

2016 FOUNDATION GRANTS RECIPIENTS

Recipient	Project title
Dr Omer Gilan	Investigating epigenetic regulation of transcriptional plasticity
A/Prof Kaylene Simpson	Developing High-Throughput CRISPR Genome Editing Solutions
Dr Paul Neeson	Exploring tumour infiltrating lymphocytes to derive the tumour immunome
Dr Ilia Voskoboinik	The molecular basis for immune escape in Chronic Lymphocytic Leukaemia
Dr Nicholas Clemons	New drugs for mutant-p53 cancers
Dr Shahneen Sandhu	The immune microenvironment in prostate cancer: comparison of prostate tumour samples from patients with BRCA1/2 mutations or mismatch repair deficiency to sporadic cases.
Dr Andrew Cuddihy	Development of a novel drug testing platform using a humanised mouse model of Multiple Myeloma
Dr Dariush Etemadmoghadam	A state-of-the-art molecular test to predict tumour site of origin and guide treatment in patients with carcinoma of unknown primary (CUP)
Dr Clare Fedele	Investigating melanoma cell metabolism and function

Dr Conor Kearney	Enhancing NK Cell Function in Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML)
Dr Amelia Brennan	Developing super-active immune cells for the treatment of solid cancers
Dr Elizabeth Kyriakou	Analysis of secondary cancers due to radiotherapy in the Late Effects database of Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre: does dose matter?
Dr Cristina Gamell	Novel therapeutic approach for Prostate Cancer
Dr Francesca Froidi	Establishment of patient-derived neurosphere cultures
Dr Debra Leung	Plan-4-Surgery: Targeted Interventions to Increase Advance Care Planning Uptake in the Perioperative Setting
Dr Stephin Vervoort	Targeting transcriptional addiction for cancer therapy in MLL-driven AML
Dr Stephen Wong	Establishing circulating tumour DNA as a diagnostic tool for melanoma patients
A/Prof Sarah Ellis	Scribble acts as an oncogene in T-cell acute lymphoblastic leukaemia
Mr Vladimir Bolshinsky	Iron transfusion with Ferric Carboxymaltose as a technique for improving physiological reserve in iron deficient patients with colorectal cancer: a randomized control trial
Dr David Goode	Finding novel drivers of prostate tumour formation and progression through an innovative orthology-based transcriptome analysis strategy

Mr Andrew Smith

Recovery, health and wellbeing: an exercise and self-management program for adolescent and young adult (AYA) cancer survivors