

COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT

PATHOLOGY/ONCOLOGY 500B

THE BIOLOGY OF HUMAN CANCER

Offered by the Departments of Pathology and Oncology at the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, at the University of Western Ontario, this graduate course will focus on critical review of the literature as a basis to understand and participate in monthly Investigational New Drug (IND) Seminars at the London Regional Cancer Program

LECTURE SCHEDULE

January 11th to April 12th, 2011

Tuesday afternoons: 2:00–3:30pm

Room A3-924a&b, London Regional Cancer Program, Victoria Hospital

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Wednesday afternoons: 12-1pm—(Jan 19, Feb 16, Mar 16)

Room A1-153 & 155, London Regional Cancer Program, Victoria Hospital

Pathology/Oncology 500B comprises the following:

1. An introductory lecture on the topic of the upcoming IND Seminar.
2. Three journal club sessions where students will present and discuss published papers directly related to one of the IND Seminars
3. Attendance and participation in the 3 IND Seminars

Enrolment Limit: 36 (graduate students, medical students, residents, faculty only)
Note: This course is a CIHR-STP requisite. Auditing permitted

Grading: Based on participation, attendance and presentation

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NOTE: IND Seminar titles are tentative at the time of this printing. Final topics and titles will be sent to all Pathology/Oncology registrants when they are finalized.

To register for this course, please contact:

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January 11, 2011	Dr. Jim Koropatnick, Director, Cancer Research Labs, LRCP & Departments of Oncology, Microbiology & Immunology, Physiology & Pharmacology, and Pathology	Introduction to Pathology/Oncology 500b
January 18, 2011	Dr. Jim Koropatnick	Introduction to IND Seminar #1 (Retinoic Acid—stem cells, differentiation)
January 19, 2011	IND SEMINAR #1 “Retinoic Acid Receptor Agonists (RARA) for Cancer Treatment”	
January 25, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar #1
February 1, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar #1
February 8, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar #1
February 15, 2011	To Be Announced	Introduction to IND Seminar #2
February 16, 2011	IND SEMINAR # 2 “Inhibitors of oncogenic β-RAF kinase as drugs to treat melanoma and other tumours”	
February 22, 2011	NO CLASSES—Reading Week	
March 1, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar # 2
March 8, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar # 2
March 15, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar # 2
March 16, 2011	IND SEMINAR # 3 “Viruses as Anticancer Agents”	
March 22, 2011	To Be Announced	Introduction/Debrief of IND Seminar #3
March 29, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar #3
April 5, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar #3
April 12, 2011	Presentations	Journal Club presentations relating to IND seminar #3
April 20, 2011	IND SEMINAR # 4 (optional)	