

UKMF Spring Day

Wednesday 13th March 2013



Brunei Gallery, School of Oriental and African Studies, London WC1H 0XG

09.00 *Registration*

09.30 Welcome and introduction

09.40 Targeting survival pathways

Prof Asim Khwaja
University College London

10.10 Potential for cellular therapy in MM

Dr Gavin Bendle
University of Birmingham

10.40 *Coffee*

IMW bursary winners

11.15 Lenalidomide redresses the effector T cell:
T_{reg} cell imbalance in patients with multiple myeloma

Dr Chris Parrish
*St James's University Hospital,
Leeds*

11.30 Stable epigenetic reprogramming of bone marrow
mesenchymal stem cells is seen in patients with
multiple myeloma

Dr Sarah Essex
University of Birmingham

11.45 Targeting the protein processing machinery

Dr Faith Davies
Institute of Cancer Research

12.15 Early phase studies – the cutting edge

Dr Rakesh Popat
University College London Hospitals

12.45 Update on the Myeloma UK CTN

Dr Heather McKinnon
Myeloma UK

13.00 *Lunch*

14.00 **Michael Morley Lecture:**
Targeting the cell cycle myeloma-mechanism
and therapy

Dr Selina Chen-Kiang
*Weill Cornell Medical College,
New York*

15.00 *Coffee*

ASH bursary winners

15.30 Clinical drug resistance linked to inter-convertible
phenotypic and functional states of tumour-propagating
cells in multiple myeloma

Dr Aristeidis Chaidos
Imperial College London

15.45 Intra-clonal heterogeneity is a critical early event
in the preclinical stages of multiple myeloma using
targeted capture and massively parallel sequencing

Dr Lorenzo Melchor
Institute of Cancer Research

16.00 The impact of thalidomide maintenance therapy
varies dependent upon biological risk grouping

Dr Annamaria Brioli
Institute of Cancer Research

16.25 *Close*

Registration Fee: £60 (£40 for Scientists and Nurses)

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