

**Conference Program**  
**The Sixth International Cell Death**  
**Society Symposium**  
**Nice, France**  
**2007**

<b>Friday 8. June 2007</b>	
<b>1:45-2:00pm</b>	<b>Chair: Zahra Zakeri, Introduction and Welcome</b>
<b>Session I</b>	<b>Control of Apoptosis</b>
<b>Chair: Ray Birge</b>	
<b>2:00-2:30pm</b>	<b>Genetic control of apoptosis in the nematode <i>C. elegans</i></b>  <b>Michael Hengartner:</b>
<b>2:30-3:00pm</b>	<b>Intracellular calcium signals as modulators of the apoptotic cell-death process</b>  <b>Soraya Smaili:</b>
<b>3:00-3:30pm</b>	<b>Mouse models to study the function of the BH3-only members of the Bcl-2 family</b>  <b>Philippe Bouillet</b>

<b>3:30-4:00pm</b>	<b>Regulation of apoptosis by p53</b> <b>Karen Vousden</b>
<b>4:00-4:30pm</b>	<b>Mitochondria, apoptosis, and p53</b> <b>Doug Green</b>
<b>4:30-4:45pm</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>4:45-5:00pm</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>Saturday 9. June 2007</b>	
<b>Session II</b>	<b>Caspases in Inflammation and Immunity</b>
<b>Chair: Amedeo Columbano</b>	
<b>9:00-9:30am</b>	<b>The oncogenic tyrosine kinase Lyn and cell death</b> <b>Sandrine Marchetti</b>
<b>9:30-10:00am</b>	<b>The inflammatory caspases in apoptosis and innate immunity</b> <b>Maya Saleh</b>
<b>10:00-10:15am</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>10:15-10:30am</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>10:30-11:00am</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>

<b>Session III</b>	<b>Cell Death and Melanoma</b>
<b>Chair: Sandra Zinkel</b>	
<b>11:00-11:30am</b>	<b>The role of MITF transcription factor in melanoma cell death and survival</b> <b>Corine Bertolotto</b>
<b>11:30-12:00pm</b>	<b>Pharmacological activation of the apoptotic machinery to overcome chemoresistance of malignant melanoma</b> <b>Maria S. Soengas</b>
<b>12:00- 12:30pm</b>	<b>Xeno-cannibalism of lymphocytes by metastatic melanoma cells: a survival strategy</b> <b>Walter Malorni</b>
<b>12:30-2:30pm</b>	<b>LUNCH &amp; POSTER SESSION</b>
<b>Session IV</b>	<b>Cell death and Diseases</b>
<b>Chair: Jean Ehrland-Ricci</b>	
<b>2:30-3:00pm</b>	<b>Walking the pathways of death and senescence in clinical cancer therapy</b>

	<b>Peter Daniel</b>
<b>3:00-3:15pm</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>3:15-3:30pm</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>3:30-4:00pm</b>	<b>Huntington's disease: huntingtin function and the control of apoptosis</b> <b>Frederic Saudou</b>
<b>4:00-4:30pm</b>	<b>p53 in Neurodegeneration</b> <b>Frederic Checler:</b>
<b>4:30-5:00pm</b>	<b>Patrick Auberger</b>
<b>Sunday 10. June 2007</b>	
<b>Session V</b>	<b>Death and Dependence Receptors</b>
<b>Chair: Roya Khosravi-Far</b>	
<b>9:00-9:30am</b>	<b>Dependence receptors as conditional tumor suppressors</b> <b>Patrick Mehlen</b>
<b>9:30-10:00am</b>	<b>TRAIL, more than a licence to kill tumor cells</b> <b>Thomi Brunner</b>

10:00-10:30am	<p>Palmitoylation is required for Fas to trigger cell death signaling</p> <p>Anne-Odile Hueber</p>
10:30- 11:00	Coffee Break
Session VI	<b>Differentiation and Death</b>
Chair: Marie-Lise Gougeon	
11:00-11:30am	<p>The transcription factor NF-kappaB at the crossroads of survival or death in cancer cells</p> <p>Jean-Francois Peyron</p>
11:30-12:00pm	<p>The role of caspases in the differentiation of monocytes into macrophages</p> <p>Eric Solary</p>
12:00-12:15pm	Short Talk
12:15-12:30pm	Short Talk
12:30-2:30pm	LUNCH & POSTER SESSION
Session VII	<b>Bcl-2 Family Members</b>

<b>Chair: Nader Maghsudi</b>	
<b>2:30-3:00pm</b>	<b>Role of Bcl-2 family members in cancer development and treatment resistance</b>  <b>Christoph Borner</b>
<b>3:00-3:30pm</b>	<b>Control of macroautophagy by calcium and Bcl-2</b>  <b>Marja Jäättelä</b>
<b>3:30-3:45pm</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>3:45-4:00pm</b>	<b>Short Talk</b>
<b>4:00-4:30pm</b>	<b>Mechanisms of outer mitochondrial membrane permeabilization</b>  <b>Jean-Claude Martinou</b>
<b>4:30-5:00pm</b>	<b>Wrap-up</b>  <b>Seamus Martin</b>