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Dr Damian Hussey

Deputy Chair Flinders University IBC Southern Adelaide Local Health Network

Expertise:

GMO construction and use for basic scientific studies – principally bacteria, mammalian cell lines and small animal models.

Prof Briony Forbes

College of Medicine and Public Health

Expertise:

GMO construction and use for basic scientific studies – principally bacteria, mammalian cell lines and small animal models.

Assoc Prof Michael Michael

Southern Adelaide Local Health Network, Flinders Centre for Innovation in Cancer

Expertise:

Molecular biologist involved in cancer research, studying gene expression, RNA biology and epigenetics.

Member of the Gene Technology Technical Advisory Committee (GTTAC).

Expertise relevant to IBC:

General recombinant DNA technology; transgenesis of mice and plants, and subsequent analysis; viral vectors for mammalian gene expression.

Assoc Prof Peter Speck

College of Science and Engineering

Expertise:

Research interests in viral and bacterial pathogenesis. Current research focus on the use of bacteriophages as a treatment for bacterial infections.

Expertise relevant to IBC:

Virology, in particular herpes simplex virus, microbiology

Dr Andrew Dubowsky

Senior Medical Scientist, SA Pathology

Expertise:

Role of genetics and epigenetics in familial cancer, ophthalmic genetics.

Expertise relevant to IBC:

General recombinant DNA technology, transgenesis of nematodes.

Assoc Prof Jill Carr

College of Medicine and Public Health

Expertise:

Virology, in particular HIV, dengue and hepatitis C virus. Have previous experience with design of self-inactivating lentiviral vectors and handling of risk group 2 and 3 organisms in PC2 and PC3 environments.

Prof Kathleen Soole

College of Science and Engineering

Expertise:

Current research areas include mitochondrial enzymes as target sites for antimicrobials and development of stress-resistant plants, and organic acid metabolism in plants.

Expertise relevant to IBC:

Plant biotechnology and molecular biology.

Assoc Prof Janni Petersen

College of Medicine and Public Health

Expertise:

Current research areas include extending the understanding of the control of activity for the energy sensor AMPK and the Target of Rapamycin TOR signalling network.

Expertise relevant to IBC:

General recombinant DNA technology; transgenesis of yeast, microbiology.

Dr Harriet Whiley

College of Science and Engineering

Expertise:

Current research interests include environmental and public health; environmental microbiology; molecular biology; biofilms; food microbiology; and opportunistic pathogens.

Expertise relevant to IBC:

Microbiology, with a focus on environmental microbiology

Professor Justine Smith

College of Medicine and Public Health

Expertise:

Studies of inflammation, infection and cancer of the human eye. Current research interests include response of human eye cells to infection with emerging viruses, *Toxoplasma gondii* infection, and mechanistic studies of inflammatory eye diseases.

Expertise relevant to IBC:

GM and non-GM parasitology and virology