

A Year in Review: Molecular Characterization
Metropolitan Club of New York - BTC Retreat - 9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Friday, March 5th, 2010

	Welcome
10:00 a.m.	Eric Holland, MD, PhD , BTC Director
	Physical Science-Oncology Center Overview
10:05	Franziska Michor, PhD , Computational Biology
	Moderator: Philip Gutin, MD, BTC Co-Executive Director
	Keynote Address
10:15	Paul Mischel, MD , BTC External Advisory Board; University of California, Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
	Moderator: Simon Powell, MD, PhD, Radiation Oncology
11:15	Lindy Barrett, PhD , Cancer Biology & Genetics, <i>The role of Id proteins in GBM tumorigenesis (2009 Grant Winner)</i>
11:30	Robert Young, MD & Kathryn Beal, MD , Radiology & Radiation Oncology, <i>Using advanced MR imaging to determine high risk areas in patients with malignant high grade gliomas and potential changes in radiation therapy (2008 Grant Winner)</i>
11:45	Timothy Chan, MD, PhD , Radiation Oncology, <i>Understanding the function of the tyrosine phosphatase PTPRD, a frequently inactivated and mutated tumor suppressor in glioblastoma (2009 Grant Winner)</i>
12:00 p.m.	Poster Session* (Voting Competition)
1:00	Luncheon (Poster Session Continued)
	Moderator: Lisa DeAngelis, MD, BTC Co-Executive Director
	Panel on Molecular Characterization
1:30	Andrew Lassman, MD , Neurology (2007 & 2009 Grant Winner)
	Jason Huse, MD, PhD , Pathology (2009 Grant Winner)
	Cameron Brennan, MD , Neurosurgery (2008 Grant Winner)
	Ingo Mellinghoff, MD , Neurology (2009 Grant Winner)
	Moderator: Alexandra Joyner, PhD, Developmental Biology
2:15	Oren Becher, MD , Pediatrics, <i>Using RCAS tv-a system to model brainstem gliomas (2008 & 2009 Grant Winner)</i>
2:30	Teodoro Pulvirenti, PhD , Cell Biology, <i>Wnt signaling in gliomas and the control of stem-like, glioma fate (2009 Grant Winner)</i>
2:45	2009 Highlights, Awards and Closing Remarks
	Eric Holland, MD, PhD , BTC Director
	Desert Horse-Grant , BTC Program Administrator

***Posters by Select 2008-2009 BTC Grant Recipients**

Bipin Bhatia, PhD, Cancer Biology & Genetics, *Tumor suppressor TSC2 inactivation and p27 mislocalization in brain development and medulloblastoma (2008 Grant Winner)*

Steven Foster, PhD, Molecular Biology, *The link between covalent protein-DNA lesion formation and repair in neurons and medulloblastoma development (2008 Grant Winner)*

Ruimin Huang, PhD, Cancer Biology & Genetics, *Non-Invasive bioluminescence imaging of antiangiogenic effects on gliomas in VEGF/VEGFR2 reporter mouse models (2008 Grant Winner)*

Tatsuya Ozawa, MD, PhD, Cancer Biology & Genetics, *The discovery of the genetic events cooperating with NF1 inactivation in gliomagenesis (2009 Grant Winner)*

***Posters by BTC Departmental Faculty, Fellows & Students**

Neurosurgery

Bradley Elder
Nicholas Szerlip
Neal Luther

Neurology

Elena Bazzoli
Kevin DeBraganca
Samuel Goldlust
& Lakshmi Nayak
Jerome Graber
Christopher Grommes
Mustafa Khasraw

Radiation Oncology

Christopher Barker
Ranjit Bindra

Cancer Biology & Genetics

Rebecca Bish
Africa Fernandez
Elena Fomchenko
Cemile Guldal
Dolores Hambardzumyan
Stephanie Harris
Amanda Katz
Lori Mainwaring
Massimo Squatrito

Developmental Biology

Praveen Raju

Molecular Pharmacology

Clare LeFave

Molecular Biology

Yuhui Liu
& Nancy Yeh

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