

東京医科歯科大学 グローバルCOE

歯と骨の分子疾患科学の国際研究拠点 ーデント・メドミクスのインテリジェンスハブー

第2回 リトリート



【日程】

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**International Research Center for
Molecular Science
in Tooth and Bone Diseases**
Second Retreat Camp

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東京医科歯科大学

日程

1日目

時刻	プログラム
9.00-	東京医科歯科大から出発 バス
11.00-	到着予定 荷物を預ける
11.30-	自己紹介 (学生とGCOE スタッフ) 予定より遅れた場合は省略
12.00-	昼食 (ポスターセットアップ)
13.00-	開会の挨拶 野田教授
13.10-14.10	Prof. Jane Aubin (トロント大) 50分 10分ディスカッション
14.10-15.00	辻 孝 先生 (東京理科大) 40分 10分ディスカッション
15.00-15.30	Louisa Ho (トロント大学院) 講演
15.30-15.40	休憩
15.40-16.00	前田由紀子先生 (ハーバード大)
16.00-17.30	学生によるポスター 投票による優秀賞の選抜
17.30-17.45	Prof. Jane Aubin (Career Pathに関する講演)
17.45-18.35	シャペロンの研究キーワードについての談話 夕食
18.35-	シャペロンと学生の研究進路などについての 討論会

2日目

7.00-8.50	朝食
9.00-10.00	シャペロンによる口演発表 発表10分、ディスカッション2分
10.00-12.00	学生による口演発表 発表7分、ディスカッション3分
12.00-12.40	チェックアウト・昼食 宇宙航空研究開発機構訪問 (大森 克徳先生、嶋津 徹先生、大島 博先生による講演)
13.30	集合・守衛室前
13.30-13.45	(バッチ配布) 伏島、斉藤
13.45-14.45	各自展示室、お土産 (60分) 個人行動
14.45	ロケット前に再集合 伏島、斉藤
14.45-15.00	(移動・実験棟)
15.00-15.20	嶋津さん講演 (20分)
15.20-15.40	大森さん講演 (20分)
15.40-16.00	大島さん講演 (20分)
16.00-16.15	(移動・守衛室)
16.15	バッチ回収・解散
17.00-	医科歯科大へ到着

Schedule

1st day

time	programme
9.00-	departure from TMDU by bus activities on bus
11.00-	approximate arrival arrange baggage (luggage reception?)
11.30-	self introduction (all students and COE staffs) if schedule becomes late, skip this part briefly
12.00-	lunch (poster setup)
13.00-	opening speech by Prof. Noda
13.10-14.10	Prof. Jane Aubin (University of Toronto) 50 min presentation 10min discussion
14.10-15.00	Prof. Takashi Tsuji (Tokyo University of Science) 40 min presentation 10min discussion
15.00-15.30	Louisa Ho (graduate student, University of Toronto)
15.30-15.40	break
15.40-16.00	Dr. Yukiko Maeda (Harvard Univ.)
16.00-17.30	student poster presentation Selection of Excellent posters
17.30-17.45	Prof. Jane Aubin (University of Toronto) Career Path
17.45-18.35	chaperone key word discussion
18.35-	dinner
19.30-20.45	chaperone/prof. activity/ discuss in general topics

2nd day

7.00-8.50	breakfast
9.00-10.00	chaperone oral presentation 10 min. present/ 2 min discussion
10.00-12.00	student oral presentation 7 min. present/ 3 min discussion
12.00-12.40	check out /lunch
13.00-15.30	visiting lab JAXA (Tsukuba, Lectures by Drs. Oshima, Oomori, and Shimazu)
17.00-	back to TMDU

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「ナノゲル scaffold を用いた EP4 アゴニストと BMP の骨再生能に関する研究」

**中川 朋美**

Tomomi Nakagawa

Dept. of Molecular Pharmacology

「悪性黒色腫の骨の転移における転写因子 Ciz の役割の解明」

**Patricia Makishi**

Dept. of Cariology and Operative Dentistry

「レジンセメントと象牙質界面におけるナノリーケーageについて」

**林 幹人**

Mikihito Hayashi

Dept. of Cell Signaling

「破骨細胞の分化ステージ特異的な NFATc1 標的遺伝子の同定」

**青井 陽子**

Yoko Aoi

Dept. of Cellular Physiological Chemistry

「低酸素下におけるサイトカイン産生変動機序～メチル化の関与」








**Chalida Nakalekha**

Dept. of Cellular Physiological Chemistry

「骨代謝におけるプロスタサイクリンの役割」



Rajib Bhattacharjee Dept. of Cellular Physiological Chemistry coment 「骨芽細胞におけるコネキシン43発現の調節機構の解明」	
津川 順一 Junichi Tsugawa Dept. of Cellular Physiological Chemistry 「印刷技術を用いて羊膜に転写した細胞による骨再生療法の確立」	
長岡 亮介 Ryosuke Nagaoka Dept. of Cellular Physiological Chemistry 「顔面形態形成に対する低酸素の影響」	
Hudieb Malik Ismail Dept. of Oral Implantology & Regenerative Dental Medicine 「インプラントと骨再生との生物物理学的関係」	
MYAT NYAN Dept. of Oral Implantology & Regenerative Dental Medicine 「Simvastatin含有 α -TCPを用いた骨再生に関する研究」	
Reena Rodriguez Dept. of Oral Implantology & Regenerative Dental Medicine 「Epigallocatechin-3-gallate含有Gelatin Hydrogelを用いた骨再生に関する研究」	
伊達 佑生 Yuki Date Dept. of Oral Implantology & Regenerative Dental Medicine 「歯根発生に関する因子の同定」	
則武 加奈子 Kanao Noritake Dept. of Oral Implantology & Regenerative Dental Medicine 「スーパ-GBR膜「ハイドロゲルシート」の開発」	
Gombo Balortuya Dept. of Pulp Biology and Endodontics 「インテグリン発現を評価することによる象牙芽細胞の成熟とシグナル伝達に対する低出力レーザー療法の効果」	
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Aslam Al Mehdi Dept. of Periodontology 「歯周疾患は動脈疾患の進行に重要なリスクファクターとなる」	
Gamaralalage Amodini Rajakaruna Dept. of Periodontology 「歯周病とパーリヤー病の関連の解明」	

新垣 理宣 Tadanobu Aragaki 口腔病理学分野 角化嚢胞性歯原性腫瘍の生物学的特徴 Biological characteristics of Keratocystic odontogenic tumors	
Ganburged Ganjargal Dept. of Maxillofacial Orthognathics 「マルファン症候群における重篤な歯周炎の分子機構について」	
鈴木 尋之 Hiroyuki Suzuki Dept. of Maxillofacial Orthognathics 「可溶性 fibroblast growth factor receptor2 (FGFR2) の頭蓋冠縫合部早期癒合症に対する治療効果」	
木村 文子 Ayako Kimura Dept. of Orthopaedic and Spinal Surgery 「軟骨細胞の分化調節機構の解明 -軟骨組織特異的Runx1マウスを用いた検討-」	
菅田 祐美 Yumi Sugata Dept. of Orthopaedic and Spinal Surgery 「HApColとビスフォスフォネート局所徐放による骨悪性腫瘍の治療法の開発」	
白 樺 Bai Hua Dept. of Molecular Cytogenetics 「ヒト癌におけるオートファジー関連遺伝子LC3A1遺伝子の機能解析」	
呂 正光 Lu ZhengGang Dept. of Molecular Genetics 「転移性骨腫瘍をターゲットとしたNF-kappa B活性制御機構解明」	
岩船 浩孝 Hirotaka Iwafune Epigenetics ゲノムインプリンティング リプログラミング変異体の単離とその解析 Analysis of reprogramming mechanism of genomic imprinting in mice	
Samir Kumar Pal 口腔病理学 (Oral Pathology) 口腔扁平上皮癌による骨破壊におけるThrombospondin-1の役割 The Role of Thrombospondin-1 (TSP-1) in Bone Destruction by Oral Squamous Cell Carcinoma	
下田 麻子 Asako Shimoda 有機材料 (Organic materials) ナノゲル架橋ハイドロゲルによるタンパク質デリバリー Design of Nanogel-assembled hydrogel for protein delivery	

高橋 治子

Haruko Takahashi

有機材料 (Organic materials)

Polysaccharide nano-ball を用いた新規ナノキャリアの開発

Design of Functional Polysaccharide nano-ball as new nanocarrier

**木原 翼**

Tasuku Kihara

Oral pathology

骨芽細胞分化と骨再生におけるCCN3の役割

The role of CCN3 in osteoblast differentiation and bone regeneration

**古田 繭子**

Mayuko Furuta

分子細胞遺伝学 (Molecular Cytogenetics)

新たなRNA創薬に寄与する癌抑制性microRNAの機能的スクリーニング

Exploration of novel tumor-suppressive microRNAs using functional genomics-assisted approach

**姫野 彰子**

Akiko Himeno

バイオイメージングを用いた歯周組織幹細胞の同定

Identification of periodontal stem cells by bio-imaging approaches

**辻 香織**

Kaori Tsuji

顎顔面矯正学

Zinc finger 型転写因子POKEMONの破骨細胞における役割の解明

Investigation of the role of zinc finger transcription factor, POKEMON in osteoclasts

**Amir Nazari**

う蝕制御学

う蝕脱灰象牙質を高度石灰化組織へと変化させるための再石灰化技術の創造

Developing a Dentin Remineralising Method (DRM) to Transform Carious Demineralised Dentin into Hypermineralised Substrate

**許 レン**

XU Ren

整形外科 (Orthopaedic and Spinal Surgery)

視床下部性神経ペプチドによる中枢骨代謝制御機構の解明

Uncovering the molecular mechanism of central control of bone remodeling by hypothalamic neuropeptides

**周 夢宇**

Zhou Mengyu

歯髄生物学 (Pulp Biology and Endodontics)

歯根形成のメカニズム-SCAP (根尖部幹細胞) からの象牙芽細胞およびセメント芽細胞分化に関与する因子の解明

The mechanisms of root formation- Elucidation of the signaling molecules on odontoblast and cementoblast differentiation from SCAP

**Smriti Aryal**

分子薬理学 (Molecular Pharmacology)

細胞骨格による骨代謝制御の分子機構 -Nckの骨の細胞機能調節に於ける役割の解明-

Molecular Mechanisms Underlying Cytoskeletal Regulation of Bone Metabolism-Role of Nck Proteins in Bone Cell Function-

**松本 力**

Tsutomu Matsumoto

口腔病理学

矯正的歯の移動における骨細胞の役割

The role of osteocyte in orthodontic tooth movement

**Chokechanachaisakul**

Uraivan

歯髄生物学 (Pulp Biology and Endodontics)

ラットを用いた歯髄生物学

Rat's pulp biology

**Kunawarote Sitthikorn**

う蝕制御学

う蝕象牙質に対する接着性能の改良

Improve Bond strength to Caries-affected dentin

**Ilnaz Hariri**

う蝕制御学

高度に石灰化した接着界面構造の作成と機械的性質の評価
Generation of hyper mineralized adhesive Interface and study on its mechanical properties**AL-Bari MD. ABDUL**

分子情報伝達学 (Cell Signaling)

破骨細胞分化を制御するphosphatidylinositol-3,4,5-trisphosphate結合タンパク質の同定と機能解析

Identification and analysis of phosphatidylinositol-3,4,5-trisphosphatebinding proteins (PIP₃BP) that regulate osteoclast differentiation**古市 祥子**

Akiko Furuichi

インプラント・口腔再生医学

酸素ナノバブル水の骨組織における生体活性評価

Evaluation for the biologically activity of oxygen nano bubbles solution (OXNB)

**Hamid Nurrohmah**

う蝕制御学 (Cariology and Operative Dentistry)

人口口腔装置を用いたバイオフィームによるう蝕形成後の“Super Dentin” のナノ構造解析

The effect of collagenolytic inhibitors on the quality of acid-base resistant zone in dentin

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歯周病学 (Periodontology)

歯周組織の除菌のための新しい治療様式の開発:LEDと光感受性色素を用いた抗菌的光線力学療法の効果に関する基礎的研究

Development of a New Treatment Modality for Periodontal Disinfection: Basic Study on the Effect of Antimicrobial Photodynamic Therapy using the Combination of an LED light Source and a Photosensitizing Dye



Wayakanon Praween

分子細胞機能学 (Cellular Physiological Chemistry)
アニュラーギャップジャンクションの形成機構
The Mechanisms of Annular Gap Junction Formation



村松 智輝

Tomoki Muramatsu
分子細胞遺伝学 (Molecular Cytogenetics)
食道扁平上皮癌の発生・進展におけるYAP増幅・発現
亢進の分子病理学的意義
Significance of YAP amplification/overexpression in the
pathogenesis of esophageal squamous cell carcinoma



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歯周病学
骨吸収を引き起こす咬合性外傷の分子機構について解
析する-TRPV4の役割-
Molecular mechanism underlying occlusal trauma,
induced-bone loss Role of TRPV4



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インプラント・口腔再生医学
表面改良型 Y-TZP ジルコニア:骨再生に関する生体外及
び生体内の研究
Surface modified Y-TZP Zirconia: an in vitro and in
vivo study of bone formation



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硬組織構造生物学 (インプラント・口腔再生医学)
小型硬骨魚メダカの顎歯と咽頭歯の発生誘導に及ぼすエクトデ
イスプラシン情報伝達経路の役割の解析と歯の進化の検討
Evolutionarily conserved role of ectodysplasin signaling in
odontogenesis of ectodermally and endodermally induced
teeth in small-sized teleost fish medaka



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顎顔面外科 (分子薬理)
骨代謝における負のM-CSFシグナルによる新制御機構の解析
-Dok アダプター分子による破骨細胞制御と骨粗鬆症-
Novel Insights into Negative Molecular Regulation of
M-CSF Signaling in Bone Metabolism -Function of Dok
Adaptor Molecules in Osteoclasts and Osteoporosis -



Rojbani Hisham Khalifa

implantology
異なる骨補填剤 (アルファ TCP, ベータTCP, HA) とシンバス
タチン投与の有無におけるラットでの骨形成に関する比較研究
A comparative study of the effect of three different
Bone substitute materials (α-TCP, β-TCP, and HA) on the
formation of new bone with and without the use of
Simvastatin



チェン 康

Chen Kang
インプラント・口腔再生医学 (Dental Implantology &
Oral Regenerative Medicine)
歯科用インプラント周囲骨における直流電流装置を用い
た骨形成促進作用に関する研究
A direct current device for accelerating bone
formation in tissues surrounding a dental implant



Osama Zakaria

インプラント・口腔再生医学
GBRと骨膜デストラクション法による軟組織の同時骨
再生のための新規開発装置の評価
Evaluation of a new device for bone regeneration by
GBR and periosteal distraction simultaneously with
soft tissue distraction



Khandakar Abu Shameem Md. Saadat

分子発生学 (分子細胞機能学)
RB/E2F 経路の制御と骨肉腫形成過程における
DRIL1の役割
The Role of DRIL1 in the Regulation of RB/E2F
Pathway and Tumorigenesis of Osteosarcoma



Erik Idrus

Dept. of Cell Signaling
[RANKL刺激によるNFATc1 制御遺伝子と
microRNAの同定]



藤田 浩二

Koji Fujita
Dept. of Orthopaedic and Spinal Surgery
[Vitamin Eの骨代謝に対する影響について]



王 慧峰

Wang HuiFeng
Dept. of Molecular Genetics
[新規BRCA2関連遺伝子Nucleophosmin (NPM) の
同定と機能解析]



Gja^{Jrt/+} mice are protected from age-related bone loss

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Oculodentodigital dysplasia (ODDD) is an autosomal dominant disorder characterized by pleiotropic developmental anomalies of the limbs, teeth, face and eyes that was shown recently to be caused by mutations in the gap junction protein alpha 1 gene (GJA1), encoding connexin 43 (Cx43). In the course of performing an Nethyl-N-nitrosourea mutagenesis screen, we identified a dominant mouse mutation that exhibits many classic symptoms of ODDD, including syndactyly, enamel hypoplasia, craniofacial anomalies and cardiac dysfunction. Positional cloning revealed that these mice carry a point mutation in Gja1 leading to the substitution of a highly conserved amino acid (G60S) in Cx43. In vivo and in vitro studies revealed that the mutant Cx43 protein acts in a dominant-negative fashion to disrupt gap junction assembly and function. Notably, in addition to the classic features of ODDD, Gja^{Jrt/+} mice exhibit osteopenia throughout life, with delayed ossification of all bones, but the difference in bone mineral density (BMD) compared to wild type littermates becomes less pronounced with age, i.e., Gja^{Jrt/+} mice are protected from the age-related bone loss seen in wild type mice. Cellular assays showed that osteoclast number is normal or even slightly reduced but activity is higher in younger but not older Gja^{Jrt/+} versus wild type mice. On the other hand, osteoblast number in vivo and osteoprogenitor number in stromal cell cultures in vitro display a trend towards being increased in older animals, i.e., in mice at 8 and 12 months of age. In addition, while no differences were seen in osteoblast-associated marker expression at early differentiation times, expression of several mature osteoblast and osteocyte markers was significantly higher at late differentiation time points in bones and stromal cultures of Gja^{Jrt/+} versus wild type mice. Our results indicate that while complete ablation of Cx43 and the presence of a dominant-negative allele of Cx43 both lead to low bone mass phenotypes, the underlying cellular mechanisms are notably different. In particular, our data show that diminution of Cx43 expression and function via the G60S mutation affects bone modeling and remodeling by dysregulation of both osteoclast and osteoblast lineage cells, that the osteopenia seen may reflect primarily increased osteoclast activity in younger mice, but that this is balanced by an increased osteoblast activity, the latter protecting Gja^{Jrt/+} mice from the age-related bone loss seen in wild type mice.

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09/1968–06/1972	Bachelor of Science (Honours), Chemistry/Mathematics, Queen's University at Kingston, CANADA
07/1972–02/1977	Doctorate (PhD), Medical Biophysics, University of Toronto, CANADA (Dr. Victor Ling)
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07/1999–	Full Professor, Medical Biophysics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto, CANADA
07/2002–	Full Professor Medical Genetics and Microbiology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto, CANADA
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Distinctions

06/1970	Canadian Rosebrough Award - Book Prize, Canadian Chemical Society, CANADA
06/1971	Analytical Chemistry Award, Queen's University, CANADA
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03/1985	Oral Biology Research Award, International Association for Dental Research
10/2004	The William F. Neuman Award, American Society for Bone and Mineral Research, UNITED STATES
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Councils and Leadership Roles (selected):

1997-2000	Board of Directors, Advances in Mineral Metabolism
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2000-2002	Chair, Science Policy Committee, ASBMR
1998-2001	Member of Executive, AACBNB Chairpersons (US)
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2001-present	Member, Board of Directors, Canadian Arthritis Network NCE
2002-2006	Member, Board of Directors, and Public Affairs Executive Committee, FASEB
2003-2007	Member of the Board, International Bone and Mineral Society
2004-present	Member, Finance Committee, American Society for Cell Biology
2004	Co-Chair, Long range planning advisory committee in research in Bone Biology and Bone Diseases, NIAMS/NIH
2005-2007	President-Elect, International Bone and Mineral Society

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Tooth Regenerative Therapy as a Future Organ Replacement Regenerative Therapy

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To restore the partial loss of organ function, stem cell transplantation therapy has been developed as a cure for various diseases conditions, such as Parkinson's disease, leukemia, spinal injury, cardiac infarction, diabetes and liver diseases. The ultimate goal of regenerative therapy is to develop fully functioning bioengineered organs that can replace lost or damaged organs after disease, injury or aging. The development of three-dimensionally reconstructed bioengineered organs from dissociated single cells in vitro is a goal of this technology. However, no technology yet exists that enables us to create and grow organs through the single cell manipulation.

Almost all organs including tooth arise from the organ germs, which are induced by the reciprocal epithelial-mesenchymal interactions in the developing embryo. It has been proposed a novel concept for a bioengineered organ development that to properly reproduce the developmental process of organogenesis. To demonstrate the possibility of this concept, we attempted to develop a tooth regenerative therapy for lost tooth, which were challenged from the transplantation of a bioengineered tooth germ in adult oral environment as a model of a future organ replacement therapy. In the dental field, the therapy, such as "bridge" and "implant", had been established to prevent the movement of the neighboring teeth and supplement of their functions for the loss of the tooth by injury, caries or diseases. Therefore, "tooth" provides a good feasibility study model for the development of the technologies for a future organ replacement regenerative therapy.

In current research on whole-tooth regenerative therapy, a basic strategy is being pursued in which a bioengineered tooth germ is induced to develop into a fully functional tooth. Previously, we developed a three-dimensional organ-germ culture method for the reconstitution a bioengineered organ germ in the early developmental stages (Nature Methods 2007). The regeneration of tooth and periodontal tissues into a functional tooth unit is a critical issue for achieving proper oral function, including mastication. Recently, we successfully demonstrated that our bioengineered tooth germ could develop a fully functioning tooth, which has hardness for masticatory potential, the functional responsibility against a mechanical stress in maxillofacial region, and perceptive potentials of neural fibers innervated into the periodontal ligament and pulp of the bioengineered tooth to noxious stimulations such as orthodontic treatment and a pulp stimulation (PNAS 2009). These results showed that the bioengineered tooth germ could develop a fully functioning regenerated tooth in vivo after engraftment and an organ replacement regenerative therapy using a bioengineered organ germ might be feasible.

In this presentation, I will talk and discuss about the strategies and recent progress of the research for the establishment of tooth regenerative therapy.

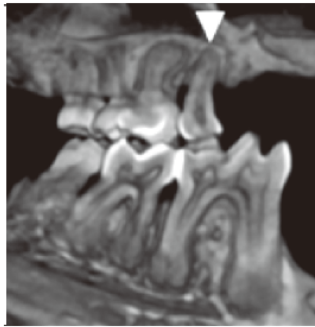


Figure:

Micro-CT analysis of a bioengineered tooth erupted in adult oral environment at 50 days after transplantation. Arrow-head indicates the bioengineered tooth

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Professional Career

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1993-2000	Senior Researcher, Pharmaceutical Frontier Research Laboratory, Japan Tobacco Inc.
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Other Career

2008-Present	Director, Organ Technologies Inc.
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Academic Activities

2007-Present	Director, the Japanese Association for Regenerative Dentistry
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Gli2 and p53 interactions in Hedgehog-induced Tumorigenesis

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Enchondromas are common benign cartilage tumors that arise in bones that undergo endochondral ossification, and may progress to malignant chondrosarcoma. Development of enchondroma results from abnormal regulation of Indian hedgehog (Ihh) signaling during growth plate development. As well, mutations in p53 have been detected in chondrosarcoma, and are thus suspected to play a role in its progression. Our lab has previously shown that enchondroma develop in transgenic mice in which overexpression of the Ihh activated transcription factor Gli2 is targeted in the growth plate. Furthermore, Gli2 overexpressing mice also carrying a p53 deficiency develop larger more cellular cartilage lesions, but do not develop chondrosarcoma. Embryonic growth plates of Gli2 transgenic and p53 KO mice showed decreased apoptosis compared to WT, with an enhanced effect observed in the double transgenic mice. Furthermore, a microarray screen of C2C12 cells with increased Hh signaling showed a downregulation of IGFBP-3 (insulin-like growth factor binding protein-3), a p53 target gene with known anti-apoptotic effects in other tumor cell models.

To investigate whether IGFBP-3 is regulated by Hh/Gli and p53 signaling pathways in growth plate development and maintenance, murine limb explants were treated with Shh and/or IGFBP-3 peptides. Treatment of these limbs with Shh reduced apoptosis, similar to the effect observed in p53 KO mice, of which addition of IGFBP-3 rescued their apoptotic deficient phenotype. Moreover, ChIP analysis of human CSA samples revealed a Gli2 transcription factor binding site upstream of IGFBP-3, suggesting that Hh signaling directly regulates IGFBP-3 expression within the growth plate. This was confirmed by decreased luciferase activity following activation of the Hh pathway in cell lines transfected with an IGFBP-3 promoter construct, but was not observed when transfected with a mutated construct of the putative Gli binding site. Finally, mice expressing Gli2 developed substantially fewer tumors when they were also deficient for Igf2.

Overall our data suggests that the combined effects of Gli2 overexpression and p53 deficiency act to inhibit IGFBP-3, resulting in decreased apoptosis and the development of large cartilage lesions observed in adult murine limbs. Therefore, IGF signaling-mediated apoptosis may play a major role in regulating the progression of benign enchondroma to malignant chondrosarcoma.

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Education

- 2005-present Ph.D. University of Toronto
Department of Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology
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Department of Developmental and Stem Cell Biology
- 2000-2005 Hon. B.Sc. University of Toronto with Distinction
Major: Biology, Minor: Anthropology

Research Experience

- 2004-2005 Student Research Project on diuretic peptides in *Rhodnius prolixus*
• Dissect adult specimens and observe location of diuretic peptides in the gut and CNS using immunohistochemistry
- 2003 Archaeology Lab Assistant, Volunteer, University of Toronto
• Collected quantitative data on fossil groups
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Teaching Experience

- 2005-2006 Teaching Assistant, 2nd year undergraduate Physiology, University of Toronto
• Lab based instruction, marking of assignments and tests, exam moderation

Extracurricular Activities

- 2009 Executive committee, Life Science Career Day Seminars
• Graduate student-run initiative at the University of Toronto that aims to help graduate students explore the various career paths that can stem from a life sciences graduate degree
- 2009 Volunteer Coordinator, Heart and Stroke Foundation-University of Toronto
• Recruitment of volunteers and communication of volunteering opportunities for upcoming events
- 2002-2003 Finance Minister, Erindale Math Club, University of Toronto
• Raised money and communicated balance of funds
- 2002-2004 Intramural team member, Indoor Volleyball

Awards

- 2005-2009 RESTRACOMP, Hospital for Sick Children Foundation
• Awarded to graduate students in biomedical sciences by the SickKids Foundation Graduate Scholarships at the University of Toronto based on academic performance, publication activity, and other research, academic activities to cover their stipend.
- 2009 Gallie Day, The Department of Surgery, University of Toronto
• Awarded second place in oral presentation competition
- 2009 Gordon Research Conference: Cartilage Biology and Pathology
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- 2007 Gallie Day, The Department of Surgery, University of Toronto
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- 2005,2006 University of Toronto Fellowship Award
- 2000-2004 Volunteer Recognition Award
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Maintenance of bone growth and bone mass requires Hedgehog signaling

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Indian hedgehog (Ihh) plays a crucial role during growth plate and endochondral bone formation. Our previous studies with the *col2 a 1-Cre ER⁺;Ihhd/d/* animals demonstrated that *Ihh* deletion from all postnatal chondrocytes results in complete loss of the growth plate and subsequently trabecular bone (Maeda et al. 2007) .

Since the growth plate is required as a template for trabecular bone direct role of chondrocyte derived Ihh on trabecular bone formation is unknown.

Furthermore, activation of the Ihh downstream target PTH/PTHrP receptor (Jansen) could not rescue the loss of growth plate, suggesting Ihh is essential to maintain the growth plate independent of PTHrP (Maeda et al.2009) .

Therefore to further address the question whether chondrocyte-derived Ihh directly affects trabecular bone formation in postnatal life we generated a new hypomorph mouse model, *colX-Cre;Ihhd/d/*, in which Ihh is only removed from a subset of hypertrophic chondrocytes.

ColX-Cre;Ihhd/d/ mice were born with the expected Mendelian pattern of inheritance and looked indistinguishable from their normal littermates at birth. Deletion of *Ihh* from hypertrophic chondrocytes was confirmed by qRT-PCR and *in situ* hybridization. We analyzed control and mutant mice at 3 weeks and 4 months and could demonstrate that a growth plate as preserved. Micro CT analysis and TRAP staining of bone from *colX-Cre;Ihhd/d/* mice showed reduced bone volume and increased osteoclast number when compared to their control littermates at postnatal 3 weeks and 4 months. These results suggest that chondrocyte-derived Ihh signaling is required for maintenance of postnatal bone.

A. Positions and Honors

Research Positions:

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B. Selected Peer-reviewed Publications

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C. Meetings and Presentations

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- ASBMR Meeting (Oral) Montreal, QC (2008)
"Chondrocyte-derived *Ihh* Is Required for Osteoblast Differentiation Despite Reconstitution of a Normal Growth Plate"
- ASBMR Meeting (Poster) Honolulu, HI (2007)
"Indian Hedgehog Is Essential for Postnatal Bone"
- ASBMR Meeting (Oral) Philadelphia, PA (2006)
"Indian Hedgehog (*Ihh*) Is Required for Endochondral Bone Formation after Birth"
- Sun Valley Workshop, (Oral) Sun Valley, ID (2006)
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- ASBMR Meeting (Plenary Poster) Nashville, TN (2005)
"Chondrocyte-Specific Deletion of Indian Hedgehog (*Ihh*) in Postnatal Life"
- IBMS Meeting (Oral) Osaka, Japan (2003)
"In vivo bone formation induced by BMP injections onto calvaria and angiogenesis during fracture healing are impaired in *Id1/Id3* double gene knockout mice"
- ASBMR Meeting (Poster) Minneapolis, MN (2003)
"Limbin, a gene required for normal lengthening of limbs, is expressed in chondrocytes in culture and its levels are down-regulated by BMP2"
- ASBMR Meeting (Oral) San Antonio, TX (2002)
"*Id1/Id3* double gene knockout results in defects in angiogenesis in fracture callus and suture development"
- IBMS Meeting (Poster) Okayama, Japan (2002)
"The growth suppression of epiphyseal cartilage by perichondrium is blocked in in ovo organ culture system"

11. ASBMR Meeting (Poster) Phenix, AL (2001)
"Perichondrium acts as an inducer of apoptosis in epiphyseal chondrocytes in in vitro organ cultures but its inhibitory activity is blocked in in ovo organ cultures"
12. JBS Meeting (Poster) Yokohama, Japan (2000)
"The interaction between angiogenesis and perichondrium during endochondral bone formation"
13. MBSJ Meeting (Poster) Hukuoka, Japan (1999)
"The role of chicken Dachshund gene during neural development"

D. Awards and Honors

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"Indian Hedgehog produced by postnatal chondrocytes is essential for maintaining a growth plate and trabecular bone"
- 2006 Dean's Scholars Award, Harvard School of Dental Medicine
"The role of Indian hedgehog in endochondral bone formation after birth"
- 2006 ASBMR Harold M. Frost Young Investigator Award, 36th International Sun Valley Workshop on Skeletal Tissue Biology
"Indian hedgehog is required for endochondral bone formation after birth"
- 2006 ASBMR Young Investigator Award, American Society for Bone and Mineral Research (ASBMR) , Philadelphia
"Indian Hedgehog (Ihh) Is Required for Endochondral Bone Formation after Birth"
- 2003 Travel Award for International Bone and Mineral Society (IBMS)
"In vivo bone formation induced by BMP injections onto calvaria and angiogenesis during fracture healing are impaired in Id1/Id3 double gene knockout mice"
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