

What have spontaneously mutant mice contributed toward understanding neuronal degenerative disorders?



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Join Dr. Sidman, venerated expert in the use of stem cells to understand mechanisms of neurological development and disease in normal and mutant mice.

Dr. Sidman's landmark work aims to achieve the long term goal of improving therapy of human neurological diseases. Of special interest, hear Dr. Sidman detail the process of developing a three-dimensional high resolution

MRI and histological atlases of the brain for research and teaching goals.

Dr. Sidman's extensive career interests include neuronal degenerative diseases, genetic forms of brain tumors, and the pathophysiology of Autism Spectrum Disorders.

He has mentored some of the most prominent neurologists in research today including; Dr. Story Landis, Director of the NINDS, Dr. Jeffrey Macklis, Harvard Medical School, Dr. MaryBeth Hatten, Rockefeller University, Dr. Verne Caviness, Massachusetts General Hospital, Dr. Jerry Silver, Case Western, Dr. Harold D. Shine, Baylor and Dr. Vaclav Ourenik, Iowa State.

Wednesday, September 29, 2010
At the historic John M. Fulton House
100 Deepwood Drive, Hamden, CT

5:30 pm - Light Dinner
6:00 pm - Richard L. Sidman, M.D.
6:45 pm - Open Discussion

Event is free and open to the public but, advanced registration is required. Registration Deadline: September 21, 2010. Park at the Eli Whitney Museum, roundtrip shuttle service provided.

Register at www.axion.org

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