

RNA Mediated Interference in Practice

8th April 2005 – Birkbeck College, London

Agenda

Morning Session

- 09:30 – 10:00** **Registration – Tea, coffee and biscuits**
- 10:00 - 10:15 **Introduction by the Chair:** Dr Buzz Baum - LICR
- 10:15 - 10:50 **Use of siRNA in high-content screening assays**
Dr Douglas Robinson - Dharmacon, Inc
- 10:50 – 11:25 **High-throughput siRNA analysis**
Dr Stephanie Brooking – Ambion Ltd
- 11:25- 12:00 **Morning tea/coffee**
- 12:00 – 12:50 **New toys with old problems: Safety and delivery issues in the therapeutic application of RNAi.**
Dr. Sterghios Moschos - National Heart and Lung Institute, Imperial College, London
- 12:50 – 14:00** **Lunch and meet the companies**

Afternoon Session

- 14:00 – 14:40 **Genome-wide RNAi approaches to dissection signaling pathways in Drosophila**
Dr Michael Boutros - German Cancer Research Center
- 14:40 – 14:15 **Focus on Your Target – a novel transfection reagent and accompanying DICER kit**
Mr Christopher Jones - Roche Diagnostics Ltd
- 14:15 - 14:50 **siRNA molecules for systemic applications in oncology**
Dr André Lochter - atugen AG
- 15:00** **Close**