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The Role of Cytosolic DNA Sensor AIM2 in Host Defense Against Colitis



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Investigating F-Arg 1 in Mouse Model of Myocardial Infarction



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Quantitative PCR Studies of Mitochondrial Copy Number



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Prediction of AML Patient Remission or Resistance to Chemotherapy Using Machine Learning Techniques



Madalyn Barnett Richardson High School Host: Helmut Kramer, Ph.D.

Testing the Possible Link Between Drosophila Acinus and Polyamine Synthesis



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Screening for Appetite Regulators in Drosophila Larvae



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Isolating and Creating Novel Mycobacteriophages to Combat Multi-drug Resistant Tuberculosis



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Multi-Dimensional Imaging of Corneal Fibroblast Mechanical Activity in 3-D Culture



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Exploring New Drug Treatments for Renal Cancer Therapy. The Effects of CYD tTreatment on p21 Gene Expression





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Suppressor Screening for Genes Involved in Ribosomal Biogenesis



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A Serum Antibody Biomarker for Autism Spectrum Disorders



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Host: Qing Zhong, M.D., Ph.D.

Gleevec Drug Causes Accumulation of LC3-II and p62 proteins in Autophagy Complex



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PIP motif of DNA-PKcs Required for Replication Stress Response



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Effect of Metformin on Hepatic Glucose Production and Oxygen Consumption



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Comparison of Heterodimeric, Cancer-Specific Peptoids Based on Target Expression, Binding, and Activity



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3D Joint Modeling Using 3 Tesla and 3D MRI



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Elucidating the Role of Nocturnin in Cholesterol Metabolism





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Tagging of Essential Yeast Genes to Study Gene Looping



Melanie Shi Flower Mound High School Host: Diana Tomchick, Ph.D.

Buffer Conditions Optimized for Thermal Stability Improve Protein Crystallizability



Lauren Thornton Timberview High School Host: Joel Goodman, Ph.D.

Study of Amino Acids in the Amino Terminus of Seipin



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Quantifying Image Distortion in Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)



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HP1BP3 and H1B Purification and Binding



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Using Ultrasonic Vocalizations to Investigate the Role of Foxp1 in Language Development



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Evaluation of Laponite XLG for Ultrasonic Gels and Phantoms



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Using Zebrafish to Model the Effects of Deregulated FGF Signaling on Germ Cell Tumors



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Analysis of Polyamine Metabolism in Diverse α-proteobacteria



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Expression and Purification of NaK2K and hERG Chimera Channels in Escherichia coli



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In-Vitro Production of Diazirine-Modified O-GlcNAc (O-GlcNDAz) to Study Sugar-Protein Interactions



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Intracellular Vibrio Parahaemolyticus Evades Autophagy: Preliminary Studies



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The Purinergic G-protein Coupled Receptor (GPCR) P2YR1 Localizes to the Primary Cilium



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Neural Cell Function in Mouse Accessory Olfactory Bulb



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Determining the Importance of CYP4F11 in the Metabolism of SW208108 in H2122 Lung Cancer Cells



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Use of Crispr-Cas9 System in Study of REST Mediated Regulation of Adult Hippocampal Neural Stem Cells

