



Department of Molecular Genetics and Microbiology

29th Annual Departmental Retreat

Friday, October 19, 2007
Old Field Club, Stony Brook

- 10:15 am **Chairman's Welcome, Jorge Benach, PhD**
- 10:30 am GlcNAc signaling in the human pathogen *Candida albicans*
James Konopka, PhD
- 11:00 am It's the end that matters: transcript termination and meiotic differentiation in fission yeast
Janet Leatherwood, PhD
- 11:30 am p73 suppresses polyploidy and aneuploidy in the absence of functional p53
Ute Moll, MD
- 12:00 **Luncheon and Poster Set-up**
- 1:00 pm Epithelial transdifferentiation in pancreatic cancer
Howard Crawford, PhD
- 1:30 pm Virulence factor biogenesis in 3-D
David Thanassi, PhD
- 2:00 pm **Break and Departmental Photo**
- 2:30 pm *Yersinia* pathogenesis
James Bliska, PhD
- 3:00 pm Inhibition of T cell responses by *Salmonella*
Ando van der Velden, PhD
- 3:30 pm **Presentation of Graduate Student Awards**
- 3:45 pm **Poster Session**

