



Pittsburgh Symposium on Molecular and Cellular Imaging

MRI PET Optical Ultrasound

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Carnegie Mellon University
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April 3rd, 1:00 pm – 5:45 pm (reception to follow)
April 4th, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Molecular and Cellular Imaging enable the visualization of cellular trafficking, cellular function, and molecular processes in living organisms. In the coming years, these rapidly developing disciplines will provide an avenue to translate basic biomedical science to clinical breakthroughs for numerous diseases and cancers, as well as a means to monitor drug targeting and cellular therapies. Carnegie Mellon University and the University of Pittsburgh will host a 1-1/2 day symposium on Cellular and Molecular Imaging to showcase current cutting-edge research in areas of Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), Positron Emission Tomography (PET), Optical Microscopy, and Ultrasound.

Invited Speakers

Joseph J. H. Ackerman, Washington University
Eric T. Ahrens, Carnegie Mellon University
Ronald Blasberg, Memorial Sloan-Kettering
Cancer Center
Fernando Boada, University of Pittsburgh
Kevin M. Brindle, University of Cambridge
Jeffrey W. M. Bulte, Johns Hopkins University
Christopher H. Contag, Stanford University
W. Gordon Frankle, University of Pittsburgh
Scott E. Fraser, California Institute of Technology
Chien Ho, Carnegie Mellon University
Alan P. Koretsky, National Institutes of Health
Paul Kulesa, Stowers Institute for Medical Research
Chester Mathis, University of Pittsburgh
Martin G. Pomper, John Hopkins University
Stephen H. Thorne, University of Pittsburgh
Flordeliza S. Villanueva, University of Pittsburgh
Alan S. Waggoner, Carnegie Mellon University
Erik C. Wiener, University of Pittsburgh

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