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Dear ApCom members,

As two faculty sponsors, we are writing to enthusiastically support the continued appointment of Dr. Leanne Jones as an adjunct professor at the Salk Institute. Leanne is currently a Professor in the Departments of Anatomy and Medicine, and Director of the Bakar Aging Research Institute at UCSF. Prior to this she was an Assistant and Associate Professor at the Salk Institute and an Associate and full Professor at UCLA. Leanne is an expert in stem cell biology and metabolism, with a focus understanding how these impact aging and age-related diseases. She has an impressive publication, award and service record in these areas (see her CV), which are also key areas of research and growth at the Institute. In fact, developing the Healthy Aging Center at Salk is one of the current key initiatives at the Institute.

Dr. Jones' continued adjunct appointment is valuable to the Institute on several important fronts. First, as she is Director of Bakar Aging Research Institute, there is a unique opportunity to forge new interactions and collaborations with our two aging research centers, the Glenn Center for Biology of Aging Research and the San Diego Nathan Shock Center (SD-NSC) of Excellence in the Basic Biology of Aging. Outreach interactions like this with other researchers and centers are actually critical for renewal of the SD-NSC. In terms of specific interactions, Leanne has agreed to rotate onto the SD-NSC external advisory board at the upcoming renewal, will participate on the scientific review panel and as mentor for the SD-NSC pilot grant program. Second, her expertise in stem cells will be used in an advisory capacity to help the Salk stem cell core and the SD-NSC "Human Cell Models of Aging Core" provide human fibroblasts and induced cell types to the aging researcher community at Salk and at large. This aids not only the SD-NSC clinical cohort collection, but also benefits the Allen-AHA project on the role of aging in cognitive decline and Alzheimer's Disease, which involves ten labs at Salk. Finally, Leanne is available to visit the institute and share her work and expertise at any time in the form of seminars, training workshops/symposia for the SD-NSC, and the annual La Jolla Aging Meeting organized by the Salk Glenn Center.

In summary, Dr. Jones continued formal affiliation with Salk goes far beyond a typical adjunct appoint. Her active participation as described above will have a significant impact on our own aging research centers and activities and bolster our efforts formalize the bigger *Healthy Aging Initiative* at the Institute.

Sincerely,

Gerald S. Shadel

Jan Karlseder

Salk Adjunct Service/Contributions Form

Name: D. Leanne Jones **Appointment Start Date:** July 1, 2023
Sponsors: Gerald Shadel

To be eligible for appointment and reappointment in the Adjunct series, appointees are expected to be engaged in **at least two** Institute-related activities outlined below. If you are being considered for your first Adjunct Professor appointment, provide information about your plans to engage in the Salk community and select any of the activities you would be interested in below. If you are being considered for reappointment, select your ongoing activities and give a brief summary of your engagement in each activity during the past appointment period. Also provide a summary of your plans to engage in the Salk activities during the next appointment period.

Salk Activities (list the course/seminar titles, committees, and student names if known)
** Please note research collaborations with a Salk Faculty sponsor(s) do not qualify as Institute-related activities expected for an Adjunct position*

- ■ Giving Seminars, such as those hosted by Sponsors or by the Institute
- ☐ Teaching in Salk-organized courses
- ☐ Serving on UCSD Student Review committees and/or Thesis Committees in Salk Labs
- ■ Reviewing Postdoctoral and other Internal Grants
- ☐ Participating in Salk's outreach and educational efforts to recruit underrepresented minority student applicants
- ■ Consulting on Salk scientific initiatives or multi-PI grants
- ☐ Serving on Faculty Review Committees
- ☐ Promoting award and nomination opportunities for Salk Faculty
- ☐ Organizing or participating on Salk Meetings or Conferences
- ☐ Other

Salk Service Summary & Plans: Describe your plans to engage in the activities marked above during the next appointment period (i.e.: Salk Course or Seminar Titles, names of Student or Faculty review committee, description of contributions to grants, etc. if unable to fit above). If you are being considered for reappointment, also describe your engagement in the Salk activities during the last appointment period. You may attach a supplemental letter with these activities as needed.

The Biology of Aging has been important research focus at the Salk Institute since the time I was a faculty member there (2004-2013). Now, as Director of the Bakar Aging Research Institute (BARI) at UCSF, I am in a strong position to help support the Salk Institute in expanding its efforts in this research area. Dr. Shadel and I have discussed opportunities for developing a close partnership between the San Diego Nathan Shock Center (SDNSC) and BARI. In this context, 1) I plan to be available for reviewing pilot award applications and providing mentorship for trainees and faculty supported by these awards as part of the SDNSC Research Development Core, 2) Dr. Shadel has indicated that he will add me as a new external advisory panel member when the SDNSC grant is up for renewal in 2024, and 3) my advice and expertise in stem cell biology can be leveraged in the efforts of the SDNSC 'Human Cell Models of Aging' core to maximize the value of this new and exciting resource that provides iPSCs and induced cell types from the SDNSC aging cohort to the research community. We will also explore how the clinical initiatives and translational geroscience studies supported by BARI and UCSF might dovetail and augment those at the SDNSC to better understand human aging, thus increasing the interactions between and impact of the two centers. Finally, I am committed to provide input and support in any other way I can, and, of course, welcome the opportunity to visit and share the work from my group, which continues to focus on understanding how aging and changes in metabolism impact stem cell behavior.

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Education:

1992-1998 Ph.D., Harvard Medical School, Program in Biological and Biomedical Sciences, Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics; Thesis: "The Human Papillomavirus E7 Oncoprotein Utilizes Multiple Mechanisms to Overcome Cellular Growth Arrest Signals"

1988-1992 B.S., Washington and Lee University; graduated Magna Cum Laude with Honors in Biology; Undergraduate Honors Thesis Research "Development of a Novel Mutagenesis Protocol: Using Nitrous Acid to Generate Random Mutations in the E1 Gene of Sindbis Virus."

Academic Appointments:

2021- present	Professor, Departments of Anatomy and Medicine, Univ. of California, San Francisco, San Francisco, CA
2021- present	Director, Bakar Aging Research Institute
2014-2021	Professor, Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology, Univ. of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA
2013-2014	Associate Professor, Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology, Univ. of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA
2011-2013	Associate Professor, Laboratory of Genetics, Salk Institute for Biological Studies La Jolla, CA
2004-2011	Assistant Professor, Laboratory of Genetics, Salk Institute for Biological Studies, La Jolla, CA
2000-2004	Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Developmental Biology, Stanford University, Stanford, CA
1998-2000	Postdoctoral Fellow, Centre for Developmental Genetics, University of Sheffield, Sheffield, England
1992-1998	Graduate Student, Program in Biological and Biomedical Sciences, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts.
Summer 1991	Summer Medical and Research Training Program, Institute for Molecular Genetics, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas.
Summer 1990	Robert E. Lee Research Scholar, Biology Department, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia.

Awards, Honors, and Special Recognitions:

08/15	Glenn Award for Research in Biological Mechanisms of Aging
4/08-3/14	California Institute of Regenerative Medicine New Faculty Award
7/07-6/11	American Cancer Society Research Scholar
6/06-6/08	American Federation for Aging Research award for Junior Faculty
8/05-7/09	Ellison Medical Foundation New Scholar in Aging Award
6/01-6/04	Lilly Fellow of the Life Sciences Research Foundation
9/99-7/00	Human Frontiers Science Program (HFSP) postdoctoral fellowship
1998	AACR-AFLAC Scholar in Cancer Research

1997 Rhône Poulenc Young Investigator Award-awarded by AACR
1992-date Phi Beta Kappa
1991 Robert E. Lee Research Grant in Biology

Service: Scientific Community

Cell Reports, Advisory Board (2012-present)
Molecular Biology of the Cell, Board of Reviewing Editors (2008-present)
Reviewed manuscripts for: *Cell, Cell Reports*, *Developmental Cell*, *Cell Stem Cell*, *Nature, Nature Cell Biology, Nature Communications, Science, Development, Developmental Biology, Genes and Development, Aging Cell, Current Biology. EMBO, EMBO Reports, Stem Cell Reports, Scientific Reports, PNAS*
Member of NIA-B study section (2014-2021)
American Federation for Aging Research's National Scientific Advisory Council (NSAC) (2014-present)
Reviewed grants for American Cancer Society (ACS), American Federation for Aging Research (AFAR), NIH (NIA, NIGMS), ERC, EMBO
Member, Connecticut Stem Cell Research Grants Program Peer Review Committee (2007-2010)
Member, External Advisory Committee, Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory, Center of Biomedical Research Excellence in the Comparative Biology of Tissue Repair, Regeneration and Aging (2013-2020)
Member, Division of Aging Biology External Review Panel-Future Strategic Investments Focus Group (2014)
Member, Type I Diabetes (T1D) Consortium Review Committee, The Leona M. and Harry B. Helmsley Charitable Trust (2014)
Co-chair, ISSCR Junior Investigators Committee (2011-2014)
Member, ISSCR Annual Meeting Program Committee (2013-2014)
Organizer, Stem Cells and Metabolism, Salk Institute for Biological Studies, Nov. 5-6, 2012 (Sponsored by Abcam)
Organizer, Program Committee Head, 58th Annual *Drosophila* Research Conference, March 2017, San Diego, USA.
California Regional Representative on the National *Drosophila* Board of Directors (2019-2022)
Organizer, Fusion Conference on Intestinal stem cell-Niche Interactions in Development and Disease (May 2022, May 2024)
Vice chair (2023) and Chair (2025) of Stem Cells and Cancer Gordon Research Conference
Officer of the Life Sciences Research Foundation (2022- present)

Service: Salk Institute

Member, Academic Planning Forum (2009-2013)
Member, Academic Council (2006-2012)
Organizer of the Stem Cell Interest Group meeting (2007-2013)
Monthly meeting for Institutions included in the Sanford Consortium for Regenerative Medicine during which students and postdocs present their work in a formal setting.
Founding member of Salk Excellerators (2008-2010)
Served as faculty liaison to establish scientific programs for the group.

Service: University of California- Los Angeles

Co-Director- UCLA-Caltech Medical Scientist Training Program (2015-2020)
Associate Director of Graduate Education- UCLA-Caltech Medical Scientist Training Program (2013-2015)

Co-Director of Cell and Developmental Biology home area within the new Graduate Program in Biosciences (2013-2015)
Alternate Member of UCLA Legislative Assembly for MCDB (2014-2021)
Faculty coordinator for the JCCC-BSCRC 2013-2014 seminar series
Co-organizer of the Tri-Institutional Broad Stem Cell Centers, Asilomar Retreat (2014)
Member, Regeneration/Degeneration Organizational Task Force (David Geffen School of Medicine)
Search Committee: Department of Medicine, Division of Endocrinology (Spring 2015); Resulted in successful recruitment of Orian Shirihai, MD, PhD
Search Committee: Department of Urology (Fall 2015); Resulted in hiring of Andrew Goldstein, PhD
Executive Committee: Department of Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology, EC member in charge of Space for Terasaki Life Sciences Building (2017-2021)
Executive Committee: Jonnsson Comprehensive Cancer Center (2019-2021)
Search Committee: Department of Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology and Institute for Quantitative and Computational Biology (Winter/Spring 2018); Resulted in hiring of Pavak Shah, PhD
Search Committee: Department of Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology (Spring 2018); Resulted in hiring of Nathanaël Prunet
Organizing Committee of BSCRC Annual Stem Cell Conference (2018-2019)

Service: University of California- San Francisco

Inaugural Director- Bakar Aging Research Institute (2021-present)
Vice Chair, Department of Anatomy (2022-present)
Search Committee: Director of the Institute for Health and Aging, UCSF School of Nursing (2022)
Search Committee: Chair, Department of Cellular and Molecular Pharmacology, UCSF School of Medicine (2022)

Coursework/training:

"Advanced Faculty Mentoring Practices" adapted from the *National Research Mentoring Network*, UCLA (9/2018)
"Introduction to Leadership", UCLA Faculty Leadership Development Program (10/18)
HHMI Workshop on Inclusive Excellence, Mar. 2019, Santa Barbara, CA, USA
UCLA Faculty Leadership Academy (01/19-05/19)
UC Women's Leadership Initiative (Winter 2020, applied)

Graduate Students (UCLA):

Chris Koehler (05/10-12/16)- current position, Scientist at PhenoVista, San Diego, CA
Sophia Lewis (07/14-08/18)- current position, Resident Physician at Barnes-Jewish Hospital, St. Louis, MO
Rachel Hodge (06/18-10/22)- current position, postdoctoral fellow, NYU *Supported by CMB training grant 07/18-06/19, Diversity Supplement to R01 DK105442-01 08/19-03/21
Jordan Kryza (12/17-present; advanced to candidacy 10/19) *Supported by CMB training grant 07/18-06/19, BSCRC training grant 09/19-08/21
Nicholas Jackson (06/19-present; advanced to candidacy 10/20) *Supported by CMB training grant 07/19-06/21

Thesis Committees (UCLA):

Xavier Gaeta (Lowry lab, MCDB; graduated May 2016)
Austin McDonald (Arispe lab, MCDB; graduated May 2017)
Aimee Flores (Lowry Lab, CDB/MBIDP; graduated May 2018)
Xuchen Chen (Young Lab, BBSB/MBIDP; graduated May 2019)

Aanand Patel (Quinlin Lab, BBSB/MBIDP; graduated May 2019)
Matilde Miranda (Lowry Lab, CDB/MBIDP; graduated November 2020)
Victoria Sun (Crooks Lab, CDB/MBIDP; graduated June 2021)
Tsonte Chitiashvili (Plath/Clark Labs, CDB/MBIDP; graduated March 2022)
Anna Afasizheva (Plath Lab, CDB/MBIDP; graduated May2022)

Thesis Committees (UCSF):
Mariko Foecke (Laird Lab, BMS)
Juliana Sucharov Costa (Villeda Lab, BMS)
Emily Wolfram (Nystul Lab, DSCB)
Rhea Misra (Villeda Lab, BMS)

Teaching Experience (UCLA):
Winter/Spring 2020, MCD Biology 180A, B, Scientific Analysis and Communication I, II
Winter 2020, MBIDP 254C: Stem cells in Development and Disease (co-taught w/ J. Long)
Winter/Spring 2019, MCD Biology 180A, B, Scientific Analysis and Communication I, II
Winter/Spring 2018, MCD Biology 180A, B, Scientific Analysis and Communication I, II
Winter 2018, MBIDP 254C: Stem cells in Development and Disease (co-taught w/ J. Long)
September 2017, Karolinska Institute, Course on Stem Cell Niches, lecture and Symposium speaker
Spring 2017, MCD Biology 191, Special Seminar on Stem Cells in Development and Disease
Winter 2017, MBIDP 254C: Stem cells in Development and Disease
Fall-Winter 2015/2016 and 2016/2017: Introduction to Biomedical Research at UCLA (SL699)
September 2016, Karolinska Institute, Course on Stem Cell Niches, lecture and Symposium speaker
Spring 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019 MCD Biology 168, Stem Cell Biology, UCLA (guest lecture)
Spring 2015, LS4, Genetics
Spring 2014, MCD Biology 168, Stem Cell Biology
Winter 2014, Lecture for 5HB in the Biomedical Minor
Fall 2013, Gerontology & Social Welfare M108, Gerontology Interdisciplinary Minor (GIM) core course "Biomedical, Social and Policy Frontiers in Human Aging" (guest lecturer**)**
September 2013, Spetses Summer School, Molecular Mechanisms of Development, Aging and Regeneration, Spetses, Greece
July 2013, Ellison Medical Foundation, Course on the Biology of Aging, Woods Hole, MA
May 2013, MCD Biology 168, Stem Cell Niches, UCLA (guest lecture)
Winter Quarter 2012 BGGN 228, Hot Topics in Developmental Biology, UCSD
February 2007-2011 CIRM core course
Winter Quarter 2009 BGGN 231 Current Concepts in Stem Cell Biology UCSD
Fall Quarter 2009 BIOM 200 Section on Stem Cell Biology UCSD
April 2007, MCD Biology 168, Stem Cell Niches, UCLA (guest lecture)

Teaching Experience (UCSF):
Winter 2022 BMS 225B: Critical Thinking and Science Communication for Biomedical Scientists (with S. Villeda)

Undergraduate Mentoring (UCLA:
Faculty Reviewer for Undergraduate Research Scholars Program (2016, 2017, 2018)
Review of MARC/BECKMAN/UC LEADS student research proposals 2014, 2015
UCLA Science Poster Day Judge 2014, 2017, 2018
UCLA undergraduate Melissa Truong (06/12-06/15; graduate student at UCSF)
UCLA CARE student mentor (Sharon Lee; 03/14- 06/16; graduate student at UC Davis)
UCLA BriSURP student mentor (Justin Okonkwo; 6/15-8/15; undergraduate at CSU Fresno)

UCLA undergraduate Alex Tang (06/14-06/18); started PhD training at Massassachusetts Institute of Technology in Fall 2018
UCLA undergraduate Bradley Uyemura (01/15-07/18); started MD training at Medical College of Wisconsin in Fall 2018
UCLA MARC student mentor (Fernando de la Torre; 04/16- 07/18); began training as a Laboratory Assistant at UC-Davis July 2018
UCLA undergraduate Emma Edmonds (12/16-06/19) *supported by URSP; in training to be a Physician's Assistant
UCLA undergraduate Joanna Su (04/17-06/19) *supported by URSP; in training to be a Pharmacist
UCLA undergraduate Alexa Kwang (05/18- 6/20); applied to medical school
UCLA CARE student mentor (Nathan Barney; 12/17- 3/18; 9/18- 6/20) Graduate student at UCSD, San Diego, CA.
UCLA undergraduate Brian Stack (3/18- 6/20) Graduate student at UCSD, San Diego, CA.
UCLA undergraduate Mateo Ruvalcaba (05/18- 9/20) * received the COMPASS Life Sciences Dean's Award; Emergency Medical Technician
UCLA undergraduate Molly Carney (3/20-06/22); graduate student, MIT
UCLA undergraduate Cole Woulbroun (3/20-present)

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Original Research

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B. Glise*, **D. L. Jones***, and P.W. Ingham. Notch and Wingless modulate the response of cells to Hedgehog signalling in the *Drosophila* wing. 2002. Dev. Biol. **248:** 93-106. (*-equal contribution)

C. Schulz, C. G. Wood, **D. L. Jones**, S. I. Tazuke, and M. T. Fuller. 2002. Signaling from germ cells mediated by the *rhomboid* homologue *stet* organizes encapsulation by somatic support cells. Development. 129 (19): 4523-4534.

Y.M. Yamashita, **D.L.Jones**, and M.T. Fuller. 2003. Orientation of asymmetric stem cell division by the APC tumor suppressor and centrosome. Science. **301:** 1547-1550.

C. Schulz, A.A. Kiger, S.I. Tazuke, Y.M. Yamashita, L.C. Pantalena-Filho, **D.L. Jones**, C.G. Wood and M. T. Fuller. 2004. A mis-expression screen reveals effects of *bag-of-marbles* and *Tgfb* class signaling on the *Drosophila* male germ line stem cell lineage. Genetics **167:** 707-723.

E.L. Beall, P.W. Lewis, M. Bell, M. Rocha, **D.L. Jones**, and M.R. Botchan. 2007. Pleiotropic functions of Myb- MuvB and a testis meiotic arrest complex (TMAC) regulate testis development in *Drosophila*. Genes and Dev. **21**: 904-919.

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D. Research Support

ACTIVE

1 R01 DK105442-01 04/30/2017-03/31/2023*
NIH/NIDDK (Jones, PI)
The role of epithelial junctions in maintenance of intestinal homeostasis
The major goal of this project is to characterize age-related changes in tight junction components in the intestine of *Drosophila melanogaster* and to investigate the connection between loss of barrier function and intestinal stem cell behavior. *NCE

R01 GM131094 (Jones, taken over for K. Brückner) 08/01/2019 - 05/31/2023
NIH/NIGMS

Molecular mechanisms of a multi-tissue innate immune response
The major goal of this project is to address fundamental principles of organismal innate immunity.

1 R01 GM135767-01A1 04/01/2020-03/31/2024
NIH/NIGMS (Jones, PI)
Lipid-mediated regulation of stem cell behavior and tissue homeostasis
The major goal of this project is to investigate the role of lipid metabolism and signaling in the regulation of germline stem cell behavior.

PENDING
Regulation of Intestinal homeostasis by L1CAM/Neuroglian
NIH/NIDDK (Jones, PI)
The major goals of this proposal are to define the role of Drosophila Neuroglian and mammalian L1-CAM in intestinal homeostasis and to explore the mechanism(s) by which Nrg/L1-CAM potentiate signaling via the EGFR.

COMPLETED
JCCC Seed Grant Application $50,000
The role of L1CAM in the human intestine and intestinal disease
The major goal of this proposal is to begin to explore the role of mammalian L1CAM in human intestinal stem cells using 3D organoids as a model.

2R01 AG028092-05 09/30/2012-05/31/2020
NIH/NIA (Jones, PI) $171,000 (yearly direct)
Characterization of Age-Related Changes in Stem Cell Behavior
The major goals of this project are to analyze changes in stem cell behavior during the aging process and to identify molecular mechanisms regulating these changes. We will also investigate the relationship between pathways regulating longevity and age-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche.
Role: PI

BSCRC, DGSOM Regeneration Theme Innovation Award 08/01/2017-03/31/2019
(Jones, PI) $100,000
The major goal of this project is to compare aging of the human small intestine and colon using DNA methylation as a biomarker.

1R01 AG040288-01A1 05/01/2012-04/30/2019
NIH/NIA (Jones, PI) $180,000 (yearly direct)
Metabolic regulation of stem cell behavior and longevity
The major goal of this project is to elucidate the mechanisms underlying metabolic regulation of stem cell behavior and lifespan.
Role: Co-PI

1 R21 AG048609-01A1 08/01/2016-07/31/2018
NIH/NIA (Jones, PI) $150,000
New tools for investigating mitochondrial dynamics in stem cells during aging
The major goal of this project is to develop novel tools and imaging techniques to investigate the role of mitochondrial dynamics on stem cell maintenance and function over time.

Glenn Foundation For Medical Research (PI-Jones) 08/01/2015 – 07/31/2017
Age-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche
This award provides unrestricted funds to support general research costs in the lab.

CURE:DDRC DK P30 41301 Pilot and Feasibility Award (PI-Jones) 04/01/2016-03/31/2017
Characterizing the role of Tricellulin in intestinal disease
This project is focused on examining the role of the tricellular tight junction (tTJ) protein, Tricellulin, in regulating human intestinal stem cell behavior.

BSCRC Innovation Award (Jones, PI) 08/01/2014 – 12/31/2016
Age-related loss of barrier function as a driver of intestinal disease
The major goal of this project is to examine age-related changes in tight junction components in human intestinal epithelium.

New Faculty RN1-00544-1 (Jones, PI) 04/01/2008-03/31/2014
California Institute for Regenerative Medicine
Characterization of mechanisms regulating de-differentiation and the re-acquisition of stem cell identity
The major goal of this project is to identify and characterize the factors that are involved in regulating de-differentiation of progenitor cells and the acquisition of self-renewal. [This grant includes an extended, unfunded, one-year period.]
Role: PI

5 R01 AG031152-04 (Tatar, PI) 09/01/2008-07/31/2013
NIH/NIA
Mechanisms of Aging Regulation by Drosophila Germline
The major goal of this project is to determine the cellular and molecular basis for how reproduction and the germline modulate aging in Drosophila.
Role: Co-Investigator

RSG-07-295-01-DDC (Jones, PI) 07/01/2007-06/30/2012
American Cancer Society
Genetic analysis of cancer stem cell-niche cell interactions
The major goals of this project are to characterize the initiation and progression of Upd-induced testis tumors, to identify the factors involved in regulating somatic cell proliferation and identity, and to determine whether ectopic niche formation is required for tumor maintenance.
Role: PI

3 R01 AG028092-03S1 (Jones, PI) 09/15/2009-08/31/2010
NIH/NIA
Characterization of Age-related Changes in Stem Cell Behavior
The major goals of this project are to analyze changes in stem cell behavior during the aging process and to identify molecular mechanisms regulating these changes. We will also investigate the relationship between pathways regulating longevity and age-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. [ARRA funding/equipment.]
Role: PI

AG-NS-0301-05 (Jones, PI) 08/01/2005-07/31/2009
The Ellison Medical Foundation
Control of Germline Stem Cell Behavior during Aging
The major goal of this project is to investigate the relationship between loss of tissue homeostasis and changes in stem cell behavior during the aging process using the Drosophila gonad as a model system--to identify mechanisms utilized to maintain stem cells during aging, and to identify signaling pathways involved in modifying stem cell behavior during aging.
Role: PI

Research Grant A06075 (Jones, PI) 07/01/2006-06/30/2008
American Federation for Aging Research
Identification of factors regulating aging of the stem cell niche
The major goal of this project is to characterize changes in gene expression in niche cells during organismal
aging.
Role: PI

1 K18 DK073799-01 (Jones, PI) 09/01/2006-08/31/2007
NIH/NIDDK
A Stem Cell Niche to Support Proliferation and Maintenance of Human Germ Cells
The major goals of this project are to define conditions that promote germ cell formation from ESCs and to create a stem cell niche in vitro that supports self-renewal and maintenance of human germ cells.
Role: PI

Invited Presentations:

Meetings

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Southern California Drosophila Meeting, September 2005. Irvine, CA.

Interactions between Stem cells and the Stem Cell Niche. AACR Special Workshop on Cancer Stem Cells. February 2006. Lansdowne, VA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. ASCB "Stem cell niches" meeting. July 2006. Boston, MA.

The Role of the Stem cell niche in regulating stem cell behavior. La Jolla Consortium for Regenerative Medicine. Stem Cell Meeting on the Mesa. October 2006. La Jolla, CA.

The Role of the Stem cell niche in regulating stem cell behavior. Joint MRC-CIRM meeting. November 2006. Broadway, England.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. International Titisee Conference. "Molecular basis of aging", April 2007. Titisee, Germany.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. "Second International Conference on Cell Therapy and Regenerative Medicine", April 2007. Granada, Spain.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Biology of Human Aging Colloquium, Brown University, May 2007. Providence, R.I.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. ASCB Annual Meeting- Co-chair of Stem Cell Niches Minisymposium, December 2007. Washington D.C.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. "Stem Cells and Tumor Suppressors." Keystone Symposium, March, 2008. Vancouver, Canada.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. "Development and Cancer." Keystone Symposium, March, 2008. Steamboat Springs, CO.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Annual San Diego Cell Biology Meeting. April, 2008. La Jolla, CA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Understanding aging: biomedical and bioengineering approaches". UCLA. June, 2008. Los Angeles, CA.

Stem cell-niche cell interactions during tumorigenesis. Cancer Models and Mechanisms. Gordon Research Conference. Bryant University. RI, USA. July 2008.

The role of InR signaling in regulating stem cell behavior. Gordon Conference on Aging, Ventura, CA. February, 2009.

Mechanisms regulating size and maintenance of a stem cell niche. Abcam "Molecular Mechanisms of Aging and Age-Related Diseases". Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. March, 2009.

Models for stem cell-niche cell interactions during tumorigenesis. Keystone Symposium. Extrinsic Control of Tumor Genesis and Progression, Vancouver, B.C., March 2009.

Symposium on Molecular Mechanisms of Adult Stem Cell Aging, Ulm University,

Reisensburg, Germany. May 2009.

Glenn Foundation Annual Symposium on Aging. Harvard University. Boston, MA. June 7, 2009.

NIH/NIA Workshop on the "Epigenetics of Aging". Santa Barbara, CA. Sept. 2009.

Keynote Speaker, UCLA Molecular Biology Institute's Annual Retreat, Lake Arrowhead, CA. Oct. 2009.

Mechansims regulating size and maintenance of a stem cell niche. Abcam "Stem Cells" meeting. Antigua. November 2009.

Keystone Symposium. New Insights into Healthspan and Diseases of Aging: From Molecular to Functional Senescence. Tahoe City, CA. January 2010.

Nature's Miami Winter Symposium "Targeting Cancer Invasion and Metastasis". Miami Beach, Florida, February 2010.

Glenn Foundation Workshop on the Biology of Aging, Santa Barbara, CA, June 2010.

ISSCR Annual Meeting, "Stem cell regulation by miRNAs". Concurrent session co-chair and speaker. San Francisco, CA. June, 2010.

4th Symposium " Signaling Pathways in Stem Cell Biology" in Ulm, Germany, October, 2010.

Cell Press, Massachusetts General Hospital and Fondation IPSEN meeting on "Biology of Recognition", Singapore, October 2010. Canceled attendance.

Annual meeting of the Longevity Consortium. Keynote Speaker. New Orleans, LA. November 17-19, 2010.

Indo-US bilateral symposium on 'Aging and Age-related diseases'. New Delhi, India. March, 2011.

52nd Annual *Drosophila* Research Conference, GSA, "Aging and physiology" Concurrent session co-chair. San Diego, CA. March, 2011.

Serono Symposia, "Reproductive ageing - a basic and clinical update" Taormina (Messina), Italy, April, 2011.

Symposium on Molecular Mechanisms of Adult stem cell aging. Ulm, Germany. May, 2011.

AFAR Annual Grantee's Meeting. Keynote Speaker. Santa Barbara, CA. June, 2011.
Glenn Workshop on Stem Cell Aging. Santa Barbara, CA. June 2011.

51st Annual ASCB meeting. "Stem cells and pluripotency" Mini-symposium Co-Chair. Denver, CO. December, 2011.

7th Annual Meeting of the European Federation for Systematic Stem Cell Research. Slovenia. January, 2012.

Buck Institute for Aging Research. "Adult stem cell aging". Novato, CA. Feb. 2012.

Experimental Biology 2012. Symposium on Liver and Intestinal Aging. San Diego, CA. April, 2012.

Born After ART: from the laboratory towards the delivery room". Serano Symposium. Kos, Greece. June, 2012.

Neurobiology of Aging Conference. Bregenz, Austria. July, 2012.

Santa Cruz Developmental Biology Meeting. Santa Cruz, CA. August, 2012.

Arolla Conference on Developmental Systems. Switzerland. August, 2012.

IUBMB & FEBS CONGRESS, Seville, Spain. September 2012

Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory /JAX Annual Symposium Keynote Speaker, Mt. Desert Island, Maine. September, 2012.

65TH Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Symposia speaker. San Diego, CA. November, 2012.

Gordon Research Conference. Insulin-Like Growth Factors in Physiology and Disease. March, 2013. Ventura, CA

54th Annual *Drosophila* Research Conference, GSA, Plenary speaker. Washington, D.C. April, 2013.

Third V. Else Kröner-Fresenius Symposium on Adult Stem Cells in Aging, Diseases and Cancer, Ulm, Germany. May, 2013.

Invited Lecturer, Molecular Biology of Aging Course, Woods Hole, MA. July, 2013.

Keynote Speaker, Gordon Research Conference. Biology of Aging. Lucca (Barga), Italy. August, 2013.

Session Chair, Gordon Research Conference. Biology of Aging. Lucca (Barga), Italy. August, 2013.

Invited Lecturer, Spetsai Summer School "Development, Disease, Aging and Regeneration", Spetsai, Greece. September, 2013.

"Stem Cells", Les Treilles, Provence, France. October, 2014.

"Biology of Size", Cell Press and Fondation IPSEN, La Jolla, CA, October 2014.

Keynote Speaker, Cell Press Symposium "Stem Cell Energetics", Berkeley, CA. December, 2014. (Declined)

"Stem cells and Cancer", Gordon Research Conference, Ventura, CA. February, 2015.

The Biology of Regenerative Medicines. Wellcome Trust Scientific Conferences. Hinxston, Cambridge, UK. April, 2015.

Keystone Symposium, "MicroRNAs and Noncoding RNAs in Cancer", Keystone, Colorado. June, 2015. (Declined)

Fourth V. Else Kröner-Fresenius Symposium on Adult Stem Cells in Aging, Diseases and Cancer, Erice, Italy. May, 2015.

"Comparative Biology of Tissue Repair, Regeneration and Aging", Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory, Mt Desert Island, ME. June, 2015.

Arolla Conference on Developmental Systems. Arolla, Switzerland. August, 2015.

Keystone Symposium, "Epigenetic and Metabolic Regulation of Aging and Aging-Related Diseases", Santa Fe, NM. May 2016.

"Plasticity of Cellular Identity", Les Treilles, Provence, France. May, 2016.

Stem Cell Niches Symposium, Karolinska Institute. Stockholm, Sweden. September 2016.

"Stem cells and Cancer", Gordon Research Conference, Lucca (Barga), Italy. February, 2017.

Metabolism and Senescence Symposium. Harvard Medical School. Boston, MA. March, 2017.

First Annual La Jolla Aging Meeting. Salk Institute for Biological Studies. La Jolla, CA. April, 2017.

15th Annual ISSCR meeting, Plenary Session on Aging, Stress, and Senescence. Boston, Mass., June 2017

International Society for Developmental Biology, Singapore. June 2017.

Stem Cell Niches Symposium, Karolinska Institute. Stockholm, Sweden. September 2017.

Gordon Research Seminar/Conference, Tissue Niches and Resident Stem Cells in Adult Epithelia,September 2018. Discussion leader for GRS; Speaker and Discussion leader for GRC.

Cold Spring Harbor Symposium on the Biology of Aging, October 2018

Fusion Conference - Mitochondria-From Basic Biology to Mechanisms of Disease; Nassau, Bahamas. February, 2019

"Stem cells and Cancer", Gordon Research Conference, Ventura, CA. March, 2019.

American Aging Association. 48th Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, USA. May 2019.

Digestive Disease Week. American Gastroenterological Association (AGA) Meeting. San Diego, CA. USA. May 2019.

17th Annual ISSCR meeting, Session Chair, Tissue Regeneration and Homeostasis. Los Angeles, CA, USA., June 2019

Keynote speaker, "Mitochondria in Complex Diseases", NY Academy of Sciences, *Virtual*, April 2020

Invited speaker, 2020 Keystone Symposia on *Tissue Plasticity: Preservation and Alteration of Cellular Identity*, *Virtual*. October, 2020.

Keynote speaker, 2020 Loma Linda University- Inland Empire Stem Cell Consortium Annual Symposium. *Virtual*. October, 2020

Invited speaker, Cell Bio Virtual 2020, Joint ASCB/EMBO Meeting. Symposium on Collective Cell Behavior

Invited speaker, "Intestinal Permeability: Cause and Effect", -Digestive Disease Week. American Gastroenterological Association (AGA) Meeting. Chicago, IL. USA. May 2021

Invited Lecturer, Spetsai Summer School "Development, Disease, Aging and Regeneration", Spetsai, Greece. September, 2021

Organizer, Fusion Conference - Intestinal stem cell-niche Interactions in Development and Disease; Cancun, Mexico. May, 2022

Concurrent Session Chair/Speaker- Principles of Tissue and Organ Regeneration, 20th Annual ISSCR meeting, San Francisco, CA. June, 2022

Invited Speaker, Session Co-Chair, Cold Spring Harbor Symposium on the Biology of Aging, October 2022

Pending

-Vice Chair, "Stem cells and Cancer", Gordon Research Conference, Lucca (Barga), Italy. May, 2023.
-Speaker, Fusion Conference - Spermatogenesis Conference; Dubrovnik, Croatia. October, 2023
-Speaker, Fusion Conference- Biology of Aging; Dubrovnik, Croatia. October, 2023
-Session Chair, "Stem cells, homeostasis, and aging", Annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America; Tampa, FL, November 2023.
-Speaker, EMBO Workshop Aging vs Plasticity: How Cells Choose to Senesce or Rejuvenate; Sant Feliu de Guíxols, Spain April, 2024.
-Organizer, Fusion Conference - Intestinal stem cell-niche Interactions in Development and Disease; Cancun, Mexico. May, 2024

Seminars

Regulation of Stem Cell Behavior During Aging and Tumorigenesis. Southern California Stem Cell Consortium, September 2006. La Jolla, CA.

Stem cell-Niche cell interactions in normal, diseased, and aging tissues. Institut de Recherche en immunologie et en cancérologie. Université de Montréal. October 2006. Montréal, Canada.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Institute for Stem Cell Biology and Medicine and Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center, UCLA. January 2007. Los Angeles, CA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Department of Cellular and Molecular Medicine, Univ. of California- San Diego, May 2007. La Jolla, CA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Department of Genetics, Harvard Medical School. September 2007. Boston, MA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Department of Biology, Univ. of Rochester, November, 2007. Rochester, NY.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Department of Pharmacology, Univ. of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, November, 2007. Madison, WI.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Department of Cell Biology, Univ. of Texas, Southwestern, January, 2008. Dallas, TX.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Department of Bioengineering. Univ. of California- Berkeley, March 2008. Berkeley, CA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Buck Institute for Aging Research. March 2008. Novato, CA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Department of Cell Biology, Univ. of Georgia-Athens, April 2008. Athens, GA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Dept of Cellular and Physiological Sciences, University of British Columbia. March, 2009. Vancouver, British Columbia.

Mechanisms regulating maintenance of the stem cell niche. Cold Spring Harbor "Stem Cells" meeting. September, 2009. Cold Spring Harbor, NY.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Molecular and Computational Biology. University of Southern California. October, 2009. Los Angeles, CA.

Mechanisms regulating size and maintenance of a stem cell niche. Department of Developmental Biology, Washington University. January, 2010. St. Louis, MO.

Mechanisms regulating size and maintenance of a stem cell niche. Stem Cell Institute. University of Minnesota. January, 2010. Minneapolis, MN.

Mechanisms regulating size and maintenance of a stem cell niche. Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center, University of Washington, April, 2010. Seattle, WA.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Featured speaker for the NIA Advisory Council in Bethesda, MD. May, 2010.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Harvard Stem Cell Institute, Harvard University, Boston MA. November, 2010. (postponed)

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Keck School of Medicine. Univ. of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA. January, 2011.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Frontiers in Biology seminar series. Stanford University, Stanford, CA. May, 2011.

Mechanisms regulating maintenance of stem cells and the stem cell niche. Univ. of California-Riverside, Riverside, CA. October, 2011.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Univ. of California-Davis, Davis, CA. October, 2011.

Aging-related changes to stem cells and the stem cell niche. Dept. of Biological and Biomedical Sciences, Yale University, New Haven, CT. November, 2011.

Mechanisms regulating maintenance of stem cells and the stem cell niche. Univ. of California-Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA. January, 2012.

Mechanisms regulating maintenance of stem cells and the stem cell niche. Maintenance and Differentiation of Stem Cells in Development and Disease. Univ. of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany. January, 2012.

Mechanisms regulating maintenance of stem cells and the stem cell niche. Stanford University, Department of Biology, March 2013.

Strategies for characterizing and countering stem cell aging. University of Wisconsin-Madison, October, 2013.

Mechanisms regulating maintenance of stem cells and the stem cell niche. Univ of Colorado- Denver, November, 2013.

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