
The 29th iCeMS SEMINAR

Commemorating the establishment of the Center for Meso-Bio Single-Molecule Imaging (CeMI) 7

Thu 24 Sep 2009
16:00-17:00

Lecturer: **Prof. Alpha YAP**
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Making Contacts: Cadherins, Signaling and the Cytoskeleton

Venue: Conference Room, 4F of the East Building
Institute for Frontier Medical Sciences
Kyoto University

How cell adhesion, signaling, and cytoskeletal regulation shape morphogenesis is one of the most exciting area of research in life science today. One of the best paradigm for such a study concerns how the different epithelial cell junctions are assembled and connected to the cytoskeleton, and how cross-talk among them shapes epithelial architecture and barrier function. Prof. Alpha Yap is one of the leading scientists in this area, and would present his recent results on this subject, with a special emphasis on cadherin.

Refreshments will be served before the seminar, and so, please come 15 min before the seminar.

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