7th Annual “Advances in Inflammation Research” Symposium

Thursday, September 24 & Friday, September 25, 2009
Providence, Rhode Island

Featured Speakers

Richard N. Mitchell, MD, PhD
Associate Professor of Pathology and Health Sciences and Technology
Brigham and Women’s Hospital
Harvard Medical School
Boston, MA

Bruce R. Ransom, MD, PhD
Warren and Jermaine Magnuson Chair in Medicine for Neurosciences
Adjunct Professor of Physiology and Biophysics
University of Washington Medical Center
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Luisa A. DiPietro, DDS, PhD
Professor of Periodontics
Director, The Center for Wound Healing & Tissue Regeneration
University of Illinois at Chicago
Chicago, IL

Michael B. Yaffe, MD, PhD
Associate Professor of Biology
David H. Koch Institute for Integrative Cancer Research
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Cambridge, MA

Neal S. Silverman, PhD
Associate Professor of Infectious Diseases and Immunology Medicine
University of Massachusetts Medical School
Worcester, MA

Thursday, September 24

George Auditorium, Rhode Island Hospital, 593 Eddy Street, Providence, RI
2:30pm Refreshments/Registration
3:00pm Welcome and Introductions
3:15 – 4:30pm Presentations by junior faculty members
4:30 – 5:30pm Richard N. Mitchell, MD, PhD
Learning from Rejection: What Transplantation Teaches Us About (Other) Vascular Pathologies

Friday, September 25

2nd Floor Nursing Arts Building, Rhode Island Hospital
9:00 – 11:30am Meet the Professor Sessions
One-on-one discussions with the guest speakers
1st Floor Conference Room, 70 Ship Street, Brown University
1:30 – 2:15pm Bruce R. Ransom, MD, PhD
The Role of Astrocytes in Acute Brain Injury
2:15 – 3:00pm Luisa A. DiPietro, DDS, PhD
When Less is More: Inflammation, Angiogenesis and the Healing Wound
3:00 – 3:30pm Refreshment Break
3:30 – 4:15pm Michael B. Yaffe, MD, PhD
Neutrophils, PI 3-Kinase, and Inflammation
4:15 – 5:00pm Neal S. Silverman, PhD
Inside and Out: Recognition and Signal Transduction in the Drosophila Immune Response

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Symposium is free. Please RSVP by August 31, 2009 by phone, email or by mailing the registration form on the back.

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