

RNA Mediated Interference in Practice

5th March 2004

- 10:30 – 11:00 **Registration – Tea, coffee and biscuits**
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Introduction by the Chair**
Buzz Baum
Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research
- 11:30 – 12:00 **Predesigned and validated siRNAs and their use in functional assays**
Nicola Parsons
Ambion
- 12:00 – 1:00 **Lunch and meet the companies**
- 1:00 - 1:30 **Requirements and challenges for the development of siRNA therapeutics**
Andre Lochter
Director Business Development
Atugen AG
- 1:30 – 2:00 **RNAi in drug development.**
Dmitry Samarsky
Director of Technology Development
Invitrogen Corporation
- 2:00 - 2:30 **Effective Gene Silencing using Vector based technology**
Jeremy Gillespie
Invitrogen Corporation
- 2:30 – 3:00 **Afternoon tea**
- 3:00 – 3:30 **Rational selection of Functional siRNAs**
Steve Daniel - Product application specialist
Dharmacon
- 3:30 - 4:00 **Enabling developments in whole transcriptome silencing**
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- 4:00 - 4:30 **Systemic targeted delivery of siRNA and therapeutic applications**
M. Woodle
Intradigm
- 4:30 **Close**