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PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

- I. Institute Building and Faculty Mentoring
- II. Molecular Pathogenesis of Chronic Infectious Diseases
- III. Human Disease, Susceptibility, & Performance Gene Mapping, Cloning, and Modeling
- IV. Military Medicine
- V. Molecular Biology of Scarless Wound Healing
- VI. Engineering Approaches to Combat Biofilms
- VII. Applications of the polymerase chain reaction to diagnostics, epidemiology, and genetics

AC ADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS AT ALLEGHENY SINGER RESEARCH INSTITUTE/ ALLEGHENY GENERAL HOSPITAL/DREXEL UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Current Positions (10/97 – Date)

10/97 – Date	Executive Director, Center for Genomic Sciences, Allegheny Singer
	Research Institute/Allegheny General Hospital (primary research position)
10/01 –Date	Scientific, Governmental, and Regional Affairs, Liaison Officer
	Allegheny Singer Research Institution (primary administrative position)
1/05 – Date	Scientific Director, Allegheny Human Performance Laboratory, Allegheny
	Singer Research Institute/ Allegheny General Hospital
06/01 – Date	Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Drexel University College
	of Medicine (primary academic appointment)
10/97 – Date	Professor and Director of Research Dept of Otolaryngology, Drexel
	University College of Medicine
07/98 – Date	Professor and Vice Chairman of Human Genetics, Drexel University College
	of Medicine

Past Positions

1999-2004	Vice Chairman - Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee, Allegheny
	Singer Research Institute
07/01 - 2004	Research Advisor, GI fellowship program, Allegheny General Hospital
12/97 - 7/98	Associate Director, Allegheny Cancer Center, MCP – Hahnemann
	University School of Medicine (center closed due to bankruptcy)

HONORARY AND ADJUNCT ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

07/99 – Date	Honorary Professor of Medical Genetics, West China University of the
	Medical Sciences, Chengdu, Sichuan, China
01/01 – Date	Adjunct Professor of Biomedical & Health Engineering, Carnegie
	Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA.
10/03 – Date	Guest Professor, Shantou University School of Medicine, Shantou, Guandong,
	China
Pending	Honorary Professor of Microbiology, Institute of Microbiology,
-	Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China

AC ADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH & THE UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH MEDIC AL CENTER (6/90 – 10/97)

1/96 - 10/97	Associate Professor of Pathology (with Tenure), University of Pittsburgh,
	School of Medicine
6/96 - 10/97	Executive Director, Center for Genomic Sciences, University of Pittsburgh
	and Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh
12/93 - 10/97	Chief, Virology, Microbiology and Infectious Disease Section, Molecular
	Diagnostics Division, Department of Pathology
5/91 - 10/97	Member, Graduate Faculty, University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine
1/92 - 10/97	Adjunct Member, Central Blood Bank of Pittsburgh
1/96 - 10/97	Associate Professor of Otolaryngology, University of Pittsburgh, School of
	Medicine
1/96 - 10/97	Associate Professor of Infectious Disease and Microbiology, Graduate
	School of Public Health
6/90 - 6/91	Head, Molecular Diagnostics Unit, Department of Pathology
6/90 - 10/97	Clinical Director, Central Testing Facility, Molecular Diagnostics Division,
	University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
7/91 - 10/97	Director, Core PCR Facility, Department of Pathology
7/95 - 8/95	Acting Director, Molecular Diagnostics Division
6/90 - 12/95	Assistant Professor of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh, School of
Medicine	
6/90 - 12/95	Assistant Professor of Infectious Diseases & Microbiology, Graduate
	School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh
7/92 - 12/95	Assistant Professor, Department of Otolaryngology, University of
Pittsburgh	

Department of Pediatric Otolaryngology, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh

ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS AT SUNY HSC@ SYRACUSE & SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

04/89 - 06/90	Research Assistant Professor , Department of Medicine, SUNY Health Science Center @ Syracuse and Principal Research Scientist SUNY Research Foundation
07/88 - 04/89	Research Instructor, Department of Medicine, SUNY Health Science Center
07/86 - 06/88	 @ Syracuse Technical Specialist II, SUNY Research Foundation at SUNY Health Science Center @Syracuse Development of PCR as a diagnostic tool in retrovirology Evaluation of the effect of retroviral infections on chromosomal
05/84 - 07/86	 methylation patterns Technical Specialist I, SUNY HSC @ Syracuse Detection, epidemiology and spectrum of disease associated with HIV, HTLV-I and II Correlation of HTLV-I tax gene expression with disease
04/84 - 07/87	Doctoral Student, Syracuse University, Biology Department
10/81 - 01/83	Research Specialist, Syracuse University, Biology Department
	INDUSTRIAL & EARLY EMPLO YMENT
07/83 - 04/84	 Research Scientist B, Bristol Myers Industrial Division, Genetic Engineering Group Characterized expression patterns of amidohydolase and purified mRNA from <i>Fusarium oxysporum</i>
	- Establish in vitro translation assay for <i>F. oxysporum</i> mRNA
10/81 - 07/83	 Research Scientist C, Bristol Myers Industrial Division, Genetic Engineering Group Initiated amidohydrolase cloning project Studied <i>F. oxysporum</i> growth kinetics vs. regulation of amidohydrolase
03/80 - 10/81	Research Microbiologist , Bethesda Research Laboratories Cloning and mutagenesis of genes for amino acid biosynthesis
03/78 - 02/80	Self-employed Agri-business
09/75 - 05/77	University-sponsored tutor in the Biological and Chemical Sciences. Laboratory specimen preparation

CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECTS

Development of a multi-component theoretical framework "bacterial plurality" for the understanding of chronic bacterial pathogenesis; this rubric embodies the concepts of:

- 1) Pathogenesis of chronic otitis media with effusion (1990), a model of chronic bacterial disease
- 2) The biofilm paradigm (1996) of chronic bacterial infections (phenotypic plurality) based upon metabolic and imaging studies
- 3) The distributed genome hypothesis and the concept of the bacterial population supragenome (2001) as mechanisms of bacterial virulence (present only at the population level) active in chronic infections (i.e. genomic plurality, based upon intra-species strain diversity at the genomic level)
- 4) Bacterial virulence gene mapping using a QTL-like analysis of the supragenome and individual strain disease phenotyping (2006).

Understanding the pathophysiological bases of human genetic diseases based upon disease gene identification and the development of animal and theoretical models

- Disease gene mapping: a) Crouzon craniofacial dysostosis completed 1994; b) hereditary pancreatitis completed 1996; c) diffuse abnormal insertional activity (DAIA) completed 1996; d) ectrodactyly completed 1999; e) Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis QTL identified 1998; f) pediatric gastroesophageal reflux completed 2000; g) vesicoureteral reflux ongoing since 1995; h) Dupuytren contracture completed 2005; i) speech and language acquisition specimen collection initiated 2000; j) susceptibility to chronic bacterial infections specimen collection initiated 2001; k) autoimmunity multiple sclerosis specimen collection initiated 2001; l) external ear formation animal breeding experiments 2001.
- Disease gene cloning: a) Crouzon syndrome/Jackson Weiss completed 1995; b) hereditary pancreatitis - completed 1996-1997; c) pediatric GER - ongoing; d) Dupuytren ongoing.
- 3) Disease gene modeling: a) Crouzon syndrome nude rat human mutant osteoblast chimeras; b) hereditary pancreatitis – theoretical model based on mutational affects on protein (1996) – experimental support 1998-2001.

Building moving pictures of gene expression using SS-RT-PCR, differential display, and RNA array technologies of normal and pathological conditions.

- 1) scarless wound healing (1995 -date);
- 2) premature craniosynostosis (1998-date);

- 3) bacterial biofilm formation in the middle ear (both bacterial and mucosal gene expression patterns) (1998-date)
- 4) Multiple Sclerosis responsiveness/nonresponsiveness to therapy (2003 date)

CLINICAL MOLECULAR DIAGNOSTICS

- Co-developed the original human retroviral (HIV-1 & -2, and HTLV-I & II) PCR-based assays with Cetus Corporatin that formed the bases for the commercial Roche assays
- Developed and implemented clinical RT-PCR-based diagnostics for the human retroviruses
- Developed and implemented clinical molecular diagnostics for numerous DNA viral pathogens including adenovirus, CMV, HSV, VZV, EBV, HPV, & HBV
- Developed and implemented clinical RT-PCR-based diagnostics for numerous RNA viral pathogens including: influenza virus, parainfluenza virus, rhinovirus, and respiratory syncytial virus
- Developed and implemented clinical molecular diagnostics for bacterial pathogens associated with upper and lower respiratory infections, and otitis media including *S. pneumoniae*, *H. influenzae*, *M. catarrhalis*, *Bordatella pertussis*.
- patented an RT-PCR/PCR-based test to discriminate viral and bacterial meningitis

CONSULTING & INDUSTRIAL COLLABORATIONS

11/89 - 05/90	University of Pittsburgh
11/89 - 08/90	Syracuse Research Corporation
02/90 - Date	Teltech, Inc/Intota.
08/90 - 07/91	EWI
06/91 - 1993	RFP - NIH - NIAID - DAIT - 91-22 (Rene J. Duquesnoy, Ph.D.)
07/91 - 1997	Roche Molecular Systems (informal, limited to materials exchange and comparison of test results)
07/91 - 06/94	Kodak, Clinical Products Division, Rochester, New York
01/92 - 01/95	Central Blood Bank, Pittsburgh, PA
05/92 - 3/93	Smith, Helms, Mulliss & Moore, Raleigh, North Carolina
11/92	Travelers Insurance Co.
02/93 - 11/96	Oncogenetics
08/93 - 7/95	TM Technologies
02/95 - 01/96	McKnight and Thompson, Houston, TX/ Hotel Six
07/94 - 11/97	Children's Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA
08/96 - 10/97	Third Wave Technologies (informal, limited to material exchange and comparison of test results)
11/96 - 9/97	Impath
01/97	Boehringer Mannheim

02/97 - 6/99	Visible Genetics/Gene Foundry
03/97 - 03/99	CL Scientific/ Kaiyuan Bioengineering, Ltd.
01/98 - 03/99	Quest Diagnostics/Nichols Institute
01/00 - 12/03	Pfizer (molecular diagnostic support of clinical trials)
01/03 – Date	Zimmer (Biomedical Implant infections)
03/03 - 02/04	T ulsa Lawyers
05/04 - 03/06	White and Steele, Attomeys-at-Law
05/04 – Date	Merck (Montelukast in OME)
07/05 –Date	Novaflux technologies (antibiofilm plastics)
09/05 – Date	Bayer Corporation (Development of antibiofilm surfaces)
02/06—Date	Searcy et al, Attomeys-at-Law
08/06 – Date	Ibis/Isis (Consultant on Molecular Diagnostics)
11/06 – Date	Allotrope (In vitro and animal testing of bipartite anti-biofilm systems)
12/06 – Date	Stryker Orthopedics (Infectious Diseases Panel Member; and Antibiofilm
	strategies for arthroplastic implants)
1/07 – Date	Medtronics ENT Division – Biofilm Panel
2/07 – Date	iNetworks (venture capital) Consulting Technical Analyst

Industrial & Professional Organization Board Memberships

10/01 - 10/03	Radvault (Scientific Advisory Board member) – company bought out
03/02 – Date	Bacterin (Scientific Advisory Board member)
2005 – Date	LifeBoat Foundation (Scientific Advisory Board, Medical and Genetics
	subsection)
2005 – Date	Pittsburgh Tissue Engineering Initiative (Board of Directors)
2007 – Date	Pittsburgh-Toronto (MaRS) Joint Regional Biomedical Development Program
	(Institutional Scientific Delegate)

EDUCATION

07/87 - 06/88	Post-Doctoral Fellow in Human Retrovirology - Division of Hematology/Oncology, Department of Medicine, SUNY HSC (Upstate Medical Center) at Syracuse, Syracuse, New York
09/84 - 08/87	 Ph.D Syracuse University - in Biology Dissertation title: Correlation of Clinical and Molecular Parameters of Human Retroviral Infections Mentors: Bernard Poiesz, M.D., John Vournakis, Ph.D., and Judith Foster, Ph.D.
09/74 - 05/77	B.A Alfred University – Honors in Biology, May 1977 magna cum laude

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE

07/26/94 - 07/26/2006 New York State Department of Health, Certificate of Qualification.

Laboratory Director:	Direct Molecular Detection Techniques
	Infectious Agents
Code Number:	EHRLGI

PERSONAL

BIRTH DATE: July 9, 1956

HEALTH: Excellent

CHILDREN: Ian S. G. Ehrlich, son DOB 04/09/81; B.S. Mathematics, 2004 University of Pittsburgh; M.S in Mathematics, 2006 Montana State University; 1st Actuarial exam 2006; Lecturer ITT Technical Institute 2006.

Nathan E.G. Ehrlich, son DOB 03/21/84; varsity soccer, math major, Taylor Allderdice HS, 2002; B.A History, 2006 University of Pittsburgh.

HOBBIES: Alpine Skiing, Sports Car Racing, Mountain Biking, Travel

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Member - Syracuse City School District's Gifted Education Advisory Board (1989-1990) **Lecturer** - on AIDS to Secondary School Children; Science to elementary school children (1989-1997)

Established - the **Genomic Sciences Institute** for training of high school biology teachers through didactic and hands-on continuing education within a major research facility (2001-Date) **Established** – The **Professor Robert E. Ehrlich Mathematics Scholarship** at Alfred University (2005)

HONORS & AWARDS

- New York State Regents Scholarship 09/73 05/77
- Advanced biology GRE 840 (98th percentile)
- American Chemical Society Organic Chem Exam 56 (99th percentile)
- Departmental Honors (Biology) conferred upon graduation from Alfred University (1977).
- Member Phi Kappa Phi, Alfred University (general scholastic honorary)
- Nominated by Alfred University for the Danforth Fellowship competition (1977)
- Awarded honorable mention in the National Science Foundation predoctoral fellowship competition (1977)
- National Institutes of Health predoctoral Fellowship, University of Chicago (1977-1978)
- Research Assistant SUNY HSC at Syracuse 04/84 07/87
- Invited Participant, NIH Workshop on PCR 06/30/88
- Invited participant NMMS meeting on MS, HTLV-1 and PCR, June 1989, Montreal, Canada
- Invited participant NCI symposia on HTLV-I, 1989.
- Invited participant NIAID symposia on detecting HIV-1 in urogenital fluids, October, 1991.
- Visiting Professor, Cleveland Clinic, February 18, 1992
- Honorary member, Association of Medical & Laboratory Immunologists, 1992-1993
- Invited Participant, NICHD/NIDCD Symposia on Infectious agents and SIDS
- Heritage Foundation Lecturer, Cross Cancer Institute Edmonton CANADA, 1994
- Cited in Marquis's Who's Who in the East, 1995
- Cited in Marquis's Who's Who in Science and Engineering 1995, 2006/2007

- Invited speaker NIDCD Council Meeting, May 18, 1995
- Alumni Citation Award, Alfred University, Alfred, New York, June 3, 1995
- Feinstein Lecturer, Alfred University, Alfred, New York, October 21, 1995
- Invited Guest, Visible Genetics, Toronto Ontario, Canada, June 26, 1996
- Invited Guest, Third Wave Technologies, Madison, Wisconsin, July 25-26, 1996.
- Invited Speaker, Association for Research in Otolaryngology's Workshop in Molecular Genetics, St. Petersburg Beach, Florida, February 1-6, 1997.
- Invited Speaker and Guest, Kaiyuan Bioengineering, Ltd., Xian, CHINA, March 25-April 2, 1997.
- Invited Participant, NIDCD Workshop on Molecular Genetics of Language and Speech Acquisition, April 28, 1997.
- Career featured as cover story in the Sunday Magazine Section of the Pittsburgh Post Gazette, February 22, 1998.
- Keynote speaker, National Convention of Directors of Clinical Diagnosis Centers and the National Symposium of the Academic Exchange for young scientists, sponsoring agency, Health Ministry of P.R.China, Xian, CHINA May 28, 1998.
- Work on medical biofilms featured in news article in *Science*, January 1999
- Honorary Professorship in Medical Genetics conferred by West China University of the Medical Sciences July 15, 1999, Award Ceremony October 11, 1999, Chengdu, CHINA.
- Cited in Marquis' Who's Who in America 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007
- Invited Participant, DARPA biowarfare PI's conference, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Jan 30 Feb 4, 2000.
- Guest of Honor, PAGER's Annual Walk-Run, San Diego, CA, September 21, 2000.
- National Institute of Deafness and Other Communication Disorders, Board of Scientific Counselors, *ad hoc* October 2000.
- Invited Participant, NIH NIDCD Workshop, Otitis Media: New Approaches for Analysis, Treatment, and Prevention, Rockville, MD November 29-30, 2000.
- Invited Participant, MCP-Hahnemann University Pre-Commencement Dinner with Dr. Craig Venter, Philadelphia, PA May 17, 2001
- Keynote Speaker, Indian Association of Medical Microbiology, Silver Jubilee Meeting, November 24, 2001 New Delhi, India
- Guest Professor, Shantou University, Shantou CHINA, October 2003.
- Invited Speaker, NIDCD Council Meeting, September 10, 2004.
- Cited in the Marquis Who's Who is Medicine and Healthcare 5th Edition 2004/05, & 6th ed 2006/07
- Finalist, Healthcare Hero Award, Research and Innovation, Pittsburgh Business Times, 2005
- Honorary Professor, National Institute of Microbiology, Chinese Academy of Science, (pending), Beijing CHINA
- Top 1% of cited authors for journals in the Life Sciences
- NSF Panel Member on Future Areas for Biotechnology Research and Development, 2007

MEMBERSHIPS

- 1983 Date American Association for the Advancement of Science
- 1990 Date American Society for Microbiology
- 1990 1997Pittsburgh Cancer Institute
- 1991 2000 Academy of Clinical Laboratory Physicians and Scientists

1992 - 1996	Association of Medical Laboratory Immunologists
1993 - Date	Association for Research in Otolaryngology
1993 - 1996	Society for Leukocyte Biology
1994 - Date	Sigma Xi
1994 - 1999	Association for Molecular Pathology - Founding Member
	Infectious Diseases Committee Co-Chair 1994-1995
1996 - Date	American Society for Human Genetics
1997 – Date	Pittsburgh Tissue Engineering Institute (mentor Award 1998, 1999, 2000,
	2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006)
2000 - Date	American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery
2001 - 2003	Tissue Engineering Society

GRANT SUPPORT

- Past -	
08/88 - 07/89	Endowment for the Neurosciences - \$12,052.00 (Principal Investigator)
08/89 - 07/91	National Multiple Sclerosis Society- PCR-Based analyses for HTLV-I in MS \$20,000 (Principal Investigator)
1988 - 1991	National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute - Development and evaluation of new screening tests for human retroviruses. R01 HL-43602-01, \$299,119 direct costs first year. (5% Effort) (Co-Investigator) (Bernard J. Poiesz, Principal Investigator)
06/90 - 06/96	Pathology Education and Research Foundation - \$160,000.00 (Principal Investigator)
01/91 - 12/91	Pathology Education and Research Foundation - postdoctoral salary - \$18,000 (Principal Investigator)
07/91 - 06/92	Joint Development Fund - Sequence capture of PCR amplimers using a multiplex cyanine dye detection methodology. \$20,000 Technician salary support. (Principal Investigator)
09/89 - 08/92	National Heart Lung and Blood Institute - Development and evaluation of new screening tests for HTLV-III antigens, antibodies, or nucleic acids. N01-HB-67021, \$320,790 direct costs first year (Co-Investigator) (5% Effort) (Bernard J. Poiesz, Principal Investigator)
06/91 - 05/92	Otitis Media Research Center, \$4,000.00 equipment grant (Co-Principal Investigator)
09/91 - 10/92	Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh - New Research Project Fund. PCR-based detection of unculturable microorganisms in otitis media. \$4,400.00. (Co- Principal Investigator)

01/92 - 12/92	Blood Science Foundation - Development of HCV Diagnostic Assays. \$25,000.00. (Principal Investigator)
01/92 - 12/92	General Clinical Research Center, University of Pittsburgh, \$4,000 for study of infectious organisms by rDNA PCR (Co-Principal Investigator)
08/91 - 07/93	Stanley Foundation Research Awards Program - TCR_ usage in T lymphocytes isolated from the CSF of Schizophrenic patients. (Cathy McAllister, Principal Investigator, Garth Ehrlich, Co-Investigator) \$12,800 direct costs for PCR subproject.
04/92 - 03/93	Department of Pathology, Chairman's Discretionary Fund - Development of an automatable single stranded sequence capture technique using magnetic bead separation. \$26,913.00 (Principle Investigator)
07/92 - 06/93	The American Academy of Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery Foundation - Academy Research Training Award, "PCR identification of <u>M.</u> <u>catarrhalis</u> DNA in chronic OME". \$15,000 (Christopher Post - Principal Investigator) (Preceptor)
07/92 - 06/93	The Pennsylvania Lions Hearing Research Foundation - Bacterial Detection in Middle-Ear Effusions Using the Polymerase Chain Reaction, \$20,000 (Christopher Post – Principal Investigator, Garth Ehrlich - Co-Principal Investigators)
07/92 - 06/94	Kodak Corporation, Comparative Analyses of PCR-Based Clinical Diagnostic Assays, \$61,489 (Principal Investigator)
07/92 - 06/94	Kodak Corporation, PCR Detection of Gram Negative Bacteremia and Antiviral Susceptibility testing of HIV-1, \$292,904 (Principal Investigator)
01/93 - 12/94	The Deafness Research Foundation - Development of a multiplex PCR-based assay to detect respiratory viruses associated with otitis media, \$30,000 (Christopher Post, Garth Ehrlich - Co-Principal Investigators)
06/93 - 05/94	Pathology Education and Research Foundation - Analysis of the <i>Chinchilla laniger</i> animal model of OME for PCR-based detection of <i>H. influenzae</i> . (Principal Investigator)
07/94 - 06/95	Triological Society, The molecular biology of tissue injury and wound healing in sub glottic stenosis, \$25,000 (Robert Yellon, Principal Investigator) (Co-Investigator).
07/94 - 06/95	Triological Society, The molecular characterization of mutations and co- infections in juvenile laryngeal papillomas, \$25,000 (Dr. Frank Rimell, Principal Investigator) (Preceptor).

07/90 - 09/95	National Institute of Health, NIAID, Multicenter AIDS Cohort Study (20% Effort) (Charles Rinaldo, Jr., Ph.D., Principal Investigator, Garth Ehrlich, Co-Investigator) Viroimmunology subproject \$70,000/annum in direct costs.
01/91 - 04/96	Pittsburgh Supercomputing Center, Grant #DMB910001P Clinical Molecular Diagnostics -14.0 service units (Principal Investigator)
07/95 - 06/96	Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, Investigation of Mycoplasma pneumoniae as an Etiology of Recurrent Throat Infection in Children. \$9800.00 (Robert Wadowsky, PI) (Co-Principal Investigator).
07/94 - 12/95	General Clinical Research Center, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, PCR analysis of pediatric blood specimens for evidence of <i>S. pneumoniae</i> bacteremia. \$19,330.86 (Principal Investigator)
12/93 - 11/94	General Clinical Research Center, Children's Hospital - RT-PCR analysis of nasal secretions for individuals challenged with influenzae virus infection, \$5,500 (Principal Investigator).
05/01/95 - 04/30/97	NIH RO3, Microsatellite Mapping of Saethre-Chotzen Syndrome, 50,000 (Robert Preston, Principal Investigator) (Co-Investigator and Preceptor).
07/01/95 - 06/30/98	NIH, NIAID, Characterization of HIV in sexual transmission. (Phalguni Gupta, Principal Investigator) (Co-Investigator).
9/96 - 8/98	NIH, NIDDK, PAR-95-078 "Genetic linkage in patients with Hereditary Pancreatitis" (Co-Principal Investigator) Direct costs for first year - \$50,000.
9/96 - 8/98	Eli Lily, Loribid Trial - PCR for URVI. \$15,000.
02/97 - 1/98	National Kidney Foundation, "Clinical, Biochemical and Molecular Genetic Characterization of Persons and Families with Vesicoureteral Reflux". (Mentor) Total Project Funding: \$25,000.00
01/97 - 12/98	Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America "Genetic linkage of inflammatory bowel disease; (Co-Principal Investigator) Direct Costs for first year - \$80,000.
09/94 - 08/99	NIH, NIAID, AIDS Training Grant (5% Effort) (Charles Rinaldo, Jr., Ph.D., Principal Investigator, Garth Ehrlich, Co-Investigator) Total Project Funding: \$1,166,178.
07/94 - 06/2000	NIH, NIDCD, R29DC02398-01, Genetic mapping of a syndrome with hearing impairment, \$70,000 direct costs per year (Dr. J. Christopher Post, Principal Investigator) (Preceptor and Consultant)

9/96 - 9/99	NIH DC-95-13 "Molecular Analyses of Autopsy Specimens from SIDS and Control Infants to Ascertain Middle-Ear Infection" (Principal Investigator) Direct costs for first year - \$75,111.
07/95 - 06/00	NIH NIDDK DK-94-022, Alcohol and altered regulation of pancreatic secretion, \$149,909 direct costs year one (David C. Whitcomb, PI) (Co- Principal Investigator).
12/93 - 03/04	NIH NIDCD, 2R01DC02148, Molecular Analysis of Pathogens in Otitis Media by PCR, \$362,496 costs year eight (Principal Investigator). (1 st competitive renewal received a 2 nd percentile)
07/00 - 6/2003	NIH-NIDCD, R01DC04173- The Role of Biofilms in the Pathogenesis of Otorrhea, \$742,262 direct costs first year. Three year total: \$3,091,316 (Principal Investigator).
06/2002 - 05/2003	The Buhl Foundation "Henry C. Frick Educational Fund of the Buhl Foundation" Professional Development Program in Molecular Genetics and Biotechnology for High School Biology Teachers \$19,680 (Sponsor; Dr. Eva Erdosne Toth, PI).
01/2000 - 2003	Pfizer – Molecular Diagnostics for Clinical Trials (protocols 1015, 1016, 1039 and 1043) ~ \$150,000 (Principal Investigator)
04/2002-03/2003	Motorola – Comparative Gene Expression of Calvarial Sutures in a Chimeric Human Osteoblast/ Nude Rat Model. \$7000 [in reagents] (Principal Investigator)
05/2002 - 04/2004	Biogen – Comparative Gene Expression of Cytokines in Treated and Untreated Patients with Relapsing-Remitting Multiple Sclerosis. \$60,617 (Co-Principal Investigator; Thomas Scott, Co-PI)
01/2003 - 06/2004	NIH-NIDCD -3 R01 DC 04591-0381 Minority Supplement to: The Genetics of Gastroesophageal Reflux, ~60,000 direct costs/year (Principal Investigator)
07/2003-12/2004	DHHS/HRSA C76HF00659 Genomic Automation and Enhancement of Bio- Imaging at the Center for Genomic Sciences. (Principal Investigator) \$1,623,000 direct costs.
07/2000- 06/2005	NIH-NIDCD-RO1-DC04591-01 The Genetics of Gastroesophageal Reflux, \$225,000 direct costs/year (Principal Investigator). renewal to be submitted 3/06

01/2003 - 12/2005	Allegheny Orthopedic Associates. Molecular Analyses of Bacterial Biofilms associated with Osteomyelitis following Total Joint Replacement. \$133,000 first year (\$400,000 direct costs total) (Principal Investigator)
07/2000 - 06/2006	NIH-NIDCD- 2 R01 DC02398-08A1 Molecular Genetics of a Syndrome with Hearing Impairment, \$250,000 direct costs first year, (Co-Investigator ; Dr. J. Christopher Post, PI).
04/2003 - 8/2006	NIH/NIDCD 3 R01 DC005659-02S1 Pneumococcal Biofilms in Otitis Media, Minority Scientist Supplement\$110,669 (1st year total costs) (Co-Mentor; Dr. Michael Forbes, PI).
07/2004-06/2006	OMFSFoundation (Mentor, Dr. Steven Krakora, PI). Total costs \$80,000.
09/2005-08/2006	The Pittsburgh Foundation. Gene Expression in Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells from Multiple Sclerosis Patients undergoing ß-interferon Therapy. Fen Ze Hu, PI (Co-investigator). First year costs (\$48,000)
12/2002 - 11/2006	National Science Foundation (NSF) \$356,000 total costs (Co-investigator ; Dr. Eva Toth, PI)

GRANT SUPPORT

- Current -

01/2003 - 12/2007	NIH-NIDCD - 1 K08 DC 05819-01 Genetics of Papilloma-induced Voice Disturbance. (\$190,606 total costs first year) (Mentor, Dr. Farrel Buchinsky, PI)
04/2003-03/2008	NIH/NIDCD R01 DC05659-01 Pneumococcal Biofilms in Otitis Media \$448,000 (1st year direct costs) (Co-Principal Investigator ; Dr. J. Christopher Post, PI).
08/2003-07/2008	NIH/NIDCR. 1 K08 DE014780-01 Molecular Analysis of Scarless Fetal Wound Healing (Mentor, Dr. Sandeep Kathju, PI) Total costs \$760,050.
12/2003-11/2008	NIH-NIDCD, 2R01DC04173- The Role of Biofilms in the Pathogenesis of Otorrhea, \$610,383 direct costs first year. Five year total: \$4,510,109 (Principal Investigator). (First competitive renewal, years 4-8)
04/2004-03/2009	NIH-NIDCD 3R01DC02148, Molecular Analysis of Pathogens in Otitis Media by PCR ($03/01/02 - 2^{nd}$ competitive renewal for years 11-15) (Principal Investigator) Received 2^{nd} percentile for both the first and second competitive renewals.

09/2004-04/2007	HRSA, C76HF03009, Construction of a Biosafety Level 3 Facility and Enhancement of Engineering, Enzymology and Bio-Imaging Capabilities at the Center for Genomic Sciences – "a Construction and Equipment" Project. (Principal Investigator) \$1,000,000 direct costs
06/2005-Date	Merck – SINGULAIR Medical School Grant – "The Effect of Montelukast Treatment in the Chinchilla Model of Otitis Media" Total costs \$97,500.00 (Principal Investigator)
07/2005-Date	NIH-NIDCR - R03 Homozygosity Mapping of Oculo-oto-facial Dysplasia, w/ Seattle Childrens' Hospital, Anne Hing PI \$50,000 direct costs first year (Principal Investigator – Subcontract – Total costs first year \$28,752) 10/01/2004 submission.
09/2005-08/2006	HRSA Development of Proteomics and Adult Stem Cell Facilities. (Principal Investigator) \$1,000,000 direct costs (Congressional Earmark in '05 omnibus appropriations bill)
09/2005 - 08/2008	Department of Education. Total costs ~ \$1, 000,000. Luanne Hall-Stoodley PI (Co-investigator)
07/2006 - 06/2007	Bayer Corporation. Anti-biofilm surfaces. \$90,000 direct costs. (Principal Investigator)
09/2006 - 08/2008	The Pittsburgh Foundation. Gene expression in CD4+ lymphocytes from Multiple Sclerosis patients undergoing β -Interferon therapy. Total Costs = \$102,092.59. Fen Hu, PI (Co-investigator)
7/2006 - 7/2007	US Department of Defense, United States Air Force. 311th Flight Wing, Brooks City Base, TX. Genetics of Fatigue, (Congressional Earmark in Department of Defense 2006 Appropriations Bill for \$1,000,000) (Principal Investigator)
12/2006 - Date	Zimmer Corporation. Development of a treatment procedure to clear persistent biofilm-based infections in joint replacement patients by using the bioelectric effect. (\$152474.56) (Principal Investigator)
03/2007 – Date	Pittsburgh Tissue Engineering Initiative. Scarless Wound Healing (\$100,000), Sandæp Kathju, PI (Co-investigator)
07/2007 – Date	Pittsburgh Super Computing Center. Grant # BIO070001P: Massively Parallel Microbial DNA Sequence Analysis. Award of time (PI)

SUBMITTED AND PLANNED GRANT APPLICATIONS

Resubmitted	NIH/NIDCD – R01, Whole Genome Molecular Epidemiology of <i>Haemophilus</i> <i>influenzae</i> in Otitis Media. Total direct costs first year: \$389,026.00 Fen Ze Hu, PI (Co-I) - 11/01/2006 resubmission
Submitted	Stryker Corporation. Analysis of Candidate Antibiofilm Surfaces
Submitted	NIH/NIDCD – R01, Chronic Molecular Pathogenic Mechanisms of Pneumococcus in Otitis Media. Total direct costs first year = \$484,951.20 (Principal Investigator) (February 1, 2007)
Submitted	NIH/NIDCR. R01 - Molecular Analysis of Scarless Fetal Wound Healing (Dr. Sandæp Kathju, PI) 12/2007-11/20012 (February 1, 2007 submission – continuation of a funded K08 award)
Submitted	NIH-NIAMS – R21 – Physiology and Biochemistry of Dupuytren's Contraction. (Latha Satish, PI). 12/2007 – 11/2009 First year direct costs \$150,000.00 (February 15, 2007 submission)
Pending	NIH/NIDCD R01 DC05659-01 Pneumococcal Biofilms in Otitis Media. Renewal (4/1/2008 – 3/30/2013) First year direct costs ~ \$450,000.00
Pending	NIH-NIDCD – R01 - Genetics of Papilloma-induced Voice Disturbance. (Dr. Farrel Buchinsky, PI) 01/2008 – 12/20012 First year direct costs ~ \$350,000.00 (March 1, 2007 submission – Scored – will be resubmitted)
Pending	NIH –NIDCD – R01 – Biofilm Ecology of the Adenoids and Middle Ear in The Pathogenesis of Otitis Media. (Paul Stoodley, PI). First year direct costs \$250,000.00 (March 1, 2007 resubmission – scored will be resubmitted)
Pending	NIH – STTR – Development of Bifunctional Molecular Products for the Degradation of Biofilm Matrix (w/ Allotrope) (Luanne Stoodley, PI) (April 2007 Submission (Grant application completed)

STUDENTS/MENTORSHIPS

Graduate Students

Lauren Bruckner - M.D./Ph.D. Student at SUNY HSC at Syracuse; Topic - The role of HTLV-I proviral integration, or lack thereof, on retroviral expression and pathogenicity. (Co-Mentor 1989-90)

Michael Sherman - M.D./Ph.D. Student at SUNY HSC at Syracuse; Topic - Examination of HTLV-I proviral flanking sequences in chromosomal DNA by means of ligation mediated PCR. (Co-Mentor 1989-90)

Timothy Oriss - Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, University of Pittsburgh (Committee Member) - Ph.D. awarded June 1993.

Debbie Boldt - Ph.D., Admitted to candidacy 1992, **Ph.D. awarded September 1994**, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (Mentor). Currently in Biotechnology Industry.

Alexa Sirko - Ph.D., Admitted to candidacy 1993, Ph.D. awarded with honors, November 1995, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (Mentor). Currently Assistant Professor of Human Genetics, Case Western Reserve University

James Christopher Post, M.D., Professor of Otolaryngology - Ph.D. Admitted to candidacy 1995, Ph.D. awarded May 1999, Department of Human Genetics, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Mentor, *ex officio*). Currently President and Chief Scientific Officer Director, and Medical Director, Center for Genomic Sciences, Allegheny Singer Research Institute; and Chief Pediatric ENT, Allegheny General Hospital

Jasmin Dada - M.S. Student, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Thesis Committee) - M.S. awarded 1992

Stella Laus - M.S. Student, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Thesis Committee) - M.S. awarded December, 1993

Yingze Zhang - Ph.D. Student, Passed qualifying exams, June 1995, Ph.D. Ph.D. awarded with honors December 1997. Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (Mentor). Currently, Research Associate Professor University of Pittsburgh School of Dentistry

Chaofu Shi - Ph.D. Student, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Ph.D. Oral Comprehensive Examination Committee). Currently Staff Scientist at Spectra Genetics.

Meisheng Chen - Ph.D. Student, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Ph.D. Oral Comprehensive Examination Committee)

Maria Victoria Dolor - M.S. Student, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Thesis Committee) - M.S. Awarded March 1996.

Anita Beyer - M.S. Student, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Thesis Committee) - M.S. awarded December, 1995

Li Zheng - Ph.D. Student, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine - Summer 1996.

Erin Beth Summerly - M.S. Student, Department of Infectious Disease and Microbiology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Thesis Committee) - M.S. Awarded July, 1997.

Devin Dressman - Ph.D. student, Biomedical Graduate Program, University of Pittsburgh Summer 1997 (transferred to Eric Hoffman's Lab when I left). Ph.D awarded 2001. Currently post-doctoral fellow in Bert Vogelstein Lab at John's Hopkins University.

Jeffrey Dingman – Ph.D. Student, Graduate Program in Molecular and Human Genetics, Center for Genomic Sciences, Allegheny University of the Health Sciences. M.S. awarded, May 1999 (due to breakup of AUHS). Currently, medical student University of Pittsburgh.

Michael Gorry – Ph.D. Student, Graduate Program in Molecular and Human Genetics, Center for Genomic Sciences, Allegheny University of the Health Sciences. (left program because of AUHS bankruptcy 10/98)

Xiaobin Dai – Ph.D. Student, Graduate Program in Molecular and Human Genetics, Center for Genomic Sciences, Allegheny University of the Health Sciences. (died 4/98)

Fen Ze Hu – Ph.D. Student, Graduate Program in Molecular and Human Genetics, Center for Genomic Sciences, Allegheny University of the Health Sciences. M.S. awarded with Distinction, May 1999, Ph.D. awarded January 2004 from Drexel University College of Medicine, (Mentor) Currently, Assistant Professor of Genomics and Operations Director, Center For Genomic Sciences, ASRI.

Kirsten St. George - Ph.D. Student, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Graduate School of Public Health, University of Pittsburgh (Doctoral Exam and Dissertation Committees) Ph.D. awarded April 2004. Currently Director, Virus Reference and Surveillance Laboratory Deputy Director, Clinical Virology Program Wadsworth Center, NYSDOH in Albany New York

Jennifer Bennett – Ph.D. Student (admitted with advanced standing), Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Drexel Univesity College of Medicine (Co-Mentor with Dr. Thomas Scott)

Post-doctoral Fellows

Basavaraju Shankarappa, Ph.D. (1991-1994) (Ph.D. University of Maryland) Correlation of *env* gene Genotype and clinical Phenotype of HIV-1 isolates from members of the MACS cohort. Previous, faculty at University of Washington in Seattle, curently faculty at University of Pittsburgh.

Hawazin Faruki, Dr. P.H. (1992-1994) Development of Molecular Diagnostics for Viral Pathogens associated with solid organ transplant. Previously Director of Molecular Diagnostics for The

Central Blood Bank, Pittsburgh PA. Currently Vice President of Operations for the Center for Molecular Biology and Pathology, Laboratory Corporation of America.

Sameera Sayeed, Ph.D. (2000-2004) (Ph.D. Bangladesh; National Institutes of Health post doc) Construction, characterization and normalization of gene expression libraries for creation of RNA arrays to study the gene expression patterns of host and pathogen associated with mucosal biofilm diseases. Currently Research Associate University of Pittsburgh

Patricia Antalis, Ph.D. (2000-2004) (Ph.D. Ohio State University; Carnegie Science Center post doc). Construction and characterization of pooled bacterial genomic libraries prepared from multiple clinical strains to characterize the pathogen supragenome. Currently raising a family

Azad Ahmed, M.D. (2001-present) (M.D. Bangladesh) Transformation and strain construction in clinical isolates of the nontypeable *Haemophilus* influenzae; direct testing of the distributed genome hypothesis using engineered bacterial strains and animal models; Positional cloning of the GER gene; Gene mapping of GER and Dupuytren's contracture.

Joseph Goodwin, D.P.M. (2001 – 2003) Genomic plasticity of bacterial pathogens. Currently in private practice.

Kai Shen, M.D., M.S. (2001 – present) (M.D., M.S. West China University of the Medical Sciences, Chengdu, *Sichuan*, China) Genomic plasticity of the bacterial pathogens: *Haemophilus influenzae*, *Streptococcus pneumoniae*; and *Pseudomonas aenuginosa*; Comparative gene expression of planktonic and biofilm envirovars of *P. aeruginosa* clinical strains.

Mandal Singh, Ph.D. (2001 – 2005) Differential gene expression analyses of: MS responders and nonresponders to therapy; synostosing and nonsynostosing calvarial sutures in the rat xenograft model of Crouzon/Apert syndromes; and metastatic vs. nonmetastatic colon cancers. Currently Research Associate University of Pittsburgh

John Gladitz, Ph.D. (2002 – 2006) Computational biology – evolutionary origin of novel genes; developed independently the CodeSquare Program.

Joseph Donfack, Ph.D. (2002- present) (Ph.D. - University of Younde, Cameroon; University of Chicago post doc) Human genetics of: susceptibility to recurrent respiratroy papillomatosis; pediatric GERD; resistance to sleep deprivation; resistance to HIV infection and disease progression

Nalini Mehta, Ph.D. (2004 – present) Bacterial pathogenesis using molecular strain construction techniques (*Streptococcus pneumoniae* and *Pseudomonas aenuginosa*) and animal models; visual and molecular characterization of the *Staphylococcus epidermidis* large-scale 3-D structures.

Robert Boissy, Ph.D. (2004 – present) (Ph.D. - University of British Columbia, Post Doc - NIH) Computational biology – establishment of the CGS annotation pipeline and 2^{nd} generation BLAST server cluster

Laura Nistico, Ph.D. (2004 – present) (Ph.D. - University of Palermo, Scicily ITALY) FISH and immunostaining of clinical biofilm specimens; characterization of the microecology of the human adenoid

Duc Nyugen, Ph.D. (2004 – present) (PhD – Carnegie Mellon University, Chemical Engineering) Antibiofilm surfaces. Currently in industry.

Louisa Hiller, Ph.D. (2006 – present) (PhD – Northwestern University) Computational Biology and Bacterial Pathogenesis

Faculty Mentored

Robert Wadowsky, Sc.D. (Currently, Professor of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh & Director of Clinical Microbiology, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh) Provided training in molecular diagnostics for infectious agents. (1991-1997)

Parmjeet Randawa, M.D. (Currently, Associate Professor of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine) Provided training in molecular diagnostics for infectious agents (1991-1994)

Robert Preston, Ph.D (Currently retired) Research Associate Professor of Biochemistry Drexel University College of Medicine. Provided training and oversight in Genetic Mapping, Linkage Analysis, and Sequence Analysis. (1992-2006)

Xue Wang M.D., M.S. (Currently Research Assistant Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Drexel University College of Medicine) Provided training in animal models of microbiological research and protein biochemistry.

Geza Erdos, Ph.D. (Currently Assistant Professor of Dermatology, University of Pittssburgh, School of Medicine). Provided mentoring in NIH grant writing, personnel management, and career positioning. Provided training in production and screening of arrayed libraries and micro-arrays (2000-2004)

Basavaraju Shankarappa, Ph.D., D.V.M (Currently Assistant Professor of University of Pittssburgh, School of Medicine). Provided mentoring in NIH grant writing, personnel management, and career positioning

Sandeep Kathju, M.D., Ph.D. (Currently Assistant Professor of Surgery, Drexel University College of Medicine). Providing mentoring in project selection, and NIH grant submissions. Serve as sponsor on K08 career development award 2003-2008.

Farrell Buchinsky, M.D. (Currently Assistant Professor of Surgery, Drexel University College of Medicine. Providing mentoring in project selection, and NIH & foundation grant submissions. Serve as sponsor on K08 career development award (01/01/2003 - 12/31/2007)

Steve Krakora, DDS, M.D. (Currently in Private Practice in Pittsburgh, PA) Attending physician in OMFS at Allegheny General Hospital. Providing mentoring in project selection, grant writing, and career development from time of residency 1999-2005

Michael Forbes, M.D. (Currently Attending Physician, Childrens Hospital of Akron). Attending physician as a Pediatric Intensivist at Allegheny General Hospital. Providing mentoring with respect

to developing a research career, project selection, manuscript writing and obtaining an NIH grant, 2004-2006.

Laurel Omert, M.D. (currently Vice President of a blood substitute company) Attending Trauma Surgeon, Allegheny General Hospital, Providing mentoring with respect to project selection and performance, 1998-2004.

Kelly Woods, M.D. Attending Pulmonologist, Allegheny General Hospital, Official Mentor for her NIH K23 award 2005—2006.

Medical Student Research Fellowships

Keri Lavigne - Medical Student Research Program - SUNY HSC at Syracuse; Topic - differentiation of HTLV-I and II by immunoblot, PCR and RT-PCR of plasma/serum. M.D. 1990 (Primary Advisor)

Mark Malone - Post-sophomore Fellow, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (90-91)

Tylis Chang - Post-sophomore Fellow, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (91-92)

Margaret Pettigrew - Post-sophomore Fellow, Department of Pathology and Otolaryngology, University of Pittsburgh (91-92)

Jill Rydquist-White - Post-sophomore Fellow, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (92-93)

Tylis Chang - Post-sophomore Fellow, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (92-93) (Co-sponsor)

Kenneth Anderson - Post-sophomore Fellow, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (93-94) First Place Award in the Medical Student/Post-sophomore Fellow category of the Fifth Annual Research Presentation Day Competition.

Jerry Aul - Medical Student Summer Research Program - Medical Alumni Association, University of Pittsburgh, Summer, 1993 and Post-sophomore Fellow (1994-1995), Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (1994-95)

Derek Armfield - Medical Student Summer Research Program - Medical Alumni Association, University of Pittsburgh, Summer, 1994 - Received Travel Award from ARO to present his poster at the National Meeting.

Daryle Darden - Post-sophomore Fellow, Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh (96-97).

Mark Rayner - Medical Student Research Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh (96-97).

Erin O'Brien - Medical Student Research Program - Medical Alumni Association - University of Pittsburgh (97).

Christopher Polling - Medical Student Research Program - Medical Alumni Association - University of Ditteburgh (07)

Pittsburgh (97).

Cindy Nelson - Medical Student Research Program - Medical Alumni Association - University of Pittsburgh (97).

Demetri Laddis - Medical Student Research Program - Medical Alumni Association - University of Pittsburgh (97).

Jay Stutz - Medical Student Research Program - Medical Alumni Association - University of Pittsburgh (97).

Sy Catino - Medical Student Research Program - Medical Alumni Association - University of Pittsburgh (97).

Dorothea Yee - Medical Student Research Rotation - MCP-Hahnemann University - October 1999

Gregory White – Medical Student Summer Intern – Osteopathic School of Philadelphia – Summer 2000

Mina Cherapoo – Medical Student Research Rotation – MCP- Hahnemann University – April-July 2001

Resident and Fellow Laboratory Internships

Anthony Magit, M.D. - Pediatric Otolaryngology Fellow, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh (1990-1992)

J. Christopher Post, M.D. - Pediatric Otolaryngology Fellow, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh (1990-1992)

Frank Rimmel, M.D. - Pediatric Otolaryngology Fellow, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh (1994)

Andrew Shapiro, M.D. - Pediatric Otolaryngology Fellow, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh (1994)

David Shoemaker, M.D. - Otolaryngology Resident, Department of Otolaryngology, University of Pittsburgh (1994)

Sean Houston, M.D. - Otolaryngology Resident, Department of Otolaryngology, University of Pittsburgh (1994)

Eric Leiderman, M.D. - Otolaryngology Resident, Department of Otolaryngology, University of Pittsburgh (1994)

Ana Pou, M.D. - Otolaryngology Resident, Department of Otolaryngology, University of Pittsburgh (1994, 1995)

Wasyl Szerameta, M.D. - Pediatric Otolaryngology Fellow, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh (1995-1996).

Suman Mishra, M.D. - Pediatric Otolaryngology Fellow, Resident, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh (1997).

Daniel Herz, M.D. – Urology Resident, Department of Urology, University of Pittsburgh, (1996-1997).

Steven Krakora, D.M.D – Oral maxillofacial Surgery Resident, Department of Oral maxillofacial surgery, Allegheny General Hospital (1999 - 2000)

Sandeep Kathju, Ph.D., M.D. – Plastic Surgery Fellow, Departments of Plastic Surgery University of Pittsburgh and Allegheny General Hospital, (2000-2001)

Lise Roberts, M.D. – Obstetrics/Gynecology Fellow, Department of OB/GYN, Allegheny General Hospital (2000-2001)

Ernest Braxton, M.D. – Neurosurgery Resident, Department of Neurosurgery, Allegheny General Hospital, NIH minority supplement winner (2004 - 2005)

Undergraduate Internships

Adil Waheed - Penn State University, Summer 1991 - Matriculated at medical school

Soma Gupta - University of Michigan, Summer 1991, 1993 - Matriculated at Pharm D. school

Thomas Zavoral - Grove City College, Summer 1992, 1994 - Matriculated at University of Pittsburgh Medical School – Gold Star Student 4 years.

Sandra Mitre - Dartmouth College, Summer 1993 - Matriculated at medical school

Jennifer Barnes - Chatham College, Summer 1993

Pierre Barua - Bucknell University, Summer 1994, Summer 1995, Summer 1996

Mark Cardamone-Raynor - University of Pittsburgh, Summer 1995 - Matriculated at University of Pittsburgh Medical School. Summer, 1996. ENT resident University of Minnesota; Attending Surgeon Mayo Clinic

Ari Goldberg - University of Pittsburgh, Summer 1995 - Spring 1997 – Matriculated University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine.

Bobby Aichbhaumik - Wayne State University, Summer 1995, Summer 1996 – Matriculated at Wayne State University Medical School 1997.

Lexi Wong-Cheng - McGill University, Summer 1995

Devin Dressman - Alfred University, Summer 1996 – Matriculated U of Pittsburgh Biomedical Ph.D. Program 1997 – Graduated with Ph.D. 2002, Post Doc w/ Bert Vogelstein

Michael Bummer - Cornell University, Summer 1998, Matriculated Medical School

William Chong – Penn State University, Summer 1998, Summer 2001 – Matriculated at Temple University School of Medicine 2001

Samir Mehta – Duke University, Summer 1998

Scott Barcus – Grove City College, Summer 1998

Bernie Daigle – Cornell University, Summer 1999, Summer 2000, Summer 2002; Matriculated as a Ph.D. Student in the Department of Genetics at Stanford University

Michael Sweeny – Ohio University, PTEI Fellowship Summer 1999, Summer 2000; University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine 2005 graduate

Christine Chong – Penn State University, Summer 1999, Summer 2000, Summer 2001

Nathan Ehrlich – Taylor Allderdice High School, Summer 1999, University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2004, Academic year 2004-2005, Summer 2005, 2006

Cara Rebeck – Wellesley College, Summer 2000; matriculated in the MSTP Program at the Pritzker School of Medicine at the University of Chicago.

Sandy McMann – Edinboro University of PA., Summer 2000

Angela Harter – Penn State University, Summer 2001

Megan Petrasek – Penn State University, Summer 2001

Terra Rupert – Allegheny College, Summer 2001

Adam Abdulally - University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2002, Summer 2003, Summer 2004

Laura Kropp – Penn State University, Summer 2004, Summer 2005

Jennifer Jocz – Carnegie Mellon University, Summer 2004, Academic year 04-05, Summer 2005, Academic year -5-06, Summer 2006; Matriculated as a PhD student Harvard University 2006

Josh Levinson – Amherst College, PTEI fellowship, Summer 2004

Justin Hogg – University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2004

Ross Popko – University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2005

Megan MaShea – Allegheny College, PTEI intern, Summer 2005

Candice Johnson - University of Maryland Eastern Shore, Summer 2006

Vikram Kedar – Shadyside Academy, Summer 2006

Rahul Kumar – Columbia University, Summer 2006

Ajeet Mehta – University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2006

Amar S. Mehta – University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2006

Mary Panahandeh – Allegheny College, Summer 2006

Jason Saunders – Boston College, Summer 2006

Senthil Selvaraj - Northwestern University, Summer 2006

Steven Chirieleison - University of Pennsylvania, PTEI Fellowship , Summer 2006

Jeremiah Escajeda - Washington & Jefferson University, PTEI Fellowship, Summer 2006

Juergen Kloo - Summer 2007

Jing Yuen Koo - Summer 2007

Ian Paul Lin - Summer 2007

Graduate Student Internships

Georgia Kalliopi Thomas - Penn State University, Hershey Medical College, Summer 2004

Ian Fhrlich - Montana State University, Department of Mathematics, Summer 2004

Prathapan Thiru - University of Texas, El Paso, Department of Bioinformatics, Summer 2004

Robert Montgomery – Carnegie Mellon University, M.S. student, bioinformatics, Summer 2005

Scot Zundel – University of Pittsburgh, M.S. bioengineering student (Steve Badylak – mentor), Summer 2006

Minority Student Internships

Margaret Larkins-Pettigrew - medical student post-sophomore fellowship 1991-1992, Department of Otolaryngology and Pathology - Awarded 1st place for research at the National Medical Student Association Annual Meeting (1992).

Monique Brown - Westinghouse High School, Heritage Minority Student Internships, NIH Sponsored, Summer 1994.

International Guests

Stefan Emler, M.D. - Laboratoire Central de Bacteriolgie, Hopitaux Universitaires de Geneve (November 1995, April 1997).

Joseph Gluestein, M.D. - Israel (1996-1998)

Dai Xiaobin - Sichuan Institute of Parasitic Disease - Sichuan, P.R. China - 1997-1998.

Qinhua Liu – Sichuan Institute of Parasitic Disease – Schuan, P.R. China – 1997-1998.

Maria Palmquist – Medical Student – Genetics of Dupuytren Contracture - Linkoping Sweden (August - October 2003)

Armin Giescke, Ph.D. – Research Associate – Bacterial 16S FISH; Microsensor environmental monitoring of biofilms - Max Planck Institute for Marine Microbiology, Bremen, Germany (January – April 2005)

Christiane, D.D.S. – Dentist - University of Tubingen, Germany (April – May 2005)

Ruth Thornton, B.S. – Graduate student – University of Western Australia, Perth, Australia, (May 2005)

Lys Maria Allenstein Gondim Almeida, M.D. - Brasil

TEACHING

DREXEL UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Graduate Program (1997-1998) - Developed Ph.D./M.S. graduate programs in Molecular and Human Genetics at the Allegheny Campus of Allegheny University of the Health Sciences which consisted of a 10 hour 2 semester core course in Biochemistry, Molecular Genetics, Human Genetics, Cell Biology and Physiology.

First Sem ester– Nucleic acid composition Nucleic acid evolution Nucleic acid 2° & 3° structures Introduction to the Archaea

Nucleic acid 1° structure Nucleic acid measurements Primitive earth environments and evolution of life The Burckner-Marshall Hypothesis structure Prokaryotic Genomics - Phage genetics membranes The synapse and signal propagation cellular Photosynthesis and the Calvin cycle The electron transport chain DNA replication history and theory elements **RNA** replication determinants RNA synthesis in vitro transcription Effects of environmental change on gene expression Eukaryotic transcription – three systems

Second Semester-The adaptor hypothesis – Crick Lysogenic phage and stimuli Protein classes and properties Enzyme inhibition systems Protein synthesis and sequence Prokaryotic Genomics - Gene

Methods of flux across

Saccharide biochemistry and

energy transduction schemes Metabolic rates Replication of episomal

RNA modification and structure

Operons and prokaryotic mRNA

Bacterial responses to stimuli

Bacterial responses to stimuli Protein structure analysis Regulation of enzymes Co-enzymes and metal ions Protein structure determination

TEACHING (cont)

Prions and prion diseasesIntro to Mutations and EvolutionDesigned Mechanisms of Mutation/Bacterial Adaptation TheoriesDarwinian and NeoDarwinianEvolutionBacterial DNA transfer processesEukaryotic Transposable Elements IICancer Genetics – OncogenesTumor Suppressor GenesExon TrappingExon Trapping

Resident Teaching (1998)

Organized didactic curriculum for pathology residents molecular diagnostics rotation – delivered 6 one hour lectures.

<u>University of Pittsburgh</u> <u>Graduate Students</u>

University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology; Course #2010 - Lectured and assisted with testing on human retroviral diagnostics and pathogenesis. (1991)

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology; Immunogenetics - Lectured and assisted with testing on molecular based approaches to studying immune system super gene families. (1992, 1993)

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology; Makeup and Administration of Ph.D. qualifying exams (1992, 1993, 1994, 1995).

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology; Cancer Biology Course - 2 lectures: 1) DNA Tumor Viruses; 2) RNA Tumor Viruses (Spring 1993; Spring 1994; Spring 1995; Spring 1996); and examiner for student presentations (1995, 1996).

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology; General Human Pathology Course – 2 lectures on Retroviral Pathogenesis and Molecular Diagnostics for Infectious Disease (Spring 1995; Spring, 1996).

University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health, Department of Epidemiology, Methods in Infectious Disease Epidemiology Course, Lecture on use of Molecular Diagnostics to Develop new insights into chronic infectious processes (Spring 1999; Spring 2000)

Medical Students

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology; PMSII Pathology Course - (1991-1992). Sponsored three student presentations: demyelinating diseases; prion protein diseases; human retroviral neoplasias.

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology; PMSII Pathology Course - (1992-1993). Sponsored four student presentations: demyelinating diseases; prion protein diseases; human retroviral neoplasias; development of methods to identify new microbial pathogens.

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology; Sophomore Pathology Course -lectured on "Diagnosis of Infectious Agents by Molecular Techniques" (Fall 1992).

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Clinical Epidemiology, Small Group Recitation.

Pathology Residents

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology, Resident training program lecture in Molecular Diagnostics, September, 1992.

University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Department of Pathology, Resident training program lecture in Molecular Diagnostics, January 1993. Coordinate Pathology residents lab rotations through PCR Core Facility.

Coordinated molecular microbiology and nucleic acid amplification strategies sections of the second year Pathology residents course in Molecular Diagnostics. Delivered seven 60-90 minute lectures and helped with preparation of final examination (1993, 1994, 1995).

Coordinated PCR-based detections strategies and molecular microbiology for the Molecular Diagnostics course taught in the School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences (7 lectures). Delivered 2 - 75 minute lectures and prepared sections of midterm and final exam.

COMMITTEES

<u>Allegheny University of the Health Sciences/MCP-Hahnemann School of</u> <u>Medicine/Allegheny General Hospital</u>

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (1998-Date; Vice Chairman- 2000-Date) Allegheny General Hospital Chair's Executive Committee (2000-Date) Allegheny Singer Research Institute, Research Committee (2000-Date) Drexel University College of Medicine - School of Medicine Research Committee (2001 –

Date)

Pittsburgh Tissue Engineering Initiative, Inc

Summer Intern Selection Committee (2000, 2001)

University of Pittsburgh (University-wide)

Institutional Biosafety Committee (1992-1995; extended to 1997)

University of Pittsburgh, Department of Pathology

Graduate Education Committee (1990) Curriculum Subcommittee (1990) Speaker Selection Committee (1991) Cellular and Molecular Pathology Coordinating Committee (1991 - Date) Graduate Admissions and Education Committee (1991 - 1994) Faculty Search Committee - Molecular Biology Position, Magee Hospital Post Sophomore Fellowship Selection Committee (1992-1993) Graduate Evaluations Committee (1992-1997). Research Associate Search Committee (1994) Research Associate Search Committee Chairman (1995) Research Associate Search Committee Chairman (1996)

University of Pittsburgh, Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology

Research Associate Search Committee - Cellular Immunologist Position (1991)

PUBLICATIONS

I) -EDITORIALS, ^βINVITED REVIEWS, ^δPERSPECTIVES & ^γCITATIONS

- E-1^{^B Ehrlich, G.D.: Caveats of PCR. <u>Clinical Microbiology Newsletter</u> 13:149-151, 1991.}
- $E-2^{\beta}$ **Ehrlich, G.D.:** Molecular Methods for Clinical Immunologists: Innovations and Interpretations <u>AMLI</u> <u>Newsletter</u> **4**:6, 1992.
- E-3- Ehrlich, G.D.: Editorial requested by Journal of Craniofacial Surgery.
- E-4- Ehrlich, G.D.: Syndromic Illnesses Demand Multiplex PCR-Based Assays. <u>Molecular</u> Diagnosis 1: 83-87, 1996.
- E-5- Ehrlich, G.D.: Otitis Media-Prospects for Management. International Clinical Practice Series, p7, 1996.
- E-6- Ehrlich, G.D.: What do new diagnostics tell us about the effectiveness of treatment of otitis media? International Clinical Practice Series, pp 9-13, 1996.
- E-7^B Ryan, A.F, Diven, W.F., Bakaletz, L.O., Ehrlich, G.D., Juhn, S.K., Jung, T.T.K., and Post, J.C. 5A Biochemistry. Recent Advances in Otitis Media: Report of the Sixth Research Conference. Annals of Otology, Rhinology and Laryngology. 107 (S174), 50-55, 1998.
- E-8^β Ryan, A.F, Diven, W.F., Bakaletz, L.O., Ehrlich, G.D., Juhn, S.K., Jung, T.T.K., and Post, J.C. 5B Molecular Biology. Recent Advances in Otitis Media: Report of the Sixth Research Conference. Annals of Otology, Rhinology and Laryngology. 107 (S174), 50-55, 1998.
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- Hu, F.Z., Hogg, J., Hiller, N.L., Janto, B., Boissy R., Post, J.C., and Ehrlich, G.D. Biofilms as Bacterial Breeding Grounds: A Counterpoint to the Adaptive Host Response. Abstract MS15 9th International Symposium on Recent Advances in Otitis Media, scheduled to take place June 3 – 7, 2007, in St. Pete Beach, Florida, USA.

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MEETINGS ORGANIZED

Molecular Pathology: A workshop in Molecular Diagnostics-sponsored by UAREP (for the creation of the Association for Molecular Pathology). November 11-13, 1994, Bethesda, MD. Garth D. Ehrlich - organizing committee member.

International Genetic Workshop on Crouzon and other Craniofacial Disorders. March 10 - 11, 1995, Sheraton Hotel at Station Square, Pittsburgh, PA. Garth D. Ehrlich, J. Christopher Post, and John J. Mulvihill - Directors.

First International Symposium on Hereditary Pancreatitis. April 5-6, 1997, Sheraton Hotel at Station Square, Pittsburgh, PA. Course Directors: David C. Whitcomb, **Garth D. Ehrlich**, J. Christopher Post.

New Paradigms in Infectious Disease: Applications to Otitis Media. October 13-15, 2000, Marriott City Center, Pittsburgh, PA. Course Directors: **Garth D. Ehrlich**, J.Christopher Post, and J. William Costerton **Dean's Symposium on Genetic Testing in Medicine.** March 26, 2001, Allegheny General Hospital/MCP-Hahnemann University School of Medicine. Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh PA. Symposium Director: **Garth D. Ehrlich.**

Medical Biofilms 2002. March 17-19 2002, Keio Plaza Hotel, Tokyo Japan . Member Scientific Advisory Committee

Intelligent Implants – Designing a Self-Monitoring and Dosing Orthopedic Prosthesis. April 11-12, 2003, Big Sky Conference Center, Big Sky Montana. Conference Organizers: Garth D. Ehrlich and J. William Costerton.

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SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

- K-1 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Transferring DNA probe-based assays from the research laboratory to the medical clinic. American Society for Microbiology, Arizona Chapter, April 6, 1991.
- K-2# Ehrlich, G.D. The Technology and Application of PCR-based Gene Diagnostics in the Clinical Laboratory, Xian, CHINA, May 28, 1998.
- K-3# **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Biofilm Paradigm Explains many Features of Chronic Bacterial Infections. Twenty fifth Silver Jubilee Annual Conference of Indian Association of Medical Microbiologists. New Delhi, INDIA November 24, 2001.
- K-4# **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Genetics of Craniofacial Development. World ENT Congress (IFOS 2002), Cairo, EGYPT. October 1, 2002.
- K-5# Ehrlich, G.D. Strategies to Identify Tissue-Specific Virulence Genes among the Nontypeable *Haemophilus influenzae* using the Rubric of Bacterial Plurality. Symposium on Functional Genomics of Infectious Disease and Inflammation, Giessen, GERMANY, June 20-July2, 2006.
- K-6# Ehrlich, G.D. Lettura Magistale Bacterial Plurality: Development of a New Rubric for Understanding chronic infections and incorporating anti-biofilm strategies into implantable devices - Infezioni in ortopedia e traumatologia: Biofilm e Nuave Strategie di Prevenzione, Diagnosi e Trattamento. Naples ITALY, September 30, 2006.

INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATION

SESSION CONVENER/CHAIRMAN

- SC-1 Ehrlich, G.D.: American Society of Microbiology Conference on biotechnology. Session on Human Retroviruses and AIDS June 27-30, 1991.
- SC-2 Ehrlich, G.D. Association of Medical Laboratory Immunologists. Plenary Session on Molecular Methods for Clinical Immunologists. Arlington, VA, August 15, 1992.
- SC-3 Ehrlich, G.D. International Genetics workshop on Crouzon and other Craniofacial Disorders. Plenary Session I and Keynote Address, Pittsburgh, PA, March 10, 1995.
- SC-4 **Ehrlich, G.D.**, Voelkerding, K., and Dummler, S. Association for Molecular Pathology. Plenary Session on Infectious Diseases. Minneapolis, MN, November 10, 1995.
- SC-5# Ehrlich, G.D., and Adam, D.: Biennial Conference on Anti-infective agents and chemotherapy otitis media: GaxoWellcome Symposium. Treatment of Otitis Media, Congress Centre Leipzig, GERMANY. May 3, 1996.

- SC-6# Ehrlich, G.D., and Poole, M.: First World Congress of Pediatric Infectious Disease, GlaxoWellcome Symposium. "Otitis Media: Prospects for Management". Acapulco, MEXICO. December 5, 1996.
- SC-7 **Ehrlich, G.D.,** First International Symposium on Hereditary Pancreatitis. Keynote Speaker, April 5, 1997, Pittsburgh, PA.
- SC-8 Ehrlich, G.D., New Paradigms in Infectious Disease: Applications to Otitis Media. Welcome, Opening Remarks, and Introduction of Keynote Speaker, October 13, 2000, Pittsburgh, PA.
- SC-9 Ehrlich, G.D. Intelligent Implants Designing a Self-Monitoring and Dosing Orthopedic Prosthesis. Welcome, Opening Remarks, and Mission Statement for Meeting. April 11, 2003, Big Sky, Montana.
- SC-10# Ehrlich, G.D. and Ford, T. Environmental Biofilms as a Reservoir for Pathogens, Biofilms 2003 ASM Conferences, November 3, 2003, Victoria British Columbia, CANADA.
- SC-11# Post, J.C., and Ehrlich, G.D. Innovative OM Research Biofilms and Beyond. 5th Extraordinary International Symposium on Recent Advances in Otitis Media. Grand Hotel Krasnapolsky, 24-27 April 2005, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- SC-12 Costerton, J.W. and Ehrlich, G.D. Symposium: What bacterial genomes actually exist in real ecosystems, and which genes are actually expressed in natural and pathogenic processes? 106th ASM General Meeting, Orlando FL May 21-25, 2006.
- SC-13# Ehrlich, G.D. and Kjelleberg, S. Evening Session 3 Genetic Diversity and Evolution. 4th ASM Conference on Biofilms, March 27, 2007, Quebec, QC, CANADA.
- SC-14# Ehrlich, G.D. and Kerschner J. Mini Symposium 3: Biofilms in Otitis Media Thursday, June 7, 8:00 am - 10:00 AM. 9th International Symposium on Recent Advances in Otitis Media, June 3 - 7, 2007, St. Pete Beach, Florida, USA.

#INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATION

INVITED TALKS

- I-1 Ehrlich, G.D.: Strategies for detection and characterization of HTLV-I and related viruses by PCR. PCR Workshop NIAID Bethesda, MD, June 30, 1988.
- I-2 Ehrlich, G.D.: Application of DNA probe technology to Medical Science. Medical Grand Rounds, SUNY HSC at Syracuse, Nov. 3, 1988.
- I-3 Ehrlich, G.D.: The spectrum of disease associated with human retroviruses: the quest for novel infectious agents. Triton Biosciences, Alameda, CA, January 17, 1989.

- I-4 **Ehrlich, G.D**.: The Use of PCR in the Detection, Characterization, and Quantitation of Human Retrovirus. AACR. San Francisco, May 27, 1989.
- I-5 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: PCR-Based Molecular Diagnostics and Epidemiology of Human Retroviruses. University of Pittsburgh, June 26, 1989.
- I-6 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: Current Topics in AIDS Research: Diagnostics, Epidemiology and Therapeutics. State University of New York, Oswego, August 24, 1989.
- I-7 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: PCR-Based Molecular Diagnostics and Epidemiology of Human Retroviruses. Hoffman LaRoche, Nutley, NJ, September 7, 1989.
- I-8 Ehrlich, G.D.: PCR-Based Molecular Diagnostics and Epidemiology of Human Retroviruses. National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute, FCRF, Frederick, MD, September 27, 1989.
- I-9 **Ehrlich, G.D.:** Applications of PCR to Identification of Infectious Organisms, Food Pathogens, and Forensic Testing. Syracuse Research Corporation, November 17, 1989.
- I-10 Ehrlich, G.D.: Towards development of Automatable Nonisotopic Detection Strategies for PCR Amplified DNAs. Lifecodes Corporation, April 25, 1990.
- I-11 Ehrlich, G.D.: Use of PCR in Diagnosing Retroviral Infection. American Society for Microbiology, Immunology Division Symposia, ASM Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, May 16, 1990.
- I-12 Ehrlich, G.D.: The Coupling of PCR with Sensitive, Specific, Detection Strategies for Use in the Clinical Laboratory. American Association of Cancer Research Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. May 26, 1990.
- I-13 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: Towards Development of PCR-based Methodologies for Examination of Retroviral Pathogenesis. American Society for Microbiology Conference on Biotechnology. Chicago, Illinois. June 8, 1990.
- I-14 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: Utilization of PCR-based diagnostics in the Clinical laboratory. Department of Oral Biology, School of Dentistry SUNY at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY Aug. 8, 1990.
- I-15 Ehrlich, G.D.: Utilization of PCR-based Technologies: Retroviral Pathogenesis Studies. The Fifth San Diego Conference on Nucleic Acids - New Frontiers, San Diego, CA. Nov. 14-16, 1990.
- I-16 Ehrlich, G.D.: PCR-based Clinical Diagnostics. Kodak Corporation, Rochester, NY February 22, 1991
- I-17 Ehrlich, G.D.: Using Lessons Learned from Molecular Epidemiology for the Development of PCR-based Clinical Diagnostics. Ohio State University, March 20, 1991.

- I-18 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: PCR-based Approaches to the study of Retroviral Pathogenesis. Transfusion Research Program, Department of Laboratory Medicine, UCSF. April 16, 1991.
- I-19 Ehrlich, G.D.: Caveats of the PCR technology for Clinical Diagnosis American Society for Microbiology, Annual Meeting Dallas, TX Group C Symposia May 5, 1991.
- I-20 Ehrlich, G.D.: PCR based Molecular Epidemiology of HTLV-I and II. Roswell Park Cancer Institute, Buffalo, NY. July 23, 1991.
- I-21 Ehrlich, G.D.: PCR-based Approaches to analyzing HIV pathogenesis. Frederick Cancer Research & Development Center, National Cancer Institute, Frederick, MD. August 7, 1991.
- I-22 Ehrlich, G.D.: Establishment of a PCR-based Clinical Diagnostic Facility. Allegheny Singer Institute, Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA. September 23, 1991.
- I-23 Ehrlich, G.D.: Designing and conducting PCR-based clinical trials. Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio, February 18, 1992.
- I-24 Ehrlich, G.D.: Cross sectional examination of TCR V_ repertoire in normal and HIV-1 infected subjects. MACSMeeting, Los Angeles, CA. February 23-24, 1992.
- I-25 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: Polymerase Chain Reaction Processes and Applications. Society for Analytical Chemists of Pittsburgh Symposium: The Role of Analytical Chemistry in Biotechnology, Pittsburgh, PA, April 4, 1992.
- I-26 Ehrlich, G.D. Designing and Implementing PCR-based Clinical Trials for the Detection of Infectious Organisms. Association of Medical Laboratory Immunologists, Arlington, VA, August 15, 1992.
- I-27 Ehrlich, G.D. Designing and Developing a PCR Facility for Diagnostics and Research. NeMours Children's Hospital, Jacksonville, FL, September, 1992.
- I-28 Ehrlich, G.D. Longitudinal examination of TCR V_repertoires in normal and HIV-1 infected subjects. Multicenter AIDS Cohort Study Meeting, Baltimore, MD. October 30, 1992.
- I-29 Ehrlich, G.D. Establishing a PCR-based Diagnostic Facility. Oncogenetics, Phoenix, AZ, January 4, 1993.
- I-30 Ehrlich, G.D. Design and Implementation of PCR-based Clinical Diagnostics Assays. Becton Dickinson Advanced Diagnostics, Research Triangle, NC. March 10, 1993.
- I-31 Ehrlich, G.D. Development of Multiplex PCR-Based Assays for Syndromic Illnesses. TM Technologies, Boston, MA. November 16, 1993.
- I-32 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Basic Strategies Involved in Nucleic Acid Amplification Technologies and their Applications to Molecular Microbiology Laboratories. Molecular Diagnostics Symposia, Pittsburgh, PA. April 20, 1994.

- I-33# Ehrlich, G.D. Mapping the Gene for Crouzon Craniofacial Dysostosis and General Methods for the Development of Tightly Linked Markers. Heritage Foundation Lecture, Cross Cancer Institute, Edmonton, Alberta CANADA, June 23, 1994.
- I-34 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Teaching Molecular Pathology to Medical Students. Group for Research in Pathology Education, Annual National Meeting, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center. Pittsburgh, PA. June 30, 1994.
- I-35 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Fine Structure Mapping of the CFD Locus on 10q and assignment of the FGFR2 Gene to a YAC Contig Spanning the CFD Locus. International Genetic Workshop for Crouzon and other Craniofacial Disorders, Pittsburgh, PA, March 10, 1995.
- I-36 Ehrlich, G.D. PCR-based Panel Testing for Syndromic Infectious Diseases. Cambridge Healthtech Institute's Advances in Genetic Diagnostics for Infectious Diseases. Washington, D.C., April 19, 1995.
- I-37 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Design and Implementation of a PCR-based Diagnostic Facility for Infectious Agents. New York State Department of Health Labs, Albany, NY, May 11, 1995.
- I-38 Ehrlich, G.D. Molecular Analyses for Infectious Disease Pathogens in Otitis Media. NIH NIDCD Council Meeting, Bethesda, MD, May 18, 1995.
- I-39 Ehrlich, G.D. Utility of PCR-based Diagnostics for CMV in solid organ transplant patients. Association for Molecular Pathology Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, November 10, 1995.
- I-30# Ehrlich, G.D. Molecular Diagnostics as a Tool for Understanding Infectious Processes. Hopitaux Universitaires de Geneve, Geneve, SWITZERLAND. April 30, 1996.
- I-41# Ehrlich, G.D. Causative Pathogens: Will new diagnostics benefit patients: 6th Bicon Biennial Conference on Anti-infective agents and chemotherapy. Congress Centre Leipzig, GERMANY. May 2-4, 1996.
- I-42 Ehrlich, G.D. Is Otitis Media a Biofilm Disease. Center for Biofilm Engineering, Montana State University, November 21, 1996.
- I-43# Ehrlich, G.D. How Molecular Microbiology created a new paradigm for understanding Otitis Media, First World Congress of Pediatric Infectious Disease, Acapulco, MEXICO. December 5 1996.
- I-44# Ehrlich, G.D. Designing a PCR-based clinical reference lab Xian, PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA, April 1, 1997.
- I-45 **Ehrlich, G.D.,** Positional Cloning of the Hereditary Pancreatitis Gene. First International Symposium on Hereditary Pancreatitis, Pittsburgh, PA. April 5, 1997,
- I-46 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Mapping and Cloning of the Gene for Hereditary Pancreatitis, Department of Genetics, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. April 14, 1997.

- I-47# Ehrlich, G.D. Practical Genomics, Agents for Change Glaxo Wellcome, Verona, ITALY, June 27, 1998.
- I-48 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Discovering the Molecular Basis of Congenital Disorders: FGFR-2 and Craniofacial Syndromes, Children's Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, Ohio, November 11, 1998.
- I-49 **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Development of a new Paradigm in Chronic Infectious Diseases through the application of Molecular Diagnostics, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland Ohio, May 27, 1999.
- I-50# Ehrlich, G.D. The Genetics and Physiology of Hereditary Pancreatitis, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, HONG KONG, China, October 5, 1999.
- I-51# Ehrlich, G.D. The Genetics and Physiology of Craniosynostotic Syndromes and Hereditary Pancreatitis, West China University of Medical Sciences, Chengdu, Sichuan, CHINA, October 11, 1999.
- I-52# Ehrlich, G.D. Functional Promoter Studies of the Human FGFR2 Gene, West China University of Medical Sciences, Chengdu, Sichuan, CHINA, October 12, 1999.
- I-53 Ehrlich, G.D. Demonstration of the biofilm phenotype in middle ear infections, *BIOFILMS* 2000 ASM SYMPOSIUM, Big Sky Montana, July 16-21, 2000.
- I-54 Ehrlich, G.D. Molecular Genetics of Pediatric Gastroesophageal Reflux, Sequenom, San Diego, CA, September 25, 2000
- I-55 Ehrlich, G.D. Biofilms in Otitis Media, *New Paradigms in Infectious Disease*: Applications to Otitis Media, October 14, 2000, Pittsburgh, PA
- I-56# Ehrlich, G.D. Strategies for Positional Cloning of the pediatric GER gene. AstraZeneca, Muldon, SWEDEN. November 6, 2000
- I-57 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Biofilms in Otitis Media. NIDCD Workshop. Otitis Media: New Approaches for Analysis, Treatment, and Prevention. Rockville, MD. November 29, 2000.
- I-58 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Molecular Diagnostics as a Measure of Antimicrobial Efficacy. Pfizer Investigators Meeting. West Palm Beach, FL. December 4, 2000.
- I-59# Ehrlich, G.D. Differential Gene Expression Analyses as a Means to Understand Scarless Fetal Wound Healing. Kunming Medial College, Kunming, Yunan, CHINA. January 8, 2001
- I-60 **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Genetics of GERD and the Bacterial Biofilm Paradigm of Chronic Infectious Diseases. MCP-Hahnemann University School of Medicine February 13, 2001.
- I-61 **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Use of Global Gene Expression Technologies to Identify Targets in Bacterial Biofilms for Vaccines and Anti-infectives. Wyeth-Lederle, Bacterial Vaccines Research Group Meeting. Rochester, NY. March 7, 2001.

- I-62 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Molecular Diagnostics of Chronic Infections. Dean's Symposium. Allegheny General Hospital/MCP-Hahnemann University School of Medicine. Pittsburgh, PA, March 26, 2001.
- I-63 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Using Gene Array Technology to Test the Biofilm Hypothesis of Chronic Bacterial Disease. Coriell Institute for Medical Research. Camden, NJ March 27, 2000
- I-64 **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Development of a New Paradigm in Chronic Bacterial Infections through the Application of Molecular Diagnostics. Pfizer Global Research and Development, Antibacterials Department, Groton CT, April 27, 2001.
- I-65 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Approaches for The Identification of New Targets for Anti-infectives. Pfizer Global Research and Development, Antibacterials Department, Groton CT, April 27, 2001.
- I-66* Ehrlich, G.D. The Biofilm Phenotype in Otitis Media, Colloquium of Biofilms in Chronic Bacterial Infections, American Society for Microbiology Annual Meeting, Orlando FL, May 23, 2001.
- I-67 Ehrlich, G.D. Direct Micrographic Imaging of Biofilms on the Middle-Ear Mucosa of Experimentally Infected Chinchillas, *Special Symposium on Biofilms*, BioElectro Magnetic Society Annual Meeting, St. Paul MN, June 11, 2001.
- I-68 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Demonstration of the Biofilm Phenotype in Otitis Media and Salpingitis. Microbia, Cambridge, MA, July 27, 2001
- I-69# Ehrlich, G.D. Direct Imaging and Gene Expression Analyses of a Mucosal Biofilm in Otitis Media. *Bacterial Interactions with Mucus and Mucosa*, a EURESCO Conference. Canterbury, Kent, ENGLAND September 1-6, 2001.
- I-70 **Ehrlich, G.D.** "The Role of Biofilms and Genomic Plasticity in Otitis Media" Department of Microbiology University of Buffalo, Buffalo NY, November 9, 2001
- I-71 **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Biofilm and Distributed Genome Paradigms provide a new Theoretical Structure for Understanding Chronic Bacterial Infections. Interscience Conference on Antimicrobials Agents and Chemotherapy (ICAAC) Chicago, Illinois, September 2001 (Postponed to December 18, 2001)
- I-72# Ehrlich, G.D. Do Bacterial Pathogens Utilize a Distributed Genome? Results from Genomic Plasticity Studies of *Pseudomonas Aenuginosa*. Twenty fifth Silver Jubilee Annual Conference of Indian Association of Medical Microbiologists. New Delhi, INDIA November 22, 2001.
- I-73# Ehrlich, G.D. The Biofilm Paradigm in Chronic Bacterial Infections. Center for Biochemical Technology, New Delhi, INDIA. November 23, 2001.
- I-74# **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Genetics of Pediatric Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease. Center for Biochemical Technology, New Delhi, INDIA. November 23, 2001.

- 1-75# **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Biofilm and Distributed Genome Paradigms provide a new Theoretical Structure for Understanding Chronic Bacterial Infections. Department of Human Genetics and Genomics, Indian Institute of Chemical Biology, Kolkatta, INDIA, November 26, 2001.
- I-76# Ehrlich, G.D. The Genetics of Pediatric Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease and a Post-Genomic Strategy for the Positional Cloning of the GERD Gene at Chromosome 13q14. Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, INDIA, November 27, 2001.
- I-77# Ehrlich, G.D. The Biofilm and Distributed Genome Paradigms provide a new Theoretical Structure for Understanding Chronic Bacterial Infections. Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, INDIA, November 26, 2001.
- I-78# Ehrlich, G.D. The Mucosal Biofilm Paradigm explains many features of Otitis Media with Effusion. Medical Biofilms 2002, Tokyo JAPAN, March 19, 2002.
- I-79# Ehrlich, G.D. Bacterial Supra-genomes and the Distributed Genome Hypothesis. Medical Biofilms 2002, Tokyo JAPAN, March 19, 2002.
- I-80# Ehrlich, G.D. Toward the Development of a new Theoretical Framework for Understanding Chronic Bacterial Pathogenesis, National University of Singapore, SINGAPORE, March 26, 2002.
- I-81 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Towards the Development of a New Theoretical Framework for the Understanding of Chronic Bacterial Infections. John A. Burns School of Medicine, University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu, Hawaii July 24, 2002.
- I-82 Ehrlich, G.D. Biofilms and Genomic Plasticity: Development of a New Theoretical Framework for Understanding Chronic Bacterial Infections. University of Nebraska School of Medicine, Department of Orthopedic Surgery, Omaha, Nebraska, August 16, 2002.
- I-83 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Bacterial Plurality Explains Many Features of Chronic Pathogenesis. Grand Rounds, Department of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery, Eye and Ear Institute, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA November 13, 2002.
- I-84 Ehrlich, G.D. Chronic Bacterial Pathogenesis and the Distributed Genome Hypothesis. University of Rochester, Department of Biology Seminar Series, Rochester, NY. December 9, 2002.
- I-85 Ehrlich, G.D. Bacterial Genotypic Plurality: The Distributed Genome Hypothesis Explains Many Features of Bacterial Persistence. VIIIth International Meeting on Otitis Media, Fort Lauderdale FL, June 5, 2003.
- I-86 Post, J.C., and Ehrlich, G.D. Bacterial Phenotypic Plurality: The Mucosal Biofilm Paradigm Explains Many Features of Chronic Pathogenesis. VIIIth International Meeting on Otitis Media, Fort Lauderdale FL, June 5, 2003.
- I-87# Ehrlich, G.D. Bacterial Genotypic Plurality: The Distributed Genome Hypotheses Explains many Features of Bacterial Persistence. Shantou University, Shantou CHINA, October 9, 2003

- I-88 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Clinical Correlates of the Distributed Genome Hypothesis. The 18th San Diego Conference on Nucleic Acids, Baltimore, MD. October 30-November 1, 2003
- I-89# Ehrlich, G.D. Population-based Supra-virulence Factors and The Distributed Genome Hypothesis. Biofilms 2003 ASM Symposium, Victoria Island, BC CANADA November 1-3 2003
- 1-90 Ehrlich, G.D. Testing the Distributed Genome Hypothesis as a Model of Chronic Bacterial Pathogenesis. Columbus Children's Research Foundation/Ohio State University Department of Microbiology. Columbus, OH. January 21-22, 2004.
- I-91 Ehrlich, G.D. A Systems Approach to BioMedical Research. Southern Illinois University School of Medicine, Springfield Illinois February 10, 2004.
- I-92 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Development of a MultidiscipOlinary Strategy for Biological Research in the 21st Century. Southern Illinois University, Carbondale Illinois, February 11, 2004
- I-93 Ehrlich, G.D. Genomic Plasticity and Horizontal Gene Transfer in Middle-ear Pathogens. 454 Life Sciences, Branford Connecticut, April 1, 2004
- 1-94 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Bacterial Plurality: New Paradigms in Chronic Infection Explain Past Treatment Failures. National Institute of Deafness and Other Communication Disorders, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland, September 10, 2004.
- I-95 Ehrlich, G.D. Conceptualization and Development of an Intelligent Artificial Joint. Association of Bone and Joint Surgeons Workshop on Muskuloskeletal Infection, Tampa, Florida, November 11th-14th, 2004.
- I-96 Ehrlich, G.D. & Fen Ze Hu. The Distributed Genome Hypothesis Provides an Evolutionary Mechanisms to explain Persistent Bacterial Infections. Association of Bone and Joint Surgeons Workshop on Muskuloskeletal Infection, Tampa, Florida, November 11th-14th, 2004.
- 1-97 **Ehrlich, G.D.** The role of Bacterial Phenotypic and Genotypic Diversity in Maintaining Chronic Infections. Department of Chemistry and Chemical Biology, Stevens Institute of Technology, March 30, 2005.
- I-98 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Biological and Engineering Approaches to the Control of Chronic Bacterial Infections. Department of Bioscience and BioTechnology Weekly Seminar Series, Drexel University, March 31, 2005.
- I-99 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Developing Experimental Systems to Test Predictions of Bacterial Plurality with respect to Chronic Infections. Center for Bioiflm Engineering Seminar Series, Montana State University, April 14, 2005.

- I-100# Ehrlich, G.D. The Role of Genomic Diversity and Horizontal Gene Transfer Among Pathogens in Chronic OM. 5th Extraordinary International Symposium on Recent Advances in Otitis Media, Amsterdam, The NETHERLANDS, April 24-27, 2005
- I-101# Ehrlich, G.D. Bacterial Genomic Plasticity and Strategies for Rapidly Obtaining the Complete Genomic Sequence of Unculturable Micro-organisms. The Max Planck Institute for Marine Biology, Bremen, GERMANY, April 28, 2005.
- I-102 Ehrlich, G.D. Strategies for Rapidly Obtaining the Complete Genomic Sequence of Unculturable Micro-organisms. Cambridge Healthtech Institute's Nucleic Acid-based Technologies Meeting, Baltimore MD, June 27-28, 2005
- I-103# Ehrlich, G.D. The Distributed Genome Hypothesis explains the Genomic Plasticity among the NTHi. 13th Annual International Conference on Microbial Genomes. Madison, WI, September 11-14, 2005.
- I-104 Ehrlich, G.D. Bacterial Plurality: How studying the microbial ecology of otitis media led to the development of a new rubric for understanding chronic bacterial infections. Phillips Oral Healrth Care MICROBIAL BIOFILMS SYMPOSIUM of the Big Biofilm Bash: Systems Biology Affecting Humans and the Environment. October 24th & 25th 2005, University of Southern California.
- I-105# Ehrlich, G.D. The Origins of Genomic Plasticity: is Horizontal Gene transfer a populationbased virulence factor? National Institute of Microbiology at the Chinese Academy of Science, Beijing, CHINA, November 2, 2005.
- I-106 Ehrlich, G.D. Scarless Wound Healing. McGowan Institute for Regenerative Medicine, Fifth Annual Retreat. Workshop on Gene Therapy. Nemacolin Woodlands, PA March 7, 2006
- I-107# Ehrlich, G.D. GPRWMF Research Meeting, Perth, AUSTRALIA, 2006 (scheduled unable to attend)
- I-108 **Ehrlich, G.D.** The Distributed Genome Hypothesis and the selection of strains for sequencing. Symposium: *What bacterial genomes actually exist in real ecosystems, and which genes are actually expressed in natural and pathogenic processes*? 106th ASM General Meeting, Orlando FL May 21-25, 2006.
- I-109 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Biofilms and the Distributed Genome Hypothesis, or how Chronic Bacterial Pathogens Utilize Phenotypic and Genotypic Diversity Mechanisms to Overcome Host Defenses. Ibis, San Diego, CA August 7, 2006.
- I-110# Ehrlich, G.D. The Distributed Genome Hypothesis and Modeling the *H. influenzae* Supragenome. La Sapienza (University of Rome) Rome, ITALY October 5, 2006.
- I-111 Ehrlich, G.D. The Yak Gut Microbiome Project. Penn State Biomass Energy Center and Agricultural and Biological Engineering Department, Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA, November 27, 2006

- I-112 Ehrlich, G.D. Diagnostic and Treatment Strategies for Arthroplastic Biofilms Infections. Stryker Corporation's Infectious Diseases Panel, Mahwah, NJ, January 11, 2007
- I-113 Ehrlich, G.D. Characterization of Pathogenic Bacterial Supragenomes via 454-based sequence analysis. Cornell University School of Medicine, New York, NY, January 23, 2007
- I-114# Ehrlich, G.D. Characterizing the NTHi and Pneumococcal Supragenomes in Light of the Distributed Genome Hypothesis. Evening Session 3 – Genetic Diversity and Evolution. 4th ASM Conference on Biofilms, March 27, 2007, Quebec, QC, CANADA.
- I-115 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Genetic Diversity & Evolution among Respiratory Mucosal Bacterial Pathogens. Ibis Division/Isis Corporation, Carlsbad, CA May 7, 2007.
- I-116 Ehrlich, G.D. The Distributed Genome Hypothesis Provides a Basis for Understanding Chronic Bacterial Pathogenesis. University of Southern California, School of Dentistry, Los Angeles, CA May 14, 2007
- I-117 Ehrlich, G.D. Applications from the Study of Craniofacial Genetics to Warfighter Wound Healing. University of Southern California, School of Medicine, Los Angeles, CA May 14, 2007
- I-118# Ehrlich, G.D. Polyclonal Infections, Biofilms, and the Distributed Genome Hypothesis Explain Bacterial Persistence in Chronic Infections. BioCentrum-Danish Technical University Copenhagen (Lyngby), DENMARK

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SHORTCOURSES AND WORKSHOPS

- S-1# Ehrlich, G.D.: Workshop on Multiple Sclerosis and Human Retroviruses, sponsored by the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. Montreal, Quebec, CANADA, June 10, 1989.
- S-2 Ehrlich, G.D.: PCR Workshop at NIH, Bethesda, MD. June 30, 1988.
- S-3 Poiesz, B.J., Saiki, R., Mark, George, E., III, Ehrlich, G. D. The Polymerase Chain Reaction: Its Subtleties and Application. 81st Annual Meeting of the American Association for Cancer Research, May 23-26, 1990, Washington, D.C.
- S-4 **Ehrlich, G.D.:** I: Development of Procedural and Physical Safeguards for Utilization of PCRbased Clinical Diagnostic Procedures; and II: Use of gene amplification for studies of human retroviral pathogenesis. PCR short course: Department of Biochemical Pharmacology SUNY at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY - August 12-15, 1990

- S-5 **Ehrlich, G.D.:** I: Design of Laboratory Operations for PCR-based Clinical Diagnostics; and, II: PCR-based Strategies for Research Applications. PCR Workshop of the Pan American Group for Rapid Viral Diagnosis, State University of Arizona, Phoenix, Arizona. Oct. 8-11, 1990.
- S-6 **Ehrlich, G.D.:** Molecular Biology of Hepatitis C Virus, presented at the Central Blood Bank Conference, Current Issues in HCV, Hyatt Regency, Pittsburgh, PA. Feb. 22, 1992.
- S-7 Ehrlich, G.D.: Faculty member: PCR and Sequencing Course, given at the Symposium on Molecular Biology of Hearing and Deafness. La Jolla, CA, May 1-4, 1992.
- S-8 **Ehrlich, G.D.** and Cooper, D.L.: Establishment and Integration of an Infectious Disease Molecular Diagnostic Lab within a University Hospital. Universities Associated for Research and Education in Pathology. Bethesda, MD, November 13, 1993.
- S-9 Ehrlich, G.D. A workshop in Molecular Diagnostics, Molecular Pathology. Bethesda, MD, November 11-13, 1994.
- S-10 **Ehrlich, G.D.**: Antimicrobial Resistance: Mechanisms and clinical relevance. Antimicrobial resistance: A Growing Crisis; Symposium held in conjunction with AGO-HVS Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA, September 19, 1995.
- S-11 Ehrlich, G.D.: Organizer and speaker Molecular Medicine Workshop. Alfred University, Alfred, NY, October 21, 1995. Speakers include G.D. Ehrlich, J.C. Post, and D. Whitcomb.
- S-12 Ehrlich, G.D., Voelkerding, K., and Dummler, S. (Organizers): Workshop on Molecular Diagnosis for Infectious Disease. Association for Molecular Pathology Annual Meeting Minneapolis, MN, Nov 10-12, 1995.
- S-13 Ehrlich, G.D. Association for Research in Otolaryngology's Mid-Winter Meeting Workshop on Molecular Genetics, St. Petersburg Beach, Florida, February 2, 1997.
- S-14# Ehrlich, G.D. Agents for Change, Glaxo Wellcome, Verona, ITALY, June 27, 1998.
- S-15# Ehrlich, G.D. Experimental Design in Molecular Biological Analyses, Department of Medical Genetics, West China University of Medical Sciences, Chengdu, Sichuan, CHINA, October 12, 17, 19, and 26, 1999.
- S-16 Ehrlich, G.D. Bacterial Biofilms in Middle-ear Disease @ Research Advances in Otolaryngology. Department of Otolaryngology, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, and the Research Institute, University Hospitals of Cleveland, Cleveland Ohio, June 28, 2002.
- S-17 Ehrlich, G.D. Genomic Plasticity of Bacterial Pathogens @ Pittsburgh, Tools and Techniques for Functional Genomics. Beckman Advanced Technology Seminar Series. Pittsburgh, PA, August 28, 2002.
- S-18 **Ehrlich, G.D.** Invited participant: Post-Symposium Otitis Media Research Conference (Panel 4: Molecular Biology And Biochemistry). Fort Lauderdale, FL June 7-8, 2003.

- S-19 Ehrlich, G.D. Correlation between Genomic Diversity and Pathogenicity Indices among HTHI Strains. "Beyond Bugs and Drugs": The Infectious Disease Committee Seminar at the AAO-HNS Annual National Meeting, Orlando, FL, September 24, 2003.
- S-20# Singh, P., and Ehrlich, G.D. Evening Workshop and Discussion Session on Biofilms in Human Organ Systems, Biofilms 2003, Vancouver, BC CANADA, November 2, 2003
- S-21# Ehrlich, G.D., and Ford, T. Evening Workshop and Discussion Session on Reservoirs for Biofilms in the Environment, Biofilms 2003, Vancouver, BC CANADA, November 2, 2003.
- S-22 Costerton, J.W., et al. Retreat on Santa Catalina Island to plan a series of biofilm books, October 27-28, 2005
- S-23 Ehrlich, G.D. (rapponteur) McGowan Institute for Regenerative Medicine, Fifth Annual Retreat. Workshop on Gene Therapy. Nemacolin Woodlands, PA March 7, 2006
- S-24 Ehrlich, G.D. (Member and discussant) Infectious Diseases Panel. Stryker Orthopedics, Mahwah, NJ, January 11, 2007.
- S-25 Ehrlich, G.D. (member presenter) *Haemophilus influenzae* is a professional pathogen. Medtronics Mini-Round Table on *Haemophilus influenzae* Mucosal Biofilms Relating to Otitis Media and Chronic Rhinosinustitis. Jacksonville, FL, Feb 4-5, 2007
- S-26 **Ehrlich, G.D.** (panel member) Microbiology and Immunology Panel at the Ninth Research Conference on Recent Advances in Otitis Media. St. Petersburg Beach, FL June 7-8, 2007.

INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATION

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION SERIES

Ehrlich, G.D.: Associate Senior Researcher in Otolaryngology Annual Mid-Winter Meeting, St. Petersburg, FL, 1996.

Ehrlich, G.D.: Director, Infectious Diseases Section Monthly Seminar - Division of Molecular Diagnostics, Department of Pathology, UPMC. 1994 – 1997.

Ehrlich, G.D., J. C. Post, and M. Roh – Course Directors: Surgical Research Conference – joint monthly case-based interactive molecular medicine research conference sponsored jointly by the Center for Genomic Sciences and the Department of Surgery, Allegheny General Hospital, 9/99 – 2000.

Ehrlich, G.D., Center for Genomic Sciences Journal Club, Allegheny General Hospital 2001 – Date.

Ehrlich, G.D., Center for Genomic Sciences Seminar Series, Allegheny General Hospital 2001 – Date.

INTRAMURAL SEMINARS

University of Pittsburgh:

- IS-1- Division of Neuropathology. HTLV-I Associated Myelopathies <u>vs.</u> Multiple Sclerosis. October 24, 1990.
- IS-2- Department of Neurology. HTLV-I Associated Chronic Demyelinating Disease: Clinical Epidemiological and Molecular Approaches to Diagnosis. November 12, 1990.
- IS-3- Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology. Pitt Men's Study, In Service training. Newapproaches to the study of HIV pathogenesis.
- IS-4- Department of Human Genetics. Development of Clinical Molecular Diagnostics. March 28, 1991.
- IS-5- Infectious Disease/Transplantation Surgery. Grand Rounds. July 18, 1991.
- IS-6- Department of Pathology Seminar Series. Approaches for evaluating the ability of the host's CTL response to adapt to HIV-1's high rate of mutation. October 16, 1991.
- IS-7- Department of Infectious Diseases and Microbiology Research Seminar Series. Approaches for evaluating the ability of the host's CTL response to adapt to HIV-1's high rate of mutation. December 9, 1991.
- IS-8- Sc of Pharmacy Research Seminar Series. PCR Methodology and Diagnostic Applications. May 12, 1992.
- IS-9- Division of Hematology Bone Marrow Transplantation Research Seminar Series. Diagnostic and Research Applications of the Polymerase Chain Reaction, September 14, 1992.
- IS-10- Department of Pathology Seminar Series, Detection of bacterial DNA in culture negative chronic middle-ear effusions. September 27, 1993.
- IS-11- Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, Division of Rheumatology Multiplex PCR-based assays for respiratory pathogens, January 31, 1995.
- IS-12- University of Pittsburgh CFAR Organizational Symposia. HIV Viral-Host Interactions. March 1, 1994.
- IS-13- Division of Gastroenterology Molecular Diagnostic Approaches for the detection of Infectious Diseases of the Gastrointestinal system. April 27, 1994.
- IS-14- Pediatric ENT Retreat. Molecular Otolaryngology 1994, Concordia Club, Pittsburgh, PA. September 4,1994.

IS-15-	Division of Gastroenterology. Results of Two Longitudinal Comparative Studies of CMV Detection in Solid Organ Transplant patients by PCR and other methods. October 20, 1994.
IS-16-	University of Pittsburgh Monthly HIV Research Meeting - Experimental Evidence Supporting the Deceptive Imprinting Model of HIV-1 pathogenesis and how the SCID-Hu- HIV mouse fulfills Koch's postulates for HIV-1. November 11, 1994.
IS-17-	Pittsburgh Committee for Virology - Towards a model of HIV Immunopathogenesis: Quantitation of HIV Variability as a Predictor of Disease Progression. December 2, 1994.
IS-18-	Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, Department of Pediatric Otolaryngology - Modeling of Crouzon Syndrome Using Transgenic Mice for FGFR2. February 2, 1995.
IS-19-	Liver Transplant Case Conference - Comparative Analysis of Three Nucleic Acid-based Methods for the Detection of Hepatitis C Virus. May 25, 1995.
IS-20-	Human Genetics Case Conference - Mutational Analysis of the FGFR2 Gene in Crouzon Syndrome. June 1, 1995.
IS-21-	HCV's Discovery and Molecular Diagnostics - MAX Continuing Medical Education Series. July 13, 1995.
IS-22-	Clinical Molecular Microbiological testing at the University of Pittsburgh Med Cen. September 26, 15, 1995.
IS-23-	Department of Pathology Seminar Series - Genetics of Human Craniofacial Development. November 19, 1995.
IS-24-	Department of Pathology Seminar Series - Positional Cloning of the Hereditary Pancreatitis Gene. March, 1997.
Allegheny General Hospital/Allegheny Singer Research Institute/Drexel University College of Medicine	

- IS-25- Department if Pathology Seminars, Molecular Diagnostics Lecture Series **DNA-based Amplification Strategies.** October 14, 1998.
- IS-26- Department if Pathology Seminars, Molecular Diagnostics Lecture Series **RNA-based Amplification Strategies.** October 21, 1998.

IS-27- Department if Pathology Seminars, Molecular Diagnostics Lecture Series – **Optimization of Nucleic Acid Amplification Assays.** October 28, 1998.

IS-28- Department if Pathology Seminars, Molecular Diagnostics Lecture Series – Designing a Molecular Diagnostics Facility. November 4, 1998.

- IS-29 Department if Pathology Seminars, Molecular Diagnostics Lecture Series Development and Evaluation of PCR-based Diagnostic Assays. November 4, 1998. (Combined with IS-28)
- IS-30- Department if Pathology Seminars, Molecular Diagnostics Lecture Series Integrating Molecular Diagnostics into a Medical Center Setting November 18, 1998.
- IS-31- Neuroscience Grand Rounds, Allegheny General Hospital Molecular Biology of Fetal Scarless Wound Healing. March 14, 2001.
- IS-32 Gastroenterology Fellows Research Conference A Short Primer on Gene Mapping and Positional Cloning: Identification of the Gene for Hereditary Pancreatitis. January 8, 2002.
- IS-33 Department of Pathology Grand Rounds, The Distributed Genome Hypothesis and Bacterial Plurality: Development of a New Theoretical Framework for the Understanding of Bacterial Survival. January 23, 2002.
- IS-34 ASRI Research Seminar Series Development and Analysis of a Small Animal Model of Craniosynostosis. September 9, 2002.
- IS-35 Gastroenterology Fellows Research Conference Craniofacial Genetics: a Model System for the Study of Functional Genomics. January 7, 2003

GRANT REVIEW COMMITTEES

Member (ad hoc) technical review group for NCI/NIH contract: NCI-CM87264-19 (1989).

Member (ad hoc) NIH NIAID Study Section - AIDS and Related Research SS3 (1991).

Veterans Administration Merit Review Consultant for Grant Nos. 151/INDI/24 (1990); 151/INDI/12; 151/INDI/20; 151/INDI/37 (1992); 151/INDI/10 (1992); 151/INDI/16 (1995).

Member NIH NIAID Study Section - Centers for AIDS Research - RFA A1-93-14 (December, 1993)

North Carolina Biotechnology Center, Academic Research Initiation - Grants Program Consultant (1992).

Member Aaron Diamond Foundation Fellowship Grants Review Committee (1992)

International Science Foundation Grant Reviewer (1993)

Department of Health, The Executive Yuan, Taiwan Grant Reviews Program Project, "Infections in Immunocompromised Patients" (1994)

Member (ad hoc) NIDA - SCRD - AO1 Study Section (1994)

Member (ad hoc) NIDA - Special Review Committee SRCD - 01 (1994)

Member (ad hoc) NIDA - SCRD - A01 Study Section (1995)

University at Buffalo, State University of New York, Outside reviewer for Seed Grant Funding Program (1995)

Member (ad hoc) NHLBI - Special Contact Review Committee (1996).

Member (ad hoc) NIDA - Special Review Committee - SCRD - A01 Study Section (1996)

Member (ad hoc) NIDA - NIDA - J Study Section (1996)

Member (ad hoc) Special Review Committee - Epidemiology and Diseases Control Study Section (1996)

Member - NIH Study Section - Special Emphasis Panel (April 1997)

Member - DOD - DARPA - Advanced Diagnostics Advisory Panel (June 24-26, 1997)

Member - NIH - NIDA - Study Section (July 1997)

Member - DOD - DARPA - Advanced Diagnostics Advisory Panel (September 16-18, 1997)

Member - NIH-NCI-CA97-011 - Novel Technologies for Evaluation of Molecular Alterations in tissues (March 23-25, 1998)

Member - DOD - DARPA - Advanced Diagnostics Advisory Panel (June 1-3, 1998)

Member - DOD - DARPA - Advanced Diagnostics Advisory Panel (August 17-20, 1998)

Member – RFP-NIH-DC-98-03 – Study Section (September 8, 1998)

Member – AAO-HNSF Study Section (March 19-21, 1999)

Member – NHLBI Special Emphasis Panel – RFP HB-99-10 (April 13, 1999)

Write-in Member – NIDCD Special Emphasis Panel ZDC1 SRB-O(21) (November 3, 1999)

Member – NCI Study Section (ZCA1 – NCI-GIT-56201) for PARs 99-100 – 99-103: Innovative Technologies for the Molecular Analysis of Cancer and their Applications, and Applications of Innovative technologies for the Molecular Analysis of Cancer (November 17-19, 1999).

Write-in Member – NIDCD Special Emphasis Panel ZDC1 SRB-O (21) (November 29, 1999)

Write in Member – NIDCD Special Emphasis Panel ZDC1 SRB-O (23) (March 23, 2000)

Member – AAO-HNSF Study Section (March 31 – April 2, 2000)

- Member DOD DARPA Advanced Biologic Warfare Diagnostics Advisory Panel (June 2000)
- Member NIMH Study Section Special Emphasis Panel ZMH1 BRB-P (02) (July 11-12, 2000
- Member DOD-DARPA- Advanced Biologic Warfare Diagnostics Advisory Panel (September 2000)
- Member AAO-HNSF Study Section (April 6-8, 2001)
- Member Pittsburgh Tissue Engineering Initiative (PTEI) Study Section (May 29, 2001)
- Member NIDCD Special Emphasis Panel ZDC1 SRB-J (12) P-30 reviews in response to PA-01-011 (June 2001)
- Member NIDCD Special Emphasis Panel (October 14-15 2001)
- Member NCI ZCA1 SRRB-C (R21/33 applications) phone correspondent (March 6-8 2002)
- Member NIDCD ZDC1 SRB-A (37) Special emphasis panel/Research Core (P30) (June 19, 2002)
- Member NIAID Special Emphasis panel/ RFA AI-02-008 (Scientific Review Group ZAI1-GPJ-M-J1) (November 6-8 2002)
- Member NIDCR Special Emphasis panel/RFA DE-03-001 (Craniofacial Genetics) (November 10-11, 2002)
- Member NIAID Bacteriology and Mycology-2 Study Section (BM-2) ad hoc (Biofilm Program Announcement) (June18-19, 2003)
- Member NIAID Bacteriology and Mycolcogy-1 Study section (BM-1) ad hoc February 23-24, 2004)
- Member- NIDCR Special Emphasis Panel for Program Projects (P50) June 21-24, 2004
- Member NIDCD Special Emphasis Panel on Otitis Media, ZRG1-IFCN-B-03 (July 21, 2004)
- Member NIAID Special Empahsis Panel on Infectious Disease ZRG1 IDM0H(03) (February 28, 2005)
- Member National Science Foundation Sensors for Microorganism and Toxin Detection Panel - P070664 (February 26, 2007)

SITE VISITS

Member, NIDA Drug Abuse AIDS Research Review Committee, Biobehavioral/Clinical Subcommittee project site visit - 2-R01 DA05593-04 "Spread of AIDS in IVDAs".

Member, NIH Site Visit Team for Program Project Grant at Wistar Institute, September 1992.

Consultant, NIH Reverse Ste Visit, Sudden Infant Death Syndrome contract at Loyola University of Chicago, March 7, 1994.

SCIENTIFIC JUDGING

Allegheny General Hospital, Annual Residents Research Symposium. May 19, 2000

Allegheny General Hospital, Department of Surgery, Third Annual Resident Research Day. April 10, 2001

ADVISORY COMMITTEES

Alfred University - Health Sciences Advisory Committee 1996 - Date

NIDCD - Molecular Genetics of Speech and Language Development

NIDCD - Board of Scientific Counselors, 2000 ad hoc

Medical Biofilms 2002 (Symposium) - Tokyo Japan

Pasteur Institute - Research Program Evalutions committee, 2007 - external ad hoc

EDITORIAL POSITIONS

-Editorial Board - Molecular Diagnosis - Churchill-Livingston Publishers. (1996-2001)

-Editorial Board - Clinical and Diagnostic Laboratory Immunology (now Clinical and Vaccine Immunology) (ASM) 1997-2002 (founding member), extended through 12/2005

JOURNAL REVIEWS

Ad Hoc Reviewer for:

AIDS; American Journal of Pathology; Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy (ASM);

Applied and Environmental Microbiology (ASM) **BioMaterials** Biotechniques; Blood; Cancer Research; Clinical and Diagnostic Laboratory Immunology/Clinical and Vaccine Immunology (ASM); Clinical Immunology and Immunopathology; Clinical Orthopedic and Related Research; Drug Discovery Today; Genomics; Human Genetics; Infection and Immunity (ASM); JAMA; Journal of AIDS; Journal of Bacteriology (ASM) Journal of Clinical Microbiology (ASM); Journal of Infectious Disease; Journal of Leukocyte Biology; Journal of Neuropathology and Experimental Neurology; Molecular and Cellular Probes;

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