



**Instituto Canario de Investigación del Cáncer
Universidad de Las Palmas, Universidad de La Laguna**

**6th MEETING YCIC
Young Cancer Investigators of the Canary Islands**

December 10th-12th, 2009

Casa Colón Hall, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain

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OBJECTIVES:

1. Facilitate Young Biomedical Researchers to communicate their scientific results in a friendly environment.
2. Encourage young and senior biomedical researchers to cooperate in the development of new projects.
3. Obtain the expert advice from the world-class invited biomedical scientists.
4. Start up a Biomedical Research Network in the Canary Islands that will increase the success of future projects.
5. Discuss a common strategy for Biomedical and Biotechnology development integrating all the universities and research institutions implicated.

REGISTRATION

Participation as speaker in this Meeting will be by invitation of the Organising Committee. Participation with a poster is offered to any young biomedical investigator (<40 yrs), with preference to those working in Canaries, Azores and Madeira.

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Thursday, DECEMBER 10th, 2009

Registration	12:00 -16:00
1st Symposium: NEW Bioactive COMPOUNDS Chairperson: David Tejedor, ICIC, IPNA-CSIC, La Laguna	
Oliver Callies (15') ICIC, IUBO, ULL. Sesquiterpenes as cancer multidrug resistance (MDR) modulators–facing a still unsolved problem Sandra Oramas Royo (15') ICIC, IUBO, ULL. Metal complexes in the development of new antitumoral drugs Nuria Ortega (15') ICIC, IUBO, ULL Synthesis of Lauroxanes: Active Marine Toxins from Red Algae Carla Ríos Luci (15') ICIC, IUBO, BioLab, ULL Strategies in mechanism elucidation of new antitumour compounds Juan Francisco León Oyola (20') ICIC, IPNA-CSIC, ULL “Humate soil as new source of mycophenolic analogs”	16:00-18:00
Invited speaker: Dr Grant McNaughton-Smith, ICIC, CEAMED SA "Why potency isn't everything...the long road to a new drug"	
Coffee Break	18:00 -18:30
KEYNOTE LECTURE (I) Chairperson: Sergio Moreno, CSIC-CIC, Salamanca	
Invited speaker: Dr Chris Norbury, Medical School, Oxford University "RNA turnover pathways as novel targets for anti-cancer drugs"	18:30-19:30
Opening Ceremony Local and Academic authorities, YCIC and FICIC representatives	19:30:00
Dinner	21:00:00

Friday, DECEMBER 11th, 2009

2nd Symposium: TUMOR GENOMICS AND MARKERS Chairpersons: Juan C. Díaz Chico, ICIC, ULPGC,	09:00–10:30
Luis Alberto Henríquez (20'), ICIC, ULPGC. "Molecular prediction of normal tissue chemo-radiation-induced toxicity and response" Cristina Bilbao (20'), ICIC, ULPGC. "Microsatellite instability predicts clinical outcome in radiation-treated endometrioid endometrial cancer"	

Elisa Bordón (20'), ICIC, UI Hospital Dr Negrín, Las Palmas. "Combination of radiotherapy and new antitumoral active compounds"	
1st Poster session (Coffee break area)	10:30-11:30
3rd Symposium: Molecular Biology Chairperson: Antonio Castrillo, ICIC, IIB-CSIC, Madrid	
Maira Almeida (15') ICIC, ULPGC "Dioxin-like carcinogens through the intake of dairy products "	
Cristina Ramírez (15'), ICIC, ULPGC "Cooperation between LXR and Caveolin-1 in regulation of cholesterol metabolism and inflammation"	11:30-13:00
Susana Beceiro (15'), ICIC, ULPGC "Identification of novel genes regulated by liver X receptors in macrophages"	
Jorge Marrero Alonso (15'), ICIC, ULL Transcriptional activities of newly developed tamoxifen derivatives.	
Museo Casa de Colón guided Tour	13:00-14:00
LUNCH	14:00 -16:00
4th Symposium: Molecular Biology and Biomedicine Chairpersons: Mario Díaz, ICIC, ULL and Rafael Zárate, FICIC	
Ruymán Santana (15'), ICIC, ULPGC. "Analysis of molecular mechanisms involved in the regulation of SOCS2 transcription: potential role of SREBP and LXR signaling pathways".	
Patricio Navarro Medina (15') ICIC, Hospital Univ. Insular de Gran Canaria Role of contamination by Persistent Organic Pollutants on Insulin Growth Factor levels and Bladder cancer: preliminary results	16:00-17:30
Gleyd Negrín (20') ICIC, ULPGC. Classification of Cell Death	
Invited speaker: Félix Machín, Research Unit, Hospital Univ. La Candelaria, Tenerife Cdc14-1 release causes an intense and long-lasting DNA damage response as cells enter a new cell cycle.	
2nd Poster session (Coffee break area)	17:30-18:00
KEYNOTE LECTURE (II) Chairperson: Leandro Fernández, ICIC, ULPGC	
Invited Speaker: Stefan Knapp, Professor of Structural Chemistry, University of Oxford. Insights into kinase regulation and selective inhibition by large scale structural comparison.	18:00-19:00
ICIC Assembly	19:00- 20:00
CLOSING DINNER	21:00

Saturday, DECEMBER 12th, 2009

KEYNOTE LECTURE (III) Chairperson: Juan Ruiz, ACHSI, Canary Islands Government	09:00–09:30
Invited Speaker: <i>Nicolás Díaz, ICIC, ULPGC</i> “CEAMED: An ICIC-born pharmaceutical company”	
KEYNOTE LECTURE (IV) Chairperson: Sergio moreno , CIC/CSIC , Univ Salamanca	09:30-10:30
Invited speaker: <i>Oscar Fernández-Capetillo, CNIO, Madrid</i> Can ageing be programmed in utero? Can you kill cancer cells by making them replicate faster?... and other DNA damage stories	
<i>Round table discussion with Oscar Fenández-Capetillo</i>	10:30-11:00
Coffee break	11:00-11:30
5th Symposium: Epidemiological Research Chairperson: Marta Lloret, ICIC, Hospital Dr Negrín, ULPGC	
Antonio Cabrera de León (30') ICIC, ULL, Research Unit, Hospital Univ. La Candelaria, Tenerife “The Canary Islands CDC: An epidemiological study on cardiovascular diseases, diabetes and cancer”	11:30–12:00
KEYNOTE LECTURE (V) Chairperson: Nicolás Díaz-Chico, ICIC, ULPGC	
Invited speaker: <i>Javier Dorta, ICIC, Hospital Univ. La Candelaria, Tenerife</i> Controversies in Oncology: Topoisomerase overexpression and Adriamicyn in breast cancer treatment»	12:00–13:00
Closing Ceremony	13:00:00
ICIC 2009 Awards	