



Program

3rd Cancer Crosslinks 2011

January 13th, 2011 – Auditorium, New Research Building at the Radiumhospital

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION	
8:30 - 9:30	REGISTRATION & COFFEE
9:30 - 9:40	Cancer Crosslinks: Objectives and Organizers <i>Jónas Einarsson, Chairman of the Board, Oslo Cancer Cluster</i>
9:40 - 10:00	Collaborative researches in Bristol-Myers Squibb <i>Josette Renard, European Lead, Collaborative Science Center of Excellence</i>
SESSION 1: Clinical update – Tumor microenvironment	
Chairs: Tone Ikdahl, Oslo University Hospital & Fridtjof Lund-Johansen, Oslo University Hospital	
10:00 - 10:20	Introduction of topic and speakers <i>Tone Ikdahl & Fridtjof Lund Johansen, both: Oslo University Hospital</i>
10:20 - 11:05	Angiogenesis – preclinical & clinical perspectives <i>Lars Akslen, The Gade Institute, University of Bergen & Oddbjørn Straume, Haukeland University Hospital, Bergen</i>
11:05 - 11:30	COFFEE & NETWORKING BREAK
11:30 - 12:20	Targeting tumor stroma interactions / therapeutic response of tumor vs. stroma <i>Hanne Arenberg Askautrud, University of Oslo & Hans Petter Eikesdal, Haukeland University Hospital, Bergen</i>
12:20 - 13:05	Exploiting the immune system to fight cancer / Tumor inflammation <i>Christian Kersten, Sørlandet Hospital & Kimmo Porkka, Helsinki University Central Hospital</i>
13:05 - 13:10	Wrap-Up
13:10 - 14:15	LUNCH & NETWORKING BREAK
SESSION 2: Clinical update – targeted therapies	
Chairs: Jürgen Geisler, Akershus University Hospital & Franz Gruber, University of Tromsø	
14:15 - 14:35	Introduction: Scientific breakthroughs vs. clinical challenges <i>Jürgen Geisler, Akershus University Hospital & Franz Gruber, University of Tromsø</i>
14:35 - 15:20	Genetic changes and signalling pathways – therapeutic and diagnostic impact <i>Hans Kristian Moen Vollan & Olav Engebråten, both: Oslo University Hospital</i>
15:20 - 16:05	The role of MDM2 polymorphisms in cancer <i>Stian Knappskog & Per Eystein Lønning, both: Haukeland University Hospital</i>
16:05 - 16:30	COFFEE & NETWORKING BREAK
16:30 - 17:15	New targeted therapies entering the clinic - perspectives from oncology & hematology <i>Daniel Heinrich, Akershus University Hospital & Franz Gruber, University of Tromsø</i>
17:15 - 17:20	Wrap-up
CLOSING SESSION: Clinical trials – Why and how?	
17:20 - 18:00	Optimal design of clinical trials: status-quo, challenges and perspectives for Norway and the Nordics <i>Kjell Magne Tveit, Oslo University Hospital & Gunnar Saeter, MSD Norway</i>
18:00 - 20:30	NETWORKING EVENING WITH TAPAS & WINE <i>(Radiumhospitalet Hotell, Stråleterapibyget)</i>

