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Visit

The Ministry of Science and Technology of China visits FHS

A delegation from the Ministry of Science and Technology of China led by Mr. Wei HUANG, Vice Minister of Science and Technology, visited UM and FHS on 9 November, and they were warmly received by Prof. Chuxia DENG.

Prof. Deng oriented the guests of FHS's latest developments, academic programmes, research achievements, the cultivation of high-calibre students and the internationalization of FHS. The delegation visited the core facilities including the aquatic room and the rodent room of the Animal Research Core. Mr. Huang recognized the outstanding achievements in education and technological innovation in the recent years, and was pleased to see the rapid progress in scientific research.













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Guangzhou Science and Technology Bureau visits FHS

A delegation from Guangzhou Science and Technology Bureau led by Director Guilin WANG visited FHS on 9 November. Prof. Chuxia DENG received them and took them to visit the research labs and core facilities of FHS. Followed the tour, Prof. Deng briefed them the FHS' key research projects, recent research achievements, and had a deep discussion.









Presented by Prof. Xiaoling XU's group and Prof. Qi ZHAO's group

On 12 November, Ms. Lihua MO of Prof. Xiaoling XU's group presented "Smyd3-Shcbp1 Oncogenic Activation Drives Breast Cancer Formation Associated with BRCA1 Deficiency" and Mr. Guaogyu ZHOU of Prof. Qi ZHAO's group presented "IL-15 Enhanced Anti-Her2 Antibody-Mediated Immune Cell Therapy of Breast Cancer".

The next seminar will be held on 26 November, and presented by the group members of Prof. Tzu-Ming LIU and Prof. Kathy LUO via Zoom again.









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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
16	17	18	19	20
Qualifying Exam Hongmei YANG Supervisor: Prof. Kathy Qian LUO Time: 15:00 Venue: N22-4028	Seminar Series The Application of Multiplex Electro- chemiluminescence Immunoassay in Oncology Research Speaker: MSD Asia Pac Field Application Scientists Host: Prof. Hanming SHEN Time: 15:00-16:00 Venue: N22-G002 & ZOOM	BCAT Meeting Speaker: Prof. Edwin CHEUNG Time: 17:00-18:00 Venue: E12-G004	Oral Defence Zhili REN Supervisor: Prof. Guokai CHEN Time: 15:00 Venue: N6-2022	
23	24	25	FHS Postdoc/ Student Seminar Session: Cancer Research Host: Prof. Tzu-Ming LIU and Prof. Kathy Qian LUO Time: 17:00-18:00 Venue: N22-G002 and Zoom	27
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7	8 Holiday- Feast of Immaculate Conception	9	FHS Postdoc/ Student Seminar Session: Chemistry Host: Prof. Yunlu DAI and Prof. Xuanjun ZHANG Time: 17:00-18:00 Venue: N22-G002 and Zoom	11

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