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# G-Protein Targets Colloquium

**April 17 - 18, 2009** 

**New Orleans, LA** 

Organized by Alan V. Smrcka, PhD and Theresa M. Filtz, PhD This is a satellite meeting to Experimental Biology 2009

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# Preliminary Program: Friday, April 17

## Theme I: Effector Structure and Mechanism for Regulation

Mechanism of Activation of Phospholipase C Isozymes
T. Kendall Harden, Univ of North Carolina
RhoGEF Structure/Function

John J.G. Tesmer. Univ of Michigan

Molecular Basis for  $K^+$  Channel Regulation by Gβγ Diomedes E. Logothetis, Mt Sinai Sch of Med

## Theme II: Novel G Protein Effectors and Regulatory Mechanisms

G12/G13 Activation of Adenylyl Cyclase
Lily Jiang, Univ Texas Southwestern Med Ctr
A Novel Signaling Mode for α<sub>1A</sub>-Adrenergic Receptors
Marcos E. Milla, Roche
Talk Selected from Abstracts

#### Theme III: Effector Scaffolding

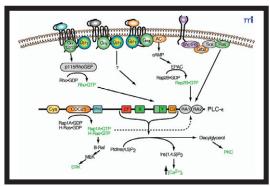
Adenylyl-Cyclase-AKAP Interactions
John D. Scott, Univ of Washington

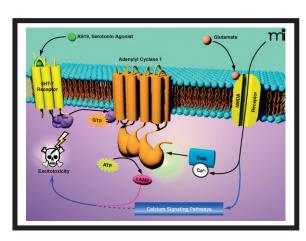
Molecular Chaperones for Kir3 Channel Assembly
Terry Hebert, McGill Univ

Talk Selected from Abstracts

## Special Lecture on G Protein BRET Methods: Application to G Protein Effectors

Use of BRET to Monitor G Protein Conformational Changes
Michel Bouvier, Univ of Montreal





### Preliminary Program: Saturday, April 18

# Theme IV: Effector Cell Physiology and Pharmacological Targeting

RhoGEF Regulation in Cells

Phillip B. Wedegaertner, Thomas Jefferson Univ

Epac in cAMP-Dependent Physiology

Martina Schmidt, Univ Groningen

Pharmacological Targeting of AC

Yoshihiro Ishikawa, UMDNJ-New Jersey Med Sch

Small Molecule Targeting of Gβγ–Effector Interactions

Alan V. Smrcka, Univ of Rochester

Talk Selected from Abstracts

## Theme V: Physiological Roles of G Protein Effector Systems *in vivo*

Adenylyl Cyclase and Longevity/Physiology
Stephen F. Vatner, UMDNJ-New Jersey Med Sch
PLC Regulation in the Heart
Elizabeth A. Woodcock, Baker Med Res Inst
Pl3 Kinase y in Neutrophil Function
Dianging (Dan) Wu, Yale Univ

#### **Plenary Lecture:**

G Proteins and G Protein Targets
Heidi Hamm, Vanderbilt Univ

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