

CGC/CBG meeting

Genomic Approaches and Molecular Mechanisms in Cancer

27-28 October 2005 | Koninklijk Instituut voor de Tropen, Mauritskade 63, Amsterdam

Thursday October 27

- 09.00 *Welcome with coffee & registration*
- 09.50-10.00 **Opening by Hans Bos** | University Medical Centre Utrecht
- 10.00-10.30 *Chair morning sessions:* **Hans Bos** | University Medical Centre Utrecht
Reuven Agami | Netherlands Cancer Institute, Amsterdam
‘Genetic screens uncover cancer related functions of microRNAs’
- 10.30-11.00 **Nick Hastie** | MRC Human Genetics Unit, Edinburgh, Scotland
‘The Wilms’ tumour suppressor, WT1 - and the Wnt connection - in Cancer and Development’
- 11.00-11.30 *Coffee*
- 11.30-12.00 **Rene Medema** | University Medical Centre Utrecht
‘Restarting the cell cycle when the checkpoint is silenced’
- 12.00-12.30 **Guillio Draetta** | Merck Research Laboratories, Boston, USA
Tentative title: ‘The role of CDC25 in cell cycle control’
- 12.30-14.00 *Lunch and poster session*
- Chair afternoon sessions:* **Piet Borst** | Netherlands Cancer Institute, Amsterdam
- 14.00-14.30 **Nick La Thangue** | University of Glasgow, Scotland
Tentative title: ‘Effector pathways in DNA damage response’
- 14.30-15.00 **Richard Marais** | The Institute of Cancer Research Chelsea, London, UK
Tentative title: ‘The role of B-raf in tumor formation’
- 15.00-15.30 **Titia de Lange** | The Rockefeller University, New York, USA
Tentative title: ‘Safeguards of human telomeres’
- 15.30-16.00 *Tea*
- 16.00-17.00 **Keynote Lecture: Harold Varmus** | Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York, USA
Tentative title: ‘Oncogenes and the future of cancer therapy’

Friday October 28

- 09.00 *Welcome with coffee & registration*
- Chair morning sessions:* Peter van der Vliet | University Medical Centre
Utrecht
- 09.30-10.00 Jan Klijn | Erasmus Medical Centre, Rotterdam
'Microarray profiling of breast tumors'
- 10.00-10.30 Oli Kallioniemi | VTT Biotechnology, Turku, Finland
'Translational genome-scale cancer research'
- 10.30-11.00 Matthias Mann | University of Southern Denmark, Odense, Denmark
Tentative title: 'Proteomic approaches to study stem cell differentiation'
- 11.00-11.30 *Coffee*
- 11.30-12.00 Roel Nusse | Stanford University Medical School, Stanford, USA
'Wnt signaling and growth control'
- 12.00-12.30 Boudewijn Burgering | University Medical Centre Utrecht
'Forkhead transcription factors and the control of cellular oxidative stress'
- 12.30-14.00 *Lunch and poster session*
- Chair afternoon sessions:* Anton Berns | Netherlands Cancer Institute,
Amsterdam
- 14.00-14.30 Alan Ashworth | Institute of Cancer Research, London. UK
'Therapeutic exploitation of the DNA repair defect in BRCA mutant tumours'
- 14.30-15.00 Arnie Levine | Centre for Systems Biology, Princeton, New Jersey, USA
Tentative title: 'Positive and negative feedback loops in p53 signalling'
- 15.00-15.30 Frank McCormick | UCSF Comprehensive Cancer Center, San
Francisco, USA
'Drug targets in the Ras pathway'
- 15.30-16.00 *Tea*
- 16.00-16.10 Poster award ceremony
- 16.10-17.10 **Keynote Lecture: Charles Sawyers** | UCLA, Los Angeles, USA
Tentative title: 'Kinase inhibitors and the treatment of cancer'