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Depite the rapid expansion of the field of biophysics, there are very few books that comprehensively treat specific topics in this area. Recently, the field of single molecule biophysics has developed very quickly, and a few books specifically treating single molecule methods are beginning to appear. However, the promise of single molecule biophysics is to contribute to the understanding of specific fields of biology using new methods. This book would focus on the specific topic of the biophysics of DNA-protein interactions, and would include the use of new approaches, including both bulk methods as well as single molecule methods. This would make the book attractive to anyone working in the general area of DNA-protein interactions, which is of course a much wider market than just single molecule biophysicists or even biophysicists. The subject of the book will be the biophysics of DNA-protein interactions, and will include new methods and results that describe the physical mechanism by which proteins interact with DNA. For example, there has been much recent work on the mechanism by which proteins search for specific binding sites on DNA. A few chapters will be devoted to experiments and theory that shed light on this important problem. We will also cover proteins that alter DNA properties to facilitate interactions important for transcription or replication. Another section of the book will cover the biophysical mechanism by which motor proteins interact with DNA. Finally, we will cover larger protein-DNA complexes, such as replication forks, recombination complexes, DNA repair interactions, and their chromatin context.

Protooncogenes and Growth Factors in Steroid Hormone Induced Growth and Differentiation reviews current information regarding the complex nature of hormone-induced cell growth and differentiation. The contributors examine the emerging consensus that protooncogenes and growth factors mediate perhaps the most crucial steps leading to cell growth and differentiation. The primary objective of this book is to unite the status of current research related to protooncogenes and growth factors from diverse physiological systems to help readers gain a comprehensive understanding of the subject. Leading researchers have contributed outstanding chapters pertaining to steroid hormone-regulated cell growth and differentiation in normal and/or neoplastic tissues. This book will appeal to basic science researchers, clinicians, industrial researchers, and graduate students.

From Single Molecules to Biological Systems

The Role of J-proteins in the Hsp90-mediated Chaperoning of the Progesterone Receptor

Regulation of Transforming Growth Factor-beta Cell Type-specific Signaling by Mammalian Target of Rapamycin Complexes

Structural and Functional Organization

Steroid Hormone Receptors: Basic and Clinical Aspects

An increasingly aging population will add to the number of individuals suffering from amyloid. Protein Misfolding Diseases provides a systematic overview of the current and emerging therapies for these types of protein misfolding diseases, including Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, and Mad Cow. The book emphasizes therapeutics in an amyloid disease context to help students, faculty, scientific researchers, and doctors working with protein misfolding diseases bridge the gap between basic science and pharmaceutical applications to protein misfolding disease.

The critically acclaimed laboratory standard for forty years, Methods in Enzymology is one of the most highly respected publications in the field of biochemistry. Since 1955, each volume has been eagerlyawaited, frequently consulted, and praised by researchers and reviewers alike. More than 250 volumes have been published (all of them still in print) and much of the material is relevant even today--truly an essential publication for researchers in all fields of life sciences. * Methods for: * DNA isolation and cloning * Synthesizing complementary DNA (cDNA) * Cleaving and manipulating DNA * Selecting useful reporter genes * Constructing vectors for cloning genes * Constructing expression vectors * Site-directed mutagenesis and gene disruption * Identifying and mapping genes * Transforming animal and plant cells * Sequencing DNA * Amplifying and manipulating DNA and PCR * Detecting DNA - protein interaction

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Investigating the Dimer Interface for Clues to Amyloidogenicity

The Role of the Sonic Hedgehog Pathway in Ionizing Radiation Induced Medulloblastoma

In Vitro, in Yeast, and in Human Cells

Regulation of P68 and P72 RNA Helicases by Post-translational Modifications

The cellular mechanisms of valvular heart disease have not been elucidated until the last decade. To date, there is no medical therapy that is FDA or CE mark approved for the treatment and/or slowing the progression of this disease. This textbook will provide the cellular basis for medical therapy. Over the past decade, research laboratories are more and more evolving into valvular biology programs from the traditional vascular biology. The science between the two disciplines, although has several similarities has unique cellular targets secondary to the embryologic derivation of the heart valve and the hemodynamics involved in the understanding of this disorders. This textbook will be a natural progression from the recently published text Cardiac Valvular Medicine, Springer 2012. This new textbook will provide the cellular details and the more basic molecular biology approaches towards understanding the disease, providing novel cellular targets and finally developing future clinical trials in the medical treatment of valvular heart disease in the future.

The androgen receptor (AR) mediates a wide range of physiological actions of androgens in cells and tissues. Contributions to this volume cover distinct topics of AR signalling, extending from the structural aspects of AR to its role in androgen-associated diseases and potential clinical applications. Some key issues covered include an overview of structural aspects of AR genes and proteins in mammalian and non-mammalian vertebrate species and a description of the identified AR splice variants in pathological and non-pathological conditions. The structural and functional analysis of coding and untranslated regions of AR are discussed in the context of diseases such as androgen insensitivity syndrome, spinal and bulbar muscular atrophy, polycystic ovarian syndrome and breast, ovary and prostate cancers. The role of AR regulated genes implicated in prostate cancer progression is also explored. This book is a comprehensive conceptual review of the recent findings on AR genes and protein structure, molecular variants, ligands, target genes and signalling mechanisms. Graduate students, scientists and professionals can use it as both a study text and a reference for research purposes.

The Dynamical Topography of the Melittin Peptide Investigated by Magnetic Resonance and Fluorescence Spectroscopies

Characterization of PCRan1 and PCMei2

Predictions of Macroscopic and Mesoscopic Models and Experimental Observations

Functional Characterization of the Serine Protease High-temperature Requirement A3 (Htra3) in Lund Cancer

The Myth of Race: Our DNA Defines Who We Are

The Myth of Race illustrates how cutting-edge research into our DNA has proven that all human beings are so genetically

close, that we are actually ALL one race. It details how our ancestors all originated in Africa, and over time, developed varying visible and invisible traits, through historical migrations and changing environments.

Research on the nuclear matrix has grown enormously since Bereney and Coffey first reported its isolation and initial characterization in 1974. Since then, more than 1000 papers have been published on the subject by numerous workers around the world. This is the first book devoted to reviewing the major developments in this growing field. Key Features * The chapters cover a variety of topics, including: * Isolation of the nuclear matrix * Nuclear structure morphology in situ * Structural domains of the nuclear matrix and its components * Biochemistry and molecular biology of the matrix proteins and associated DNA and RNA * Functional properties associated with the nuclear matrix * DNA replication * Transcription * RNA splicing * Transcription regulation * Intranuclear and nucleocytoplasmic transport and targeting * Cell cycle regulation

Regulation of AAA-ATPase Vps4 in Multivesicular Body Sorting Pathway

Identification and Characterization of the Proteolytic Activity of Dihydrolipoamide Dehydrogenase

Pharmacology of G Protein Coupled Receptors

Steroid and Sterol Hormone Action

Models of Human Familial Paraganglioma

The past few years have witnessed the emergence of steroid hormones as the wonder molecules which generate as much discussion in the scientific literature as they do in a typical living room. This transition has been a result of the tremendous public and scientific interest in the normal functioning of the hor mones as well their suggested involvement in several clinical conditions. In the recent past, notable scientific and technological advances have been made in the areas of contraception and regulation of fertility. Steroid receptors are the indis pensable mediators of hormonal responses and are complex protein molecules which appear to exist in association with other, yet undefined, proteins and/or factors. Receptors for vitamin D, retinoic acid and the thyroid hormones share structural similarities with steroid receptors, and the roster of this superfamily is still expanding. While our knowledge of the diversity and magnitude of steroid effects has advanced, the precise mode of steroid hormone action has alluded investigators. This volume brings together an international team of prominent investigators who discuss their most recent work on the basic and clinical aspects of steroid/nuclear receptors. The contributions represent updated versions of the invited presentations made at The Second Meadow Brook Conference on Steroid Receptors in Health and Disease. I am grateful to my colleagues on the Scientific Committee: Etienne Baulieu, Jack Gorski, Benita Katzenellenbogen, David Toft and James WittJiff, who provided the vision and guidance in formulating an out standing program.

G protein coupled receptors remain the most important class of therapeutic targets in medicine. In the last 5 years, tremendous advances have been made in our understanding of the structure and mechanism of this critical family of drug targets. The present volume explores the modern experimental and conceptual framework for drug discovery for G protein coupled receptors. It explores advances in structure determination and structure-based drug design as well as new concepts of allosteric modulation, functional selectivity/biased agonism, and pharmacological chaperones. In addition, emerging drug targets such as receptor families for fatty acids, carboxylic acids, lipid mediators, etc. are included. Final chapters cover novel mechanisms of signal regulation through PDZ domains and RGS proteins. This volume will bring an up-to-date perspective on the G protein coupled receptor field to both academic and industry scientists. The present volume explores the modern experimental and conceptual framework for drug discovery for G protein coupled receptors It explores advances in structure determination and structure-based drug design as well as new concepts of allosteric modulation, functional selectivity/biased agonism, and pharmacological chaperones This volume will bring an up-to-date perspective on the G protein coupled receptor field to both academic and industry scientists

Cellular and Genetic Mechanisms of Disease Development and Progression

Androgenic and Anti-androgenic Regulation of Cellular Flice-like Inhibitory Protein (flip) in Prostate Cancer Cells

Light Chain Amyloidosis

Recombinant DNA Methodology II

Developmental Bioenergetics of Stem Cell Cardiac Differentiation

The unprecedented amount of data produced with high-throughput experimentation forces biologists to employ mathematical representation and computation methods to glean meaningful information in systems-level biology. Applying this approach to the underlying molecular mechanisms of tumorigenesis, cancer researchers can uncover a series of new discov

The purpose of this book is to focus attention on recent developments in steroid and sterol hormone action. Many authors have generously contributed to the book. As a result, there is a great diversity of opinion! A majority of the chapters deal with steroid or sterol hormone receptors. This is not meant to imply that receptor-mediated mechanisms are the sole or even the most important mechanisms by which steroid hormones act in the cell. There is wealth of evidence showing that other, non-receptor events, are important also. Steroid hormone recep tor research and the study of nuclear events mediated by steroids are presently the most intensely studied aspects of sterol hormone action and our selection of topics reflects this trend. We have also included chapters on vitamin 0 sterols and thyroid hormone in the book, as there is pood evidence that these hormones act in a manner similar to other classical steroids. 1 IMMUNOCHARACTERIZATION OF THE NUCLEAR ACCEPTOR SITES FOR THE AVIAN OVIDUCT PROGESTERONE RECEPTOR A. GOLDBERGER, M.

HORTON, T. C. SPELSBERG Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Mayo Clinic and Mayo Graduate School of Medicine, Rochester, MN 55905 INTRODUCTION It is well known that steroid hormones, certain vitamins and sterols, enter target cells and bind to specific protein receptors in the cyto plasm or nucleus (1-4). This binding is saturable, high affinity, and steroid specific.

Identification of Candidate Tumor Suppressor Genes on Chromosome 19 in Human Gliomas

P53-RNA Interactions

Cancer Systems Biology

Protooncogenes and Growth Factors in Steroid Hormone Induced Growth and Differentiation

Selection and Characterization of Anti-NF-[kappa] B P652 RNA Aptamers in Vitro and in Vivo

The Only Innovation Guide You Will Ever Need--from the Award-Winning Minds at Mayo Clinic A lot of businesspeople talk about innovation, but few companies have achieved the level of truly transformative innovation as brilliantly--or as famously--as the legendary Mayo Clinic. Introducing Think Big, Start Small, Move Fast, the first innovation guide based on the proven, decade-long program that ' s made Mayo Clinic one of the most respected and successful organizations in the world. This essential must-have guide shows you how to: Inspire and ignite trailblazing innovation in your workplace Design a new business model that ' s creative, collaborative, and sustainable Apply the traditional scientific method to the latest innovations in "design thinking" Build a customized toolkit of the best practices, project portfolios, and strategies Increase your innovation capacity--and watch how quickly you succeed These field-tested techniques grew out of the health care industry but are designed to work with any complex organization. Written by three Mayo Clinic Center for Innovation insiders--Dr. Nicholas LaRusso, Barbara Spurrier, and Dr. Gianrico Farrugia--the book offers a wealth of transformative ideas and strategies. The concise, easy-to-implement methods can help jump-start your employees' creative potential, involve them in the collaborative process, and pave the way to the future of sustainable innovation. You get step-by-step advice on building leadership teams, accelerator platforms for speeding up results, and fascinating case studies of innovation in action from the files of the Mayo Clinic Center for Innovation. In today's fast-moving world, it's innovation that drives success. This book gives you the keys. ADVANCE PRAISE FOR THINK BIG, START SMALL, MOVE FAST: "Truly great organizations do not just achieve great results; they are also relentless in the pursuit of continual improvement. This book offers both methods and motivation to leaders in any industry who understand that the pursuit of excellence is never-ending." -- Donald Berwick, M.D., MPP, President Emeritus and Senior Fellow, Institute for Healthcare Improvement "Do you want your organization to deliver a shockingly better customer experience? Here is Mayo's method that transformed the patient experience by making innovation systemic, the human side of innovation." -- Scott Cook, Cofounder and Chairman of the Executive Committee, Intuit "A powerful set of actionable, yet importantly nonprescriptive, principles for transformative change that will inspire and challenge all of us to reenvision a system that delivers health, not just care, for all our patients." -- Rebecca Onie, Cofounder and CEO, Health Leads "This book should serve both as a how-to guide for medical professionals and an inspiration for other innovators all over the country." -- T. R. Reid, reporter and author of The Healing of America "Powerful insight on how to deliver meaningful innovations time and again." -- Frans van Houten, CEO, Royal Philips "Leaders who seek to accelerate new innovation competencies can benefit from this hands-on guide." -- Sarah Miller Caldicott, great grandniece of Thomas Edison, and CEO, Power Patterns of Innovation "Read this book. . . . Copy its practices. It will save you years of misery and missteps as you build your own innovation revolution." -- Larry Keeley, Cofounder, Doblin Inc., and Director, Deloitte Consulting LLP

The largest high-level encyclopedia on molecular medicine is now publishing a topical volume on Nanomedicine. The long awaited volume gives a comprehensive overview on nanomaterials in drug delivery, imaging and as therapeutics.

Putative Regulators of Meiosis in the Life Cycle of Pneumocystis Carinii

Molecular Biology of Valvular Heart Disease

Current and Emerging Principles and Therapies

Think Big, Start Small, Move Fast: A Blueprint for Transformation from the Mayo Clinic Center for Innovation

Prostate Cancer

Characterizing the Role of SIAH-dependent Proteolysis in RAS-mediated TumorigenesisBiochemical Reaction Kinetics in Dilute and Crowded SolutionsPredictions of Macroscopic and Mesoscopic Models and Experimental ObservationsMolecular Mechanisms of M-CSF-mediated Osteoclast SurvivalThink Big, Start Small, Move Fast: A Blueprint for Transformation from the Mayo Clinic Center for InnovationMcGraw Hill Professional

The purpose of this book is to provide a contemporary overview of the causes and consequences of prostate cancer from a cellular and genetic perspective. Written by experts in the fields of epidemiology, toxicology, cell biology, genetics, genomics, cell-cell interactions, cell signaling, hormone signaling, and transcriptional regulation, the text covers aspects of prostate cancer from disease initiation to metastasis. Chapters explore in depth the cells of origin for prostate cancer, its genomic subtypes, neural transcription factors in disease progression, epigenetic regulation of chromatin, and many other topics. This book distinguishes itself from other texts on prostate cancer by its focus on cellular and genetic mechanisms, as opposed to clinical diagnosis and management. As a result, this book will be of broad interest to basic and translational scientists with familiarity of these topics, as well as to trainees at earlier stages of their research careers.

HIV-1 Rev Binding Protein (Hrb) Regulates Efficient Iron Utilization to Drive Notch-induced T-cell Leukemogenesis

Biochemical Reaction Kinetics in Dilute and Crowded Solutions

Molecular Mechanisms of M-CSF-mediated Osteoclast Survival

Staphylococcus Lugdunensis Biofilm Formation

Biophysics of DNA-Protein Interactions

International Review of Cytology presents current advances and comprehensive reviews in cell biology--both plant and animal. Articles address structure and control of gene expression, nucleocytoplasmic interactions, control of cell development and differentiation, and cell transformation and growth. Authored by some of the foremost scientists in the field, each volume provides up-to-date information and directions for future research.

Ligand Induced Conformational Changes in Calcium Binding Proteins

Characterization of Antimicrobial Susceptibilities, Phenotypic Responses, and the Role of the ICA Locus in Extracellular Matrix Development

Chromosomal Instability Genes in Cancer and Aging

Characterizing the Role of SIAH-dependent Proteolysis in RAS-mediated Tumorigenesis