

*Modification Permit for Permit BIO-UWO-0008*

*Permit Holder: Lina Dagnino*

**Approved Personnel**

**(Please stroke out any personnel to be removed)**

Lylia Nini  
David Judah  
Ernest Ho  
Timothy Irvine  
Kerry-Ann Nakrieko

**Additional Personnel**

**(Please list additional personnel here)**

Randeep Singh  
Amanda Mae Gillivan

	<b>Please stroke out any approved Biohazards to be removed below</b>	<b>Write additional Biohazards for approval below. *</b>
<b>Approved Microorganisms</b>	E. Coli DH5 alpha	
<b>Approved Cells</b>	Human (primary), rodent (primary), human (established) HeLa, HEK 293, Rodent (established) NIH-3T3 fibroblasts	HEK 293T cells MEL-5 melanoma cells
<b>Approved Use of Human Source Material</b>		
<b>Approved GMO</b>	Adenovirus	
<b>Approved use of Animals</b>		

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BioSafety Officer(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Chair, Biohazards Subcommittee: \_\_\_\_\_

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Approved Toxin(s)

Cholera toxin

Other reagents requested for approval :  
The following plasmids :

pMD2.G  
pSPAX2

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HEK 293T: They are used to produce adenovirus, and also to conduct experiments in the laboratory that allow overexpression of proteins.

The MEL-5 cell line will be used to study mechanisms of transfer of melanin-containing granules into epidermal keratinocytes.

The plasmids will be used to produce vectors encoding shRNAs to knockdown protein expression in target cells.

# Summary of Approvals for Permit BIO-UWO-0008

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Approved Personnel (Please stroke out any personnel to be removed)

Ernest Ho  
 Timothy Irvine  
 Kerry-Ann Nakrieko  
~~Agniescka Pajak~~  
~~Jordauka Ivanova~~  
~~Wing Chang~~

Additional Personnel

David Judth  
 Lylia Nini

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BioSafety Officer(s): Stanley June 23/08

Thursday, March 27, 2008

Chair, Biohazards Subcommittee: G.M. Keller Page 1 of 2  
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Used as additive in culture medium for  
mouse primary keratinocytes

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*Stanley*

Thursday, March 27, 2008

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THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO  
BIOHAZARDOUS AGENTS REGISTRY FORM  
Revised Biohazards Subcommittee: January, 2007

This form must be completed by each Principal Investigator holding a grant administered by the University of Western Ontario where the use of biohazardous infectious agents are described in the experimental work proposed. The form must also be completed if animal work is proposed involving the use of biohazardous agents or animal carrying zoonotic agents infectious to humans. Containment Levels will be required in accordance with Laboratory Biosafety Guidelines, 3rd edition, 2004, Health Canada (HC) or Containment Standards for Veterinary Facilities, 1<sup>st</sup> edition 1996, Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA).

Completed forms are to be returned to Occupational Health and Safety (Stevenson-Lawson Building, Room 60) for forward to the Biohazard Subcommittee. For questions regarding this form, please contact the Biosafety Coordinator at extension 81135. If there are changes to the information on this form (excluding grant title and funding agencies) modifications must be completed and sent to Occupational Health and Safety. See website: [www.uwo.ca/humanresources](http://www.uwo.ca/humanresources)

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Location of experimental work to be carried out: Building(s) SDR1 Room(s) 220, 230, 231  
\*For work being performed at Institutions affiliated with the University of Western Ontario, the Safety Officer for the Institution where experiments will take place must sign the form prior to it being sent to Occupational Health and Safety (See Section 12.0, Approvals). For research being done at Lawson Health Research Institute, London Regional Cancer Centre, Child and Parent Research Institute or Robarts Research Institute, University Biosafety Committee members can also sign as the Safety Officer.

TITLE OF GRANT(S):  
Molecular Mechanisms of epidermal formation and regeneration

PLEASE ATTACH A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF YOUR WORK, SUCH A THE RESEARCH GRANT SUMMARY(S) THAT EXPLAINS THE BIOHAZARDS USED. PROJECTS SUBMITTED WITHOUT A SUMMARY WILL NOT BE REVIEWED. (Please see last page)

FUNDING AGENCY/AGENCIES CIHR

Names of all personnel working under Principal Investigators supervision in this location:

- i) K. A. Nakrieko
- ii) T. Irvine
- iii) E. Ho
- iv) \_\_\_\_\_
- v) \_\_\_\_\_

## 1.0 Microorganisms

1.1 Does your work involve the use of microorganisms or biological agents of plant or animal origin (including but not limited to viruses, prions, parasites, bacteria)?  YES  NO  
If no, please proceed to Section 2.0

1.2 Please complete the table below:

Name of Biological agent(s)	Is it known to be a human pathogen? YES/NO	Is it known to be an animal pathogen? YES/NO	Is it known to be a zoonotic agent? YES/NO	Maximum quantity to be cultured at one time?
DH5d <i>E. coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	2L
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
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	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

1.3 For above named organism(s) or biological agent(s) circle HC or CFIA Containment Level required.

(1) 2 3

1.4 Source of microorganism(s) or biological agent(s)? Originally purchased

## 2.0 Cell Culture

2.1 Does your work involve the use of cell cultures?  
If no, please proceed to Section 3.0

YES  NO

2.2 Please indicate the type of primary cells (ie. derived from fresh tissue) that will be grown in culture in the table below

Cell Type	Is this cell type used in your work?	Source of Primary Cell Culture Tissue
Human	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<del>Human</del> <u>Epithelial tumor</u> <del>HeLa cells (isolated from HeLa)</del>
Rodent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Epidermis
Non-human primate	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Other (specify)	None	

2.3 Please indicate the type of established cells that will be grown in culture in the table below.

Cell Type	Is this cell type used in your work?	Specific cell line(s)	Supplier / Source
Human	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	HeLa, HEK293	ATCC
Rodent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	NIH-3T3 Fibroblasts	Dr. Tini's lab
Non-human primate	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

2.4 For above named cell types(s) circle HC or CFIA containment level required 1 (2) 3

\* DESCRIPTION MUST BE ATTACHED TO THIS FORM OR PROJECT WILL NOT BE REVIEWED \*

### 3.0 Use of Human Source Materials

3.1 Does your work involve the use of human source materials?  YES  NO  
If no, please proceed to Section 4.0

3.2 Indicate if the following will be used in the laboratory

- ◆ Human blood (whole) or other bodily fluids  YES  NO If YES, Specify \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Human blood (fraction) or other bodily fluids  YES  NO If YES, Specify \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Human organs (unpreserved)  YES  NO If YES, Specify \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Human tissues (unpreserved)  YES  NO If YES, Specify \_\_\_\_\_

3.3 Is human source known to be infected with and infectious agent  YES  NO  
If YES, please name infectious agent \_\_\_\_\_

3.4 For above named materials circle HC or CFIA containment level required. 1 2 3

### 4.0 Genetically Modified Organisms and Cell lines

4.1 Will genetic modifications be made to the microorganisms, biological agents or cells described in Sections 1.0 and 2.0?  YES  NO  
If no, please proceed to Section 5.0

4.2 Will genetic sequences from the following be involved:

- ◆ HIV  YES  NO  
if YES specify \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ HTLV 1 or 2 or genes from any CDC class 1 pathogens  YES  NO  
if YES specify \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Other human or animal pathogen and or their toxins  YES  NO  
if YES specify \_\_\_\_\_

4.3 Will intact genetic sequences be used from

- ◆ SV 40 Large T antigen  YES  NO If YES specify \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Known oncogenes  YES  NO If YES specify \_\_\_\_\_

4.4 Will a live vector(s) (viral or bacterial) be used for gene transduction  YES  NO  
If YES name virus Adenovirus.

4.5 List specific vector(s) to be used: Adenovirus

4.6 Will virus be replication defective  YES  NO

4.7 Will virus be infectious to humans or animals  YES  NO

4.8 Will this be expected to increase the Containment Level required  YES  NO

**5.0 Human Gene Therapy Trials**

5.1 Will human clinical trials using the viral vector in 4.0 be conducted?  YES  NO  
If no, please proceed to Section 6.0  
If YES attach a full description of the make-up of the virus.

5.2 Will virus be able to replicate in the host?  YES  NO

5.3 How will the virus be administered? \_\_\_\_\_

5.4 Please give the Health Care Facility where the clinical trial will be conducted: \_\_\_\_\_

5.5 Has human ethics approval been obtained?  YES  NO

**6.0 Animal Experiments**

6.1 Will any of the agents listed be used in live animals?  YES  NO  
If no, please proceed to section 7.0

6.2 Name of animal species to be used \_\_\_\_\_

6.3 AUS protocol # \_\_\_\_\_

6.4 If using murine cell lines, have they been tested for murine pathogens?  YES  NO

**7.0 Use of Animal species with Zoonotic Hazards**

7.1 Will any of the following animals or their organs, tissues, lavages or other bodily fluids including blood be used:

- ◆ Pound source dogs  YES  NO
- ◆ Pound source cats  YES  NO
- ◆ Sheep or goats  YES  NO
- ◆ Non- Human Primates  YES  NO If YES specify species \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Wild caught animals  YES  NO If YES specify species \_\_\_\_\_  
colony # \_\_\_\_\_

**8.0 Biological Toxins**

8.1 Will toxins of biological origin be used?  YES  NO  
If no, please proceed to Section 9.0

8.2 If YES, please name the toxin \_\_\_\_\_

8.3 What is the LD<sub>50</sub> (specify species) of the toxin \_\_\_\_\_

9.0 Import Requirements

9.1 Will the agent be imported?

YES NO

If no, please proceed to Section 10.0

If yes, country of origin \_\_\_\_\_

9.2 Has an Import Permit been obtained from HC for human pathogens? YES NO

9.3 Has an import permit been obtained from CFIA for animal pathogens? YES NO

9.4 Has the import permit been sent to OHS? YES NO  
If yes, Permit # \_\_\_\_\_

10.0 Training Requirements for Personnel named on Form

All personnel named on the above form who will be using any of the above named agents are required to attend the following training courses given by OHS

- ◆ Biosafety
- ◆ Laboratory and Environmental/Waste Management Safety
- ◆ WHMIS

As the Principal Investigator, I have ensured that all of the personnel named on the form who will be using any of the biohazardous agents in Sections 1.0 to 9.0 have been trained.

SIGNATURE Laura Dags

11.0 Containment Levels

11.1 For the work described in sections 1.0 to 9.0, please circle the highest HC or CFIA Containment Level required. 1 (2) 3

11.2 Has the facility been certified by OHS for this level of containment? YES NO

11.3 If yes, please give the date and permit number: BIO - UWO - 0008P

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12.0 Approvals

UWO Biohazard Subcommittee

Signature E.M. Kider Date 24 Sept. 07

Safety Officer for Institution where experiments will take place

Signature Jennifer Stanley Date Sept. 20/07

Safety Officer for University of Western Ontario (if different than above)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_