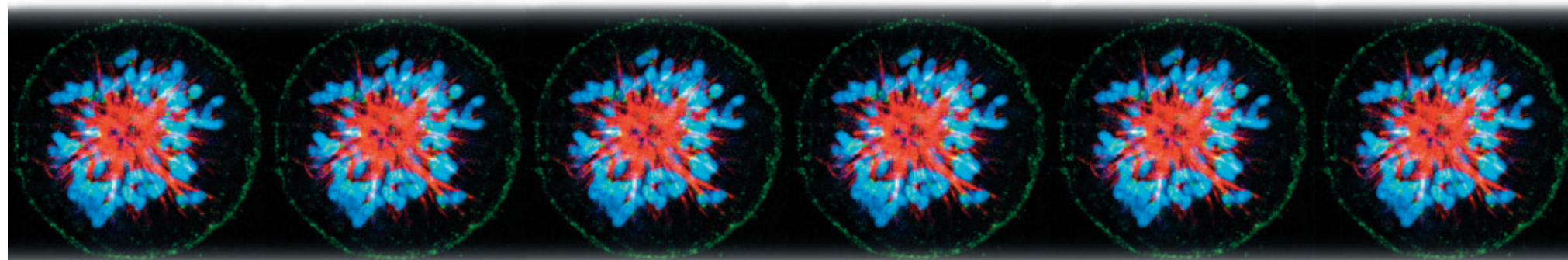


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Thursday, January 19 at 12.00

Dr. Michael A. Quilliam, National Research Council of Canada,
 Institute for Marine Biosciences, Canada:
"The Hunt for Red Tide Toxins: New Toxins, New Technologies"
 Host: Jussi Meriluoto (jussi.meriluoto@abo.fi)

Thursday, January 26 at 12.00

Professor Lucas Pelkmans, Swiss Federal Institute
 of Technology Zürich,
 Institute for Molecular Systems Biology, Switzerland:
"Towards Systems Biology of Virus Entry and Endocytosis"
 Host: Timo Hyypiä (timo.hyypia@utu.fi)

Thursday, February 9 at 12.00

PharmaCity auditorium
 Dr. Anthony Poole, Department of Molecular
 Biology & Functional Genomics, Stockholm University, Sweden:
*"What Modern RNA Processing Tells Us About LUCA, the Last
 Universal Common Ancestor of All Life"*
 Host: Jorma Paranko (jorma.paranko@utu.fi)

Thursday, February 16 at 12.00

Dr. Kanury V. S. Rao, International Centre for Genetic Engineering
 & Biotechnology, New Delhi, India:
"Plasticity of the Signalling Network: Elegance in Chaos"
 Host: Riitta Lahesmaa (riitta.lahesmaa@btk.fi)

Thursday, March 2 at 12.00

Professor Massimo Santoro, Medical School,
 University "Federico II" of Naples, Italy:
"RET Signalling in Thyroid Tumors"
 Host: Mikko Laukkanen (mikko.laukkanen@utu.fi)

Thursday, March 9 at 12.00

Dr. Evan Simpson, Prince Henry's Institute of
 Medical Research, Monash Medical Centre, Australia:
"Estrogens - the Good, the Bad, and the Unexpected"
 Host: Matti Poutanen (matti.poutanen@utu.fi)

Thursday, March 16 at 12.00

Mikro auditorium
 Professor Christer Höög, Center for Genomics and
 Bioinformatics, Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden:
"Meiotic Chromosome Organization and Segregation"
 Host: Jorma Toppari (jorma.toppari@utu.fi)

Thursday, March 23 at 12.00

Professor David F. Stern, Department of Pathology,
 Yale University School of Medicine, USA:
*"EGF Family Receptor Tyrosine Kinases in Mammary
 Development and Breast Cancer"*
 Host: Klaus Elenius (klaus.elenius@utu.fi)

Thursday, April 6 at 12.00

Mikro auditorium
 Professor Anton Berns, The Netherlands Cancer Institute,
 Amsterdam, The Netherlands:
"Mouse Models for Cancer"
 Host: Jukka Westermarck (jukka.westermarck@btk.fi)

Thursday, April 20 at 12.00

Dr. Anu Suomalainen-Wartiovaara, Biomedicum-Helsinki,
 Program of Neurosciences, University of Helsinki, Finland:
"Mitochondria in the Spotlight of Neurodegeneration"
 Host: Kaisa Heiskanen (kaisa.heiskanen@btk.fi)

Thursday, April 27 at 12.00

Dr. Hákon Hákonarsson, deCODE genetics, Reykjavik, Iceland:
"Genetics of Complex Diseases"
 Host: Johannes Savolainen (johannes.savolainen@utu.fi)

Thursday, May 4 at 12.00

Professor John A. Jansen, Department of Periodontology
 and Biomaterials, University of Nijmegen, The Netherlands:
"Engineering of Dental Tissues"
 Host: Timo Närhi (timo.narhi@utu.fi)

Thursday, May 11 at 12.00

Dr. Ruggero Pardi, Unit of Leukocyte Biology, Vita-Salute University
 School of Medicine, DIBIT-Scientific Institute San Raffaele, Italy:
*"A Sense of Touch: Signal Transduction by Adhesion Receptors
 in Mammalian Cells"*
 Host: Sirpa Jalkanen (sirpa.jalkanen@utu.fi)

Thursday, May 18 at 12.00

Dr. Linda Wordeman, Department of Physiology and Biophysics,
 University of Washington, Seattle, USA:
*"Order from Chaos: The Control of Microtubule Dynamics
 and Chromosome Segregation in Living Cells"*
 Host: Marko Kallio (marko.kallio@vtt.fi)

Thursday, June 8 at 12.00

Professor Tomas Mustelin, The Burnham Institute for
 Medical Research, La Jolla, USA:
"Protein Tyrosine Phosphatases in Immunity and Autoimmune Disease"
 Host: Riitta Lahesmaa (riitta.lahesmaa@btk.fi)