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Monocytes, macrophages, and dendritic cells: physiology and pathology

The Rockefeller University New York, NY April 7-9, 2016

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HENRY GEORGE KUNKEL 1916–1983

Henry Kunkel received his B.S. degree from Princeton and his M.D. degree from Johns Hopkins University. He arrived at The Rockefeller Institute (now University) in 1945 where he spent his entire scientific career until his death in 1983. His contributions to the field of basic and clinical immunology are legendary. He made numerous seminal observations in liver disease, rheumatic diseases and other allied disorders.

He was perhaps best known for his pioneering and extensive studies on the immunoglobulins. His recognition that myeloma proteins were a model for the study of the structure of normal immunoglobulins had a global impact on investigations of the structure, function and inheritance of these molecules. The elucidation of the chain structure of gamma globulin and the recognition that immunoglobulins possessed individual antigenic specificity (idiotypes) were internationally recognized discoveries.

Dr. Kunkel was the recipient of many awards and honors, including membership in the National Academy of Sciences, honorary degrees from Universities of Uppsala and Harvard, and recipient of the Lasker and Gairdner Awards and the Kovalenko Medal of the National Academy of Sciences.

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PROGRAM

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 2016

Carson Family Auditorium

2:00 p.m. Welcoming Remarks

Jean-Laurent Casanova, HKS & JEM

2:05 p.m. – 4:35 p.m. Session I: Genetic diseases of myeloid cells (I)

Chair: David Tuveson, JEM

2:05 p.m. Ross L. Levine

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY, USA

Genetics and therapy of myeloid malignancies

2:35 p.m. Barrett J. Rollins

Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, MA, USA

Genetics of Langerhans cell histiocytosis

3:05 p.m. Jean Donadieu

AP-HP Hopital Trousseau, Paris, France

Langerhans cell histiocytosis - epidemiology, therapy and natural history in molecular medicine era

3:35 p.m. Harris Perlman

Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL, USA

Monocytes in rheumatoid arthritis

4:05 p.m. Tim Cox

University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK

Therapeutic opportunities in Gaucher disease: Cooling the alembic of Hell

4:35 p.m. Coffee break

5:00 p.m. Introduction for Kunkel Lecturer

Jean-Laurent Casanova, HKS & JEM

Michel Nussenzweig

Annual Henry Kunkel Society Lecture

The Rockefeller University & Howard Hughes Medical Institute, New York, NY, USA

6:00 p.m. Reception (for purchase)

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2016

Carson Family Auditorium

9:00 - 10:00 a.m. Session II: Genetic diseases of myeloid cells (II)

Chair: Douglas Fearon, JEM

9:00 a.m. Steven Holland

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, Bethesda, MD, USA

GATA 2 deficiency

9:30 a.m. Omar Abdel-Wahab

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY, USA

Genetics and therapy on systemic histiocytoses

10:00 a.m. Coffee break

10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Session III: Developments of myeloid cells

Chair: Alejo Chorny, JEM

10:30 a.m. Elaine Dzierzak

University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, UK

Hematopoietic stem cell development and diversity

11:00 a.m. Jim Palis

University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY, USA

HSC-independent hematopoiesis

11:30 a.m. Elisa Gomez Perdiguero

Pasteur Institute, Paris, France

Developmental origin of macrophages

12:00 p.m. *Lunch*

1:30 p.m. Ken Murphy

Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO, USA

Diversity of dendritic cells

2:00 p.m. Frederic Geissmann

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY, USA

The architecture of a layered myeloid system

2:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Session IV: Immunobiology of myeloid cells (I)

Chair: Alexander Tarakhovsky, JEM

2:30 p.m. Siamon Gordon

University of Oxford, Oxford, UK

Macrophage activation, fusion and function

3:00 p.m. Jacques Banchereau

The Jackson Laboratory, Hartford, CT, USA Dendritic cell subsets, T cell subsets and vaccines

3:30 p.m. Coffee break

4:00 p.m. Boris Reizis

New York University Langone Medical Center, New York, NY, USA

Dendritic cells in systemic lupus erythematosus

4:30 p.m. Kang Liu

Columbia University, New York, NY, USA

Remapping human dendritic cell lineage in health and myeloid neoplasm using clonal analysis

5:00 p.m. Claudia Waskow

Dresden University of Technology, Dresden, Germany

Regulation of the dendritic cell pool size by the microenvironment

6:00 p.m. Dinner (for purchase)

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2016

Carson Family Auditorium

9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Session V: Cell biology of myeloid cells

Chair: Thiago Carvalho, JEM

9:00 a.m. Chris Glass

University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA, USA

Genetic and genomic approaches to understanding macrophage identity and function

9:30 a.m. Stephen Smale

University of California, Los Angeles, CA, USA

Selective transcriptional cascades induced by inflammatory stimuli

10:00 a.m. Julie Magarian Blander

Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, NY, USA

Different phagocytes sample apoptotic cells in situ to orchestrate tissue homeostasis

10:30 a.m. Coffee Break

11:00 a.m. Marco Colonna

Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO, USA

Functions of TREMs on macrophages

11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Session VI: Immunobiology of myeloid cells (II)

Chair: Frédeéric Geissmann, HKS

11:30 a.m. Virginia Pascual

Baylor Institute for Immunology Research, Dallas, TX, USA

The innate side of human Lupus

12:00 p.m. Emil Unanue

Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, MO, USA

The key role of islet phagocytes in the initiation of autoimmune diabetes

12:30 p.m. *Lunch*

2:00 p.m. Xiaofei Kong

The Rockefeller University, New York, NY, USA

Human mDC1 deficiency and susceptibility to mycobacterial disease

2:30 p.m. Irving Weissman

Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA, USA

Normal and neoplastic stem cells

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