ONCOLOGY GRAND ROUNDS

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

12:00 to 1:00 p.m. in Rooms A3-924A/B
London Regional Cancer Program

“Harnessing the power of macrophages in killing tumor cells in the era of cancer immunotherapy”

Presenter:
Saman Maleki, PhD (Dr. Koropatnick’s lab)

Objectives:
- Innate checkpoint inhibitors and how they suppress tumor immunity
- CD47-targeting agents
- Toxicities associated with CD47-targeting drugs

“Characterizing the role of Thymine DNA Glycosylase in cancer”

Presenter:
Haider Hassan, PhD Candidate (Dr. Torchia’s lab)

Objectives:
- TDG is important for active DNA demethylation of genes in response to stimuli
- Active DNA demethylation is important for gene transcription
- Conditional deletion of TDG in vivo leads to DNA hypermethylation of target genes and a high prevalence of liver cancer

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