

**2008 – Tumor Microenvironment (TMEN) Discussion Meeting (Dr. Stephen Plymate, Group Leader)**  
**5:00-6:00 P.M. (2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday)**

TMEN Discussion Meeting	SPEAKER/TOPIC	LOCATION, 5 – 6 pm Res. #60530
January 10, 2008	Buddy D. Ratner, PhD, Professor & Director UWEB, Bioengineering and Chemical Engineering <b>"Cell niches and microenvironments created through synthetic chemistry"</b>	FHCRC <b>Arnold Building</b> , 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, <b>M1-A305/307</b>
February 14, 2008	Stephen Plymate, MD, Professor, Dept. of Medicine/Division of Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine, UW <b>"PDGFr and IGF-IR interactions in bone metastases: role of bone stroma"</b>	FHCRC <b>Weintraub Building</b> , <b>Pelton Auditorium</b>
March 13, 2008	William G. Carter, PhD, Member, Professor, Pathobiology, FHCRC, Basic Sciences <b>"Integrins, laminins and Gp140/CDCP1 in epithelial wounds and cancers"</b>	FHCRC <b>Weintraub Building</b> , <b>Pelton Auditorium</b>
April 10, 2008	Peter Nelson, MD, Member, FHCRC, Divisions of Human Biology & Clinical Research <b>"Senescence and the tumor microenvironment"</b>	FHCRC <b>Arnold Building</b> , 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, <b>M1-A305/307</b>
May 8, 2008	James L. Wittliff, PhD, Professor, Dept. of Biochemistry & Molecular Biology, University of Louisville <b>"Laser capture microscopy as a tool in microgenomics and proteomics"</b>	FHCRC <b>Arnold Building</b> , 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, <b>M1-A305/307</b>
June 12 2008	May J. Reed, MD, Associate Professor, Dept. of Medicine/Division of Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine, UW <b>"Tumor growth and angiogenesis in aging"</b>	FHCRC <b>Weintraub Building</b> , <b>Pelton Auditorium</b>
July 10, 2008	<b>Meeting Cancelled – U54 Site Visit</b>	
August 14, 2008	Stephen Plymate, MD, Professor, Dept. of Medicine/Division of Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine, UW <b>"3D Models of Angiogenesis and Inflammation"</b>	FHCRC <b>Arnold Building</b> , 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, <b>M1-A305/307</b>
September 11, 2008	<b>Meeting Cancelled</b>	
October 9, 2008	Cynthia Sprenger, PhD, Senior Fellow, University of Washington <b>"The innate immune system is activated by cell senescence"</b> Stephen Plymate, MD, Professor, Dept. of Medicine/Division of Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine, UW <b>"Changes in laminin components of the ECM alter cell growth through the IGF system"</b>	FHCRC <b>Arnold Building</b> , 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, <b>M1-A305/307</b>
November 13, 2008	<b>Meeting Cancelled</b>	
December 11, 2008	Elahe Mostaghel, MD, PhD, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center <b>"Variation in the molecular effects of 5 alpha-reductase inhibition in the prostate: Implications for prostate cancer prevention and therapy"</b>	FHCRC <b>Thomas Building</b> , Sze East/West, <b>D1-080/084</b>