4th Annual "Advances in Inflammation Research" Symposium

Providence, Rhode Island
Thursday, September 21, 2006 & Friday, September 22, 2006

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Thursday, September 21

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	Peter A. Ward, M.D. *Molecular events in sepsis*

Friday, September 22

Ship Street 1st Floor Conference Room, Brown University
70 Ship Street, Providence, RI

9:00 – 11:30am	Meet the Professor Meetings between students and faculty with the invited speakers.
11:30 – 1:15pm	Lunch Break
1:30 – 2:15pm	David A. Brenner, M.D. *Inflammation and fibrosis in chronic liver disease*
2:15 – 3:00pm	Joyce A. DeLeo, Ph.D. *Role of neuroimmune activation and neuroinflammation in chronic pain states*
3:00 – 3:30pm	Refreshment Break
3:30 – 4:15pm	Katherine Fitzgerald, Ph.D. *Our current understanding of endotoxin signaling*
4:15 – 5:00pm	Douglas A. Lauffenburger, Ph.D. *Quantitative systems analysis of cell signaling networks*

Featured Speakers

Peter A. Ward, M.D.
Godfrey D. Stobbe Professor of Pathology
Chairman, Department of Pathology
University of Michigan Health Systems
Ann Arbor, MI

David A. Brenner, M.D.
Samuel Bard Professor of Medicine
Chairman, Department of Medicine
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Joyce A. DeLeo, Ph.D.
Professor of Anesthesiology and
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Assistant Professor of Medicine
Infectious Diseases and Immunology Medicine
University of Massachusetts Medical School
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Douglas A. Lauffenburger, Ph.D.
Whitaker Professor of Bioengineering
Director of Biological Engineering Division
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