



LCRC Retreat
March 26th and 27th 2010

Xavier University Center
Third Floor Ballroom
1 Drexel Drive., New Orleans

DAY 1: Friday, March 26

3:00 - 3:30 pm	Registration • Refreshments	All
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Welcome	LCRC Co- Directors Dr. Prescott Deininger, Tulane Dr. Augusto Ochoa, LSUHSCNO Dr. Norman Francis President, Xavier University of Louisiana
3:45 - 4:00 pm	LCRC Building & Legislative Update	Mr. Steve Moye President and CEO, LCRC
4:00 - 5:00 pm	Charting a Course for NCI Designation and Beyond	Dr. Andrew Kraft Hollings Cancer Center, Medical University of South Carolina
5:00 - 5:10 pm	Scientific Program: Opening Remarks	LCRC Co- Directors Dr. Prescott Deininger, Tulane Dr. Augusto Ochoa, LSUHSCNO
5:10 - 7:00 pm	Buffett Reception & Poster Presentations	All

DAY 2: Saturday, March 27

8:00 - 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast & Poster Presentations	All
8:30 - 8:35 am	Opening Remarks	Dr. Prescott Deininger, Tulane Dr. Augusto Ochoa, LSUHSCNO
8:35 – 9:05 am	Population Sciences Presentations New Biomarkers For Monitoring The Levels Of Isothiocyanates in Humans	Dr. Gabriele Sabbioni, Tulane

	Disparities in Smoking Cessation among Cancer Survivors	Dr. Tseng Tung –Sung, LSUHSCNO
9:05- 9:35 am	Immunology Presentations	
	The Development of HPV-related Cervical Dysplasia is associated with Expression of Latent EBV Genes.	Dr. Michael Hangensee, LSUHSCNO
	Hepatitis C virus infection and human hepatocellular carcinoma	Dr. Srikanta Dash, Tulane
9:35 - 10:05 am	Genetics Presentations	
	Expression of LINE-1 elements in human tissues; implications for cancer-related genetic instability.	Dr. Victoria Belancio, Tulane
	MTBP suppresses tumor metastasis by inhibiting ACTN4-mediated cell migration	Dr. Neeraj Agarwal, LSUHSCNO
10:05 - 10:35 am	Break/ Poster Presentations	All
10:35-11:05 am	Signaling Presentations	
	A role for Cdk9 in endothelial cell survival and angiogenesis following treatment with proangiogenic factors or the Kaposi’s sarcoma-associated herpesvirus encoded G-protein coupled receptor	Dr. Harris McFerrin, Xavier
	A Novel Approach of Disrupting Androgen-Receptor Signaling for Prostate Cancer Intervention	Dr. Yan Dong, Tulane
	Crosstalk between p53 and BIN1 tumor suppressors in response to DNA damage	Dr. Slovénie Pyndiah, LSUHSCNO
11: 05 - 11:35 am	Clinical Presentations	
	Bone Marrow Stromal Cells Promote Chemoresistance through Hedgehog Pathway Signaling in Precursor B-cell Acute Lymphocytic Leukemia	Dr. Tara Lin, LSUHSCNO
11:35 am – 1:00 pm	Poster Presentations	ALL
1:00 - 1:30 pm	Lunch and “Ask the Directors”	Dr. Prescott Deininger, Tulane Dr. Augusto Ochoa, LSUHSCNO Dr. Thomas Wiese, Xavier Dr. John Cole, Ochsner
1:30 - 2:00 pm	Awards Ceremony	Dr. Prescott Deininger, Tulane Dr. Augusto Ochoa, LSUHSCNO
2:00pm	Closing Remarks	

