Join New York Oncology Hematology and Albany Medical College for a Groundbreaking Collaborative Forum:

Translational Medicine in Oncology: Bridging the Gap Between Basic Science and the Clinic

Hilton Garden Inn at Albany Medical Center
Albany, New York
Thursday - Friday, September 27-28, 2007

Guest Presenters:

David Carbone, MD, PhD  
Professor of Medicine and Cancer Biology  
Director, Vanderbilt Lung Cancer SPORE  
Harold Moses Chair for Translational Cancer Research  
Director, Experimental Therapeutics Program  
Vanderbilt-Ingram Comprehensive Cancer Center

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Physician in Chief, Senior Investigator  
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Clinical Professor of Medicine  
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Arizona Health Sciences Center

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Program Agenda and Faculty

**TIME**

**DAY 1**

9:00am – 9:30am Welcome and Introduction
Lawrence Garbo, MD
Physician Leader, Clinical Trials Program
New York Oncology Hematology

9:30am – 10:00am Cancer Research at the Wadsworth Institute- From Cell Cycle and Stem Cells to Early Detection and Treatment
Erasmus Schneider, PhD
Wadsworth Center
New York State Department of Health

10:00am – 10:30am Break

10:30am – 11:00am Cancer Research at Ornway Research Institute
Igor Romsics, PhD
Director, Cancer Center
Ornway Research Institute, Inc.

11:00am – 11:30am Tissue-Based Multiplexing and Automated Image Analysis for the Identification of Novel Cancer Biomarkers
Michael Montalto, PhD
GE Global Research

11:30am – 12:00pm Life on a Chip: Micro/Nanobioscience Research at CNSE
James Farnham, PhD
College of Nanoscale Science and Engineering
University at Albany-SUNY

12:00pm – 1:00pm Lunch and Poster Viewing Session

1:00pm – 1:30pm Bridging the Gap Between Basic Science and Clinical Practice: A Case Study of the Role of Research Centers in Translational Medicine
Paulette M. Conklin, PhD
New York State GenNY/SiVA Center for Excellence in Cancer Genomics

2:00pm – 3:00pm Validating Novel Tumor Biomarkers Using the Albany Medical College Non-transplant Tissue Bank and Tumor Biorepository
J. Andrew Carlson, MD, FRCP
Professor, Director of Dermatopathology
Division of Dermatopathology and Dermatology
Department of Pathology
Albany Medical College

3:00pm Closing Remarks
Lawrence Garbo, MD
Physician Leader, Clinical Trials Program
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6:00pm – 7:00pm Reception and Exhibits

**DAY 2**

7:00am – 7:30am Breakfast

7:30am – 8:00am Welcome and Opening Remarks
Lawrence Garbo, MD
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8:00am – 9:00am Molecular Signatures to Guide Selection of Lung Cancer Patient Therapy
David Carbon, MD, PhD
Professor of Medicine and Cancer Biology
Director, Vanderbilt Lung Cancer SPORE

9:00am – 9:30am Research Initiatives at NYOH: Phase I through Phase III Participation
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Target Audience
This continuing medical education program is intended for academic and community-based medical, surgical and radiation oncologists and hematologists, as well as scientists involved in cancer research.

Learning Objectives
At the conclusion of the program, the participant will be able to:
- Identify potential collaborations among the participant lectures on the basis of research findings and clinical areas of interest
- List some recent clinical advances that have arisen from translating basic research into patient care
- Describe the potential roles of genomics in cancer
- Discuss biomarkers that are emerging as tools in the diagnosis, monitoring, or individualization of treatment of patients with cancer

Method of Instruction
The method of instruction for this conference includes didactic presentations from leaders in the field of translational oncology as well as breakout and poster viewing sessions to generate interaction.

Accreditation:
This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of Albany Medical College and New York Oncology Hematology. Albany Medical College is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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Lodging
Hilton Garden Inn at Albany Medical Center
62 New Scotland Avenue, Suite
Albany, New York 12207

For Reservations, please call 1-518-396-3380 and reference meeting: Translational Oncology Conference. **A special room rate of $150.00 is available if you reserve by September 6, 2007.***

For further information, please visit www.albanymedicalcenter.org/ahu

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