*Drexel University School of Public Health*

*Ronald Myers, PhD*

*Associate Director for Population Science*

**10:40 AM Discussion**

**PILOT PROJECT PRESENTATIONS**

**10:45 AM “Community Driven Development of Interactive Virtual Patient Scenarios to Enhance Provider Communications Skills and Minority Patient Participation in Cancer Clinical Trials”**

*Principal Investigators: Scott Lind, MD (DU) & Edith Mitchell, MD (TJU)*

**10:55 AM Discussion**

**11:00 AM “Breast Cancer Survivorship Needs of Urban Minority Women”**

*Principal Investigators: Thomas Hardie, EdD, RN (DU) & Edith Mitchell, MD (TJU)*

**11:10 AM Discussion**

**11:15 AM “High Throughput Screening for Allosteric PARP-1 Inhibitors”**

*Principal Investigators: John Pascal, PhD (TJU) & Timothy Block, PhD (DU)*

**11:25 AM Discussion**

**11:30 AM “Optimized Regional-Gemcitabine Microbubble Therapy for Advanced Pancreatic Cancer”**

*Principal Investigators: Jonathan Brody, PhD (TJU), Margaret Wheatley, PhD (DU) & Janet Sawicki, PhD (LIMR)*

**11:40 AM Discussion**

**11:45 AM “Stat5 in Promotion of Prostate Cancer Metastasis”**

*Principal Investigators: Marja Nevalainen, MD, PhD (TJU) & Alessandro Fatatis, MD, PhD (DU)*

**11:55 AM Discussion**

**12:00 PM Lunch**

**12:30 PM “Development of Serum PSMA Assay Using a Piezoelectric Plate Sensor”**

*Principal Investigators: Wan Shih, PhD (DU) & Wm. Kevin Kelly, MD (TJU)*

**12:40 PM Discussion**

**12:45 PM “Regulation of AR Stability and Transcriptional Activity in Prostate Cancer Cells by sigma 1 Chaperone Selective Small Molecules”**

*Principal Investigators: Felix Kim, PhD (DUCOM) & Karen Knudsen, PhD (TJU)*

**12:55 PM Discussion**

**1:00 PM “Role of Tumor Microenvironment on the Progression of ErbB2-positive DCIS into Invasive Cancer”**

*Principal Investigators: Mauricio Reginato, PhD (DUCOM) & Hallgeir Rui, MD, PhD (TJU)*

**1:10 PM Discussion**

**POSTERS**

**1:15 PM Poster Setup**

**1:30 PM Poster Presentations and Judging**

**3:30 PM Poster Awards**