

**TransPOT 1<sup>st</sup> Review Meeting**  
**28 January 2013**  
**University of Crete Medical School, Heraklion**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title</b>
8:45	<b>Registration</b>	
9:00	<b>Aris Eliopoulos</b> Division of Basic Sciences	Welcome and Programme Overview
9:10	<b>Olga Rasouli</b> Sabine Kruger Division of Internal Medicine	The role of the CRH-axis in stress-induced psoriasis
9:35	<b>Tonia Akoumianaki</b> George Hamilos Division of Internal Medicine	Dissecting the role of autophagy pathway in sepsis-induced immunosuppression
10:00	<b>Kalliope Gkouskou</b> Aris Eliopoulos Division of Basic Sciences	The IGF pathway in inflammatory bowel disease
10:25	<b>Zoe Veneti</b> Aris Eliopoulos Division of Basic Sciences	Drosophila as a model to study gut pathologies
<b>Coffee Break 10:50-11:20</b>		
11:20	<b>Chrysoula Deligianni</b> Christos Tsatsanis Division of Clinical Laboratory Medicine	Role of Akt signaling in the regulation of Th17 responses by macrophages
11:45	<b>Themis Alissafi</b> P.Sidiropoulos Division of Internal Medicine	Unravelling the mode of action of antigen specific Tregs in autoimmune diseases
12:10	<b>George Bertisias</b> Division of Internal Medicine	Use of transcriptome analysis to identify novel biomarkers and dissect disease pathogenesis in systemic lupus erythematosus
12:35	<b>Sotiris Kampranis</b> Division of Basic Sciences	Understanding the role of protein methylation/demethylation in cancer
<b>Lunch 13:00-14:00</b>		
14:00	<b>Eliza Tsitoura</b> George Sourvinos Division of Clinical Laboratory Medicine	Regulation of microRNAs in response to Herpes Simplex Virus type-1 (HSV-1) infection in Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF): preliminary results
14:25	<b>Maria Savaki</b> Domna Karagogeos Division of Basic Sciences	The role of the juxtapanodal protein TAG-1 in models of in vivo neurodegeneration
14:50	<b>Fotini Kiagiadaki</b> George Notas Division of Clinical Laboratory Medicine	Expression of Activin-A and its receptors in parenchymal and non-parenchymal liver cells

15:15	<b>Aristea Batsali</b> Helen Papadaki Division of Internal Medicine	Head-to-head comparative study of Wharton's Jelly and Bone Marrow Mesenchymal Stem Cells - Preliminary Results
<i>Coffee Break 15:15-15:45</i>		
15:45	<b>Joanna Kondaraki</b> Panayotis Vardas Division of Internal Medicine	MicroRNAs in peripheral blood cells of cardiovascular disease patients
16:10	<b>Natasa Kalyva</b> Frangiskos Parthenakis Division of Internal Medicine	Circulating mesenchymal stem cells and endothelial progenitor cells in patients with left ventricular hypertrophy
16:35	<b>Effie Thymiakou</b> Dimitris Kardassis Division of Basic Sciences	Regulation of genes involved in HDL metabolism in intestinal cell lines and animal models with chronic inflammatory bowel diseases
17:00	<b>Closing Remarks and Advisory Board Meeting</b>	