

2005 SID Eugene M. Farber Travel Award Winners



Nesrine Affara, M.S.
Department of Molecular
Virology, Immunology & Medical
Genetics, The Ohio State
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“Similarities of Akt activation in cutaneous wound repair and skin carcinogenesis.”



Maranke Koster, Ph.D.
Departments of Molecular and
Cellular Biology, Baylor College
of Medicine, Houston, Texas

“p63 isoform switching is required for induction of IKKa and epidermal morphogenesis.”



Sabine Eming, M.D.
Department of Dermatology,
University of Cologne, Cologne,
Germany

“Regulation of VEGF-A protein activity during wound repair”



Honorary Awardee
Philip Owens
Department of Otolaryngology,
Oregon Health & Science
University, Portland, Oregon

“TGF β 1 overexpression in mouse keratinocytes delays cutaneous wound healing.”



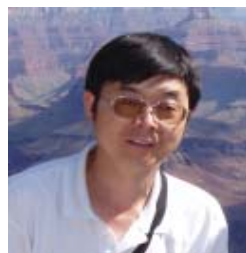
Richard Grose, Ph.D.
Department of Tumor Biology,
Cancer Research UK Clinical
Care, Barts/London John Vane
Science Centre, Charterhouse
Square, London, UK

“Fibroblast Growth Factor Receptor 2-IIIb (Fgfr2b) is a critical mediator of intercellular signaling in development and disease.”



Christine Pullar, Ph.D.
Department of Dermatology,
University of California- Davis
School of Medicine, Davis,
California

“ β 2-adrenergic receptor antagonists are pro-motogenic in keratinocytes: Potential therapy for promoting wound re-epithelialization.”



Gangwen Han, M.D.
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Oregon Health & Science
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“Overexpression of smad7 in keratinocytes accelerates cutaneous wound healing.”



Kamali Pugazhenthir
Department of Pharmacology
and Toxicology, University of
Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand

“The role of melatonin on scarring in an incisional model of dermal wound healing in rats.”



Ulrich auf dem Keller, Ph.D.
Department of Biology, Institute
of Cell Biology, ETH Zürich,
Zürich, Switzerland

“Nrf transcription factors are crucial for skin tumor prevention but not for wound healing.”



Traci Wilgus, Ph.D.
Department of Surgery, Burn &
Shock Trauma Institute, Loyola
University Medical Center,
Maywood, Illinois

“Non-endothelial effects of vascular endothelial growth factor: Implications for wound repair.”