

1ST ANNUAL MEETING



Helmholtz Virtual Institute

"Functional Nanomaterials for Multimodality Cancer Imaging"

(NanoTracking)

Dublin, October 14-16, 2012



Invited Lectures by



Piotr Grodzinski

Director of the NCI Office of Cancer Nanotechnology Research



Nils Cordes

Leader of the Molecular and Cellular Radiobiology group at the National Center for Radiation Research in Oncology (OncoRay)

AGENDA

Sunday, 14-10-2012		
Meeting Room: Seamount Suite, Radisson St. Helen's Hotel		
16:00 – 17:30	Registration	
17:30 - 18:00	Welcome addresses	Kenneth A. Dawson / Iseult Lynch (Director of the Centre for BioNano Interactions) Holger Stephan (Spokesperson – Helmholtz Virtual Institute NanoTracking)
18:00 – 19:00	Invited lecture – "Cancer Nanotechnology – from Innovation to Clinical Translation. View from the NCI Alliance for Nanotechnology in Cancer (NIH) in the United States"	Piotr Grodzinski (NCI Office of Cancer NanoTechnology Research)
From 19:00	Get-together & dinner Talavera Restaurant (Radisson)	

Monday	, 15-10-2012
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		Monday, 15-10-2012	
Ardmore House, UCD main campus, Belfield (building No.4 on map)			
09:00 - 10:00	Invited lecture "EGFR targeting in radiation oncology"	Nils Cordes (OncoRay - National Center for Radiation Research in Oncology)	
10:00 – 10:30	Coffee break		
10:30 - 12:30	Work package 1 Surface functionalization, radiolabeling, and in vitro / in vivo studies of modified NPs Short introduction by PI (5 min) Short talks (10 min each + 5 min discussion)	Holger Stephan – Introduction & Chair Silke Fähnemann - Potential of bispidines for radiopharmaceutical applications Manja Kubeil — Cyclampropionic acid derivatives -a versatile chelating system for multifunctionalization Julia Hesse — Biofunctionalization of TACN ligands Karina P. Garcia — Functionalization of USPIOs Katrin Viehweger — EGF-receptor binding studies with native and new developed ligands Kristof Zarschler — Single domain antibodies as alternative targeting moieties Katja Zscheppang — Cellular uptake and protein interactions of nanoparticles	
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch break		
14:00 – 15:00	Work package 2 Development of Si-NPs for cancer imaging using dual + multimodal probes Short introduction by PI (5 min) Short talks (10 min each + 5 min discussion)	Luisa De Cola – Introduction & Chair Nadia Licciadello – Preparation and characterization of capped silicon nanoparticles Chien-Wei Hsu – Synthesis and functionalization of silicon nanoparticles David Kennedy – Applications of carbohydrate-functionalized nanoparticles	
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break		

15:30 – 17:00	Work package 3	Peter Comba – Introduction & Chair
	Design and synthesis of copper-selective ligands with sites for functionalization Short introduction by PI (5 min) Short talks (10 min each + 5 min discussion)	Henning Rudolf – Novel bispidine ligands Michael Morgen – Functionalization of bispidines Arina Rybina – Characterization of a fluorescent bispidine ligand Dominik Brox – Chemical reactions in high-resolution microscopy Bodo Martin – Property prediction based on atomic charges of transition metal complexes: water-octanol correlations
17:00 – 18:00	Introduction of SAC members 30 min each	Sylvia S. Jurisson Roger Alberto
From 19:00	Social event + Meeting Dinner (La Panto @ Radisson St. Helen's Hotel)	

		Tuesday, 16-10-2012		
Ardmore House, UCD main campus, Belfield (building No.4 on map)				
09:00 - 10:35	Work package 4 Development of USPIOs and UCNPs for cancer imaging using dual and multimodal probes Short introduction by PI (5 min) Short talks (10 min each + 5 min discussion)	Leone Spiccia – Introduction & Chair Leone Spiccia – Functionalized nanoparticles as imaging agents for cancer William O'Malley – New reagents and strategies for the assembly of multi-modal imaging agents Lisa Barbaro – Nanoparticle-based agents for multimodal imaging of cancer		

10:35 – 12:30	Work package 5 Establishment of the safety profile and bionanointeractions of the cancer imaging nanoparticles Short introduction by PI (5 min) Short talks (10 min each + 5 min discussion)	Iseult Lynch – Introduction & Chair Eugene Mahon – Challenges in labelling & targetting nanoparticles Anna Salvati – Importance of cell cycle for internal nanoparticle dose Kanlaya Prapainop – TrfR-targetted nanoparticles - assessment of targeting in situ Marco Monopoli – Adapting corona approaches for ultra-small particles
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 – 15:00	Discussion of Initial Training Network "Probes for multimodal imaging and theranostics"	Dirk-Peter Herten
15:00 – 16:00	Meeting of Group leaders & SAC	
16:00 – 16:15	Closing remarks	