Final Program Pathophysiology and Molecular Biology of Hematopoiesis, Malignancy and Radiation Response: A Symposium in Memory of Eugene P. Cronkite

		Day 1	- May 10, 2006				
Welcome & Dedication							
9:00 am – 9:10 am		Chaudhari, F Brookhaven	PhD National Laboratory				
9:10 am – 9:25 am	Rai KR – Overview of Gene Cronkite's contributions to Hematopoiesis, Radiation Response and Clinical Medicine.						
9:25 am – 9:30 am	Feinende	gen LE – Ac	Iministrative briefing				
	<u>Leu</u>	kemogenes	sis				
9:30 am – 9:50 am	Chairman	: Rai KR					
9:35 am – 9:55 am	Rocheste		y of Rochester Medical School, haracterization and targeting of				
9:50 am – 10:10 am			Jniversity, Columbus, OH – RNA signature with prognosis of				
10:10 am – 10:30 am			Y, Stony Brook, NY - Radiation Proteomic Approach.				
10:35 am – 10:45 am	Coffee Br	eak					
10:45 am – 11:30 am	Discussio	'n					

Management of Hematologic Disorders – Part I

Chairman: Shadduck RK

11:30 am – 11:50 am	Shadduck RK, Western Pennsylvania Cancer Institute, Pittsburgh, PA - Diagnosis and treatment of myelodysplastic syndrome.
11:50 am – 1:05 pm	Lunch
1:05 pm – 1:25 pm	Rai KR, Long Island Jewish Medical Center, New Hyde Park, NY – Pathophysiologic mechanisms of leukemia and their application to therapy.
1:25 pm – 1:45 pm	Deininger M, Oregon Health and Science University, Portland, OR – Optimal therapy for chronic myelogenous leukemia.
1:45 pm – 2:05 pm	Champlin RE, MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX - Role of transplantation in treatment of chronic leukemia.
2:05 pm – 2:20 pm	Coffee Break
2:20 pm – 3:05 pm	Discussion

Management of Hematologic Disorders – Part II

Chairman: Anderson K

3:05 pm – 3:25 pm	Anderson K, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, MA – Targeted therapy of multiple myeloma based on tumor-microenvironmental interactions.
3:25 pm – 3:45 pm	Stone R, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, MA – Novel approaches to treat adult acute myelogenous leukemia.
3:45 pm – 4:05 pm	Shreeve WW, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, NY; SUNY, Stony Brook, NY – Use of isotopes in the diagnosis of erythrocyte disorders.
4:05 pm – 4:25 pm	Goodnough LT, Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA – Iron-restricted erythropoiesis in patients receiving erythropoietic therapy.
4:25 pm – 4:40 pm	Coffee Break
4:40 pm – 5:25 pm	Discussion

Day 2

- May 11, 2006

Regulation of Hematopoiesis

Chairman: Inoue T*

9:00 am – 9:20 am	Broxmeyer HE, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN - Regulation of hematopoiesis: from cytokines to chemokines.
9:20 am – 9:40 am	Lapidot T, The Weitzmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel - Role of SDF1 in stem cell trafficking of primitive blood precursor cells.
9:40 am – 10:00 am	Moore, KA, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ - Molecular Mechanisms in the Hematopoietic Microenvironment.
10:00 am – 10:20 am	Walkley CR, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, MA - Control of self-renewal and differentiation of hematopoietic stem cells by negative cell-cycle regulators.
10:20 am – 10:40 am	Moore, MA, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY - Flt-3, stem cell renewal and leukemia.
10:40 am – 10:55 am	Coffee Break
10:55 am – 11:40 am	Discussion
11:40 am – 12:55 pm	Lunch
	Low-Dose Radiation Effects
	Chairman: Feinendegen LE
12:55 pm – 1:15 pm	Feinendegen LE, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, NY; Heinrich-Heine University, Dusseldorf, Germany – System responses to low-level exposure.

1:15 pm – 1:35 pm Ponnaiya B, Center for Radiological Research, RARAF, Irvington, NY – Imaging individual bystander cell effects using a charged-particle microbeam to precisely deliver radiation.

1:35 pm – 1:55 pm	03/08/06 Mothersill C, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada – Radiation-induced bystander signalling mechanisms – implications for haematological malignancies.
1:55 pm – 2:15 pm	Albanese, J, Yale New Haven Health System, New Haven, CT – Gene expression profiling after low-dose exposure to radiation in man.
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	Coffee Break
2:30 pm – 3:15 pm	Discussion

Accidental Exposure to Ionizing Radiation

Chairman: Fliedner TM

3:15 pm – 3:35 pm	Fliedner TM, University of Ulm, Ulm, Germany - Pathophysiologic principles of radiation exposure and accident triage.
3:35 pm – 3:55 pm	Dainiak N, Bridgeport Hospital, Yale University School of Medicine, Bridgeport, CT – Management of mass casualties from a radiological event.
3:55 pm – 4:15 pm	Herodin F, Centre de Recherches du Service de Santē des Armēes, La Tronche, France - New approaches to cytokine-based protocols of accidentally irradiated victims.
4:15 pm – 4:35 pm	Chao N, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC - Contingency planning in the US to be prepared for radiation accident medical management.
4:35 pm – 4:50 pm	Coffee Break
4:50 pm – 5:35 pm	Discussion

Banquet Program

Dinner Speakers: Feinendegen LE, Master of Ceremonies

Carsten A, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, LI, USA, Gene Cronkite: The Man and His Science

Cronkite Vignettes

Day 3	- May 12, 2006
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Stem Cell and Cytokine Response to Radiation

Chairman: Dainiak N

9:00 am – 9:20 am	Hirabayashi, Y, National Institute of Health Sciences, Tokyo, Japan – Implication of hemopoietic progenitor- cell kinetics and attenuation of radiation and chemical leukemogenesis.

- 9:20 am 9:40 am Hoffman R, University of Illinois College of Medicine, Chicago, IL - Characterization of primitive hematopoietic progenitor cells which persist following total body irradiation.
- 9:40 am 10:00 am Meineke V, Institute of Radiobiology, German Defense Ministry, Munich, Germany Radiation–induced alterations in cytokine production in cultured skin cells.
- 10:00 am 10:20 am Zanjani, E, University of Nevada, Reno, NV A large, noninjury animal model for study of human stem cells.
- 10:20 am 10:35 am Coffee Break
- 10:35 am 11:20 am Discussion

Meeting Summary and Future Directions

Moderator: Shreeve, WW

- 11:20 am 11:30 am Rai KR, Leukemogenesis
- 11:30 am 11:40 am Shadduck RK, Management of Hematologic Disorders (Part I)
- 11:40 am 11:50 am Anderson K, Management of Hematologic Disorders (Part II)
- 11:50 am 12:00 pm Inoue T*, Regulation of Hematopoiesis
- 12:00 pm 12:10 pm Feinendegen LE, Low-Dose Radiation Effects

12:10 pm –	12:20 pm	Fliedner TM, Accidental Exposure to Ionizing Radiation								
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12:20 pm – 12:30 pm Dainiak N, Stem Cell and Cytokine Response to Radiation

12:30 pm ADJOURNMENT

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SOCIAL PROGRAM: We are planning for a social program for interested persons.