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Dr. Kelsie Thu

Degrees

2015/5 - 2020/6 Post-doctorate, Cancer Biology and Therapeutic Response (Supervisor: Tak Mak),

University Health Network Degree Status: Completed

2008/9 - 2013/11 Doctorate, Interdisciplinary Oncology (Supervisor: Wan Lam), University of British

Columbia

Degree Status: Completed

2002/9 - 2007/4 Bachelor's, Biological Sciences, Simon Fraser University

Degree Status: Completed

Recognitions

2025/9 - 2030/8 Tier 2 Canada Research Chair in lung cancer therapy response (renewal)

Government of Canada

2025/4 Outstanding Reviewer, College of Reviewers

Canadian Institutes of Health Research

2022/5 Outstanding Reviewer, College of Reviewers

Canadian Institutes of Health Research

2020/9 - 2025/8 Tier 2 Canada Research Chair in lung cancer therapy response

Government of Canada

2019/9 - 2020/6 Scholarship for the Next Generation of Scientists

Cancer Research Society

Employment

2020/7 Assistant Professor

Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology, Medicine, University of Toronto

2020/7 Scientist

Keenan Research Centre for Biomedical Science, Li Ka Shing Knowledge Institute, St.

Michael's Hospital

2015/5 - 2020/6 Postdoctoral Fellow (Supervisor: Tak Mak)

Campbell Family Institute for Breast Cancer Research, Princess Margaret Cancer Centre,

University Health Network

2018/9 - 2018/12 Teaching Assistant

Biology, Science, University of Toronto at Mississauga

2016/9 - 2017/4 Teaching Assistant

Medicine, St. George Campus, University of Toronto

2013/10 - 2015/4 Research Associate (Supervisor: Wan Lam)

Integrative Oncology, BC Cancer Research Centre, British Columbia Cancer Agency

Affiliations

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(*) 2020/7 Scientist, St. Michael's Hospital

Research Funding History

Awarded [n=11]

2025/3 - 2030/2 The role of extracellular vesicle (EV)-mediated crosstalk between cancer cells and

Principal Investigator platelets and in tumor progression

Funding Sources:

Canadian Foundation for Innovation (CFI) and Ontario Research Fund

John R. Evans Leaders Fund [INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT]

Total Funding - 2,000,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Co-investigator : Heyu Ni

2024/9 - 2029/8 Discovering pathways to drug tolerance and therapeutic vulnerabilities of persister cells in

Principal Investigator lung cancer

Funding Sources:

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

Project Grant (\$250,000 to Thu Lab)

Total Funding - 1,292,850 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Principal Investigator: Ming Tsao

2025/4 - 2029/3 Unlocking the Potential of Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors in the Papillary Renal Cell

Co-investigator Carcinoma Setting

Funding Sources:

Department of Defense (USA)

Kidney Cancer Research Program Idea Development Award (\$0 to Thu Lab)

Total Funding - 800,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

2023/9 - 2028/8

Aiming at a new target in endotoxin-associated lung damage: The Ig domain 3 of ICAM-1 Co-applicant

Funding Sources:

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

Project Grant (\$0 to Thu Lab) Total Funding - 982,260 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Principal Investigator: Haibo Zhang

Using custom-engineered viruses to treat cancer 2025/5 - 2027/4

Principal Investigator **Funding Sources:**

St. Michael's Hospital Foundation

Sarah McComb Award for Cancer Research

Total Funding - 120,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

2024/9 - 2026/8 Principal Investigator Enhancing CD47-targeted therapy in lung cancer with ultrasound and microbubbles

Funding Sources:

Cancer Research Society (The)

Operating Grant

Total Funding - 130,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Co-applicant: Warren Lee

2024/9 - 2026/8 Co-applicant Exploring non-canonical functions of YAP and TAZ in lung cancer

Funding Sources:

Cancer Research Society (The)
Operating Grant (\$0 to Thu Lab)

Total Funding - 130,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Principal Investigator: Andras Kapus

2021/9 - 2026/8 Principal Investigator Investigation of centrosome amplification as a therapeutic vulnerability in lung cancer

Funding Sources:

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

Project Grant

Total Funding - 841,500 Funding Competitive?: Yes Co-applicant : Ming Tsao

2021/8 - 2026/7 Co-applicant Understanding the effects of ERK hyperactivation in cancer: implications for therapy

Funding Sources:

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

Project Grant (\$0 to Thu Lab) Total Funding - 956,250 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Principal Investigator: William Lockwood

2023/3 - 2026/2

Co-applicant

The problem of non-clear cell renal cell carcinoma; tailoring the treatment to the biology

Funding Sources:

Kidney Foundation of Canada (KFC)

Kidney Health Research Grant (\$0 to Thu Lab)

Total Funding - 180,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Principal Investigator : Rola Saleeb

2023/12 - 2025/11 Co-applicant Cancelling Chemo: An Alternative Treatment for Kidney Cancer

Funding Sources:

St. Michael's Foundation Angel's Den (\$0 to Thu Lab) Total Funding - 100,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes Co-applicant: Rola Saleeb Completed [n=8]

2021/1 - 2025/12

Lung cancer therapy response

Principal Investigator

Funding Sources:

Canada Foundation for Innovation (CFI)

John R. Evans Leaders Fund [INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT]

Total Funding - 1,378,256 Funding Competitive?: Yes

2023/9 - 2025/8

Discovering novel strategies to enhance the efficacy of EGFR-targeted therapy in cancer

Principal Investigator

Funding Sources:

Unity Health Toronto Foundation Cross Pillar Collaboration Seed Grant

Total Funding - 50,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Principal Investigator: Sunit Das

2024/9 - 2025/8

Using oncolytic virus to deliver CD47 blockade in lung cancer

Principal Investigator

Funding Sources:

JP Bickell Foundation Medical Research Grant Total Funding - 70,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

2023/7 - 2024/6

Boosting antiviral signaling to improve the efficacy of chemotherapy

Principal Investigator

Funding Sources:

Unity Health Toronto Foundation Sarah McComb Award, Finalist

Total Funding - 10,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Co-applicant : Andras Kapus; Katalin Szaszi

2020/9 - 2023/12

Understanding how lung tumours avoid destruction by the immune system

Principal Investigator

Funding Sources:

Cancer Research Society (The) Next Generation of Scientists Total Funding - 120,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

2022/12 - 2023/11

Defining alterations in histone PTMs in never-smoker lung cancer

Principal Investigator

Funding Sources:

Lung Cancer Canada

Geoffrey Ogram Memorial Research Grant

Total Funding - 25,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Principal Investigator: Ju-Yoon Yoon

2020/7 - 2023/6

Lung cancer biology and therapy response

Principal Investigator

Funding Sources:

St. Michael's Hospital

Start Up Funds

Total Funding - 450,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

2022/4 - 2023/3 Principal Investigator Deciphering anti-PD1 sensitization mechanisms in lung cancer.

Funding Sources:

International Lung Cancer Foundation Young Investigator Award Total Funding - 50,000 Funding Competitive?: Yes

Publications

Journal Articles

- 1. Jajarmi J, Guest MR, Ma LJ, THU KL, Chari R, Lockwood WW. (2025). Pervasive mammalian promoter activity in E. coli affects representation of DNA encoded libraries. Communications Biology. -: -. Revision Requested
- 2. Lau APY, Zhai LG, Wu YF, THU KL. (2025). CD47 regulates pro-metastatic phenotypes through an ERK-dependent epithelial-to-mesenchymal transition program in non-small cell lung cancer. Molecular Oncology. -: -.

Submitted

Refereed?: Yes, Open Access?: Yes

- 3. Abdelkader Y, Abdelkarim M, Suresh M, Lopera TJ, Dhaliwa S, Shojaei S, Pope LJ, Liu Q, Hu P, Guinta S, Haga H, THU KL, Ishihara S, Anikovskiy M, Labouta HI. (2025). Genomic Instability and Shear Stress as Determinants for Nanoparticle-Induced Endothelial Cell Responses and Gene Expression. Materials Today Nano. 31(August): 100641. Published
- 4. Bhat V, THU KL, Bonvissuto AC, Ghasemi F, Goodale D, Roes M, Dick FA, Cescon DW, Allan AL, Parsyan A. (2025). Loss of Artemis (DCLRE1C) enhances radiotherapy response in triple-negative breast cancer through activation of cellular senescence. Cancers. -: -.

 Revision Requested
- 5. Rousseau Z, Ma W, Long T, Slavkovic S, Qiu X, Lao X, Zhu Y, Zhu G, THU KL, Ni H. (2025). Platelet CLEC-2 Activation Leads to $GP1b\alpha$ Shedding: Implications for Doxorubicin Chemotherapy and Thrombosis. Journal of Biological Chemistry. -: -. Revision Requested
- 6. Zhang C, Wu BZ, THU KL. (2025). Targeting Kinesins For Therapeutic Exploitation of Chromosomal Instability in Lung Cancer. Cancers. 17(4): 685.
 Published

Refereed?: Yes, Open Access?: Yes

7. Hoshi R, Gorospe KA, Labouta HI, Azad T, Lee WL, THU KL. (2024). Alternative strategies for delivering immunotherapeutics targeting the PD-1/PD-L1 immune checkpoint in cancer. Pharmaceutics. 16(9): 1181. Published

Refereed?: Yes

8. Zhang CZ, Wu BZ, Wu YF, Khavkine Binstock SS, Di Ciano-Oliveira C, Soria-Bretones I, Pham NA, Elia AJ, Chari R, Lam WL, Bray MR, Mak TW, Tsao MS, Cescon DW, THU KL. (2024). Identification of KIFC1 as a putative vulnerability in lung cancers with centrosome amplification. Cancer Gene Therapy. 10(-): 1559-1570.

Published

Refereed?: Yes

- 9. Wang D, Cheung A, Mawdsley GE, Liu K, Yerofeyeva Y, THU KL, Yoon JY, Jaffe MJ. (2024). A modified bleaching method for multiplex immunofluorescence staining of FFPE tissue sections. Applied Immunohistochemistry & Molecular Morphology. 32(10): 447-452. Published
- 10. THU KL, Yoon JYY. (2024). ATM The Gene At The Moment in Non-small Cell Lung Cancer. Translational Lung Cancer Research. 13(3): 699-705.

Published Refereed?: Yes

11. Liu W, Mousa AAK, Hopkins AM, Wu YF, THU KL, Campbell M, Lees SJ, Ramachandran R, Hou J. (2024). Lysophosphatidic acid receptor 1 (LPA1) antagonists as potential migrastatics for triple negative breast cancer. ChemMedChem. 19(16): e202400013.

Submitted Refereed?: Yes

 Lau APY, Khavkine Binstock SS, THU KL. (2023). CD47: The next frontier in immune checkpoint blockade for non-small cell lung cancer. Cancers. 15(21): 5229.
 Published

Refereed?: Yes, Open Access?: Yes

13. Soria-Bretones I, THU KL, Silvester J, Cruickshank J, Ba-Alawi W, Elliott MJ, Chalmers J, Elia A, Cheng A, Fletcher GC, Kiarash R, Haibe-Kains B, Rose A, Bray MR, Mak TW, Cescon DW. (2022). The spindle assembly checkpoint is a therapeutic vulnerability of CDK4/6 inhibitor-resistant ER+ breast cancer. Science Advances. Sep 9;8(36):eabq4293: doi: 10.1126/sciadv.. Published

Refereed?: Yes

14. Joshi K, Sanwal R, THU KL, Tsai SSH, Lee WL. (2022). Plug & Pop: A 3D-Printed, Modular Platform forDrug Delivery using Clinical Ultrasound and Microbubbles. Pharmaceutics. 14(11): 2516. Published

Refereed?: Yes

15. Chan CY, Chiu DK, Yuen VW, Law CT, Wong BP, THU KL, Cescon DW, Soria-Bretones I, Cheu JW, Lee D, Tse AP, Zhang MS, Tan KV, Ng IO, Khong P, Yau TC, Bray MR, Mak TW, Wong CC. (2022). CFI-402257, a TTK inhibitor, effectively suppresses hepatocellular carcinoma. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences. 119(32):e2119514119: doi: 10.1073/pnas.21. Published

Refereed?: Yes

16. Chan CY, Yuen VW, Chiu DK, Goh CC, THU KL, Cescon DW, Soria-Bretones I, Law CK, Cheu JW, Lee D, Tse AP, Tan KV, Zhang MS, Wong BP, Khong PL, Ng IO, Yau TC, Bray MR, Mak TW, Wong CC. (2022). Polo-like kinase 4inhibitor CFI-400945 suppresses liver cancer through cell cycle perturbationand eliciting antitumor immunity. Hepatology. ahead of print: doi: 10.1002/hep.324. Published

Refereed?: Yes

17. O'Farrell H, Harbourne B, Kurlawala Z, Inoue Y, Nagelberg A, Martinez VD, Lu D, Oh MH, Coe BP, THU KL, Somwar R, Lam S, Lam WL, Unni AM, Beverly L, Lockwood WW. (2019). Integrative genomic analyses identifies GGA2 as a cooperative driver of EGFR-mediated lung tumorigenesis. Journal of Thoracic Oncology. 14(4): 656-671.

Published Refereed?: Yes

- 18. Kubli SP, Bassi C, Roux C, Wakeham A, Gobl C, Zhou W, Jafari SM, Snow B, Jones L, Palomero L, THU KL, Cassetta L, Soong D, Berger T, Ramachandran P, Baniasadi SP, Duncan G, Lindzen M, Yarden Y, Herranz C, Lazaro C, Chu MF, Haight J, Tinto P, Silvester JS*, Cescon DW, Petit A, Pettersson S, Pollard JW, Mak TW, Pujana MA, Cappello P, Gorrini C. (2019). AhR controls redox homeostasis and shapes the tumor microenvironment in BRCA1-associated breast cancer. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America. 116(9): 3604-3613. Published
- 19. Zheng L, Chen Z, Kawakami M, Chen Y, Roszik J, Mustachio LM, Kurie JM, Villalobos PA, Lu W, Behren CM, Mino B, Solis LM, Silvester J*, THU KL, Cescon DW, Rodriguez-Canales J, Wistuba II, Mak TW, Liu X, Dmitrovsky E. (2019). Tyrosine threonine kinase inhibition eliminates lung cancers by augmenting apoptosis and aneuploidy. Molecular Cancer Therapeutics. 18(10): 1775-1786.

Refereed?: Yes

Published

Refereed?: Yes

20. THU KL, Silvester J*, Elliott MJ*, Ba-alawi W, Duncan MH*, Elia AC*, Mer AS, Smirnov P, Safikhani Z, Haibe-Kains B, Mak TW, Cescon DW. (2018). Disruption of the anaphase-promoting complex confers resistance to TTK inhibitors in triple-negative breast cancer. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America. 115(7): E1570-E1577. Published

Refereed?: Yes

21. Kawakami M, Mustachio LM, Zheng L, Chen Y, Rodriguez-Canales J, Mino B, Kurie JM, Roszik J, Villalobos PA, THU KL, Silvester J*, Cescon DW, Wistuba II, Mak TW, Liu X, Dmitrovsky E. (2018). Reply to Oegema et al.: CFI-400945 and Polo-like kinase 4 inhibition. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America. 115(46): E10810-E10811. Published

Refereed?: No

22. Kawakami M, Mustachio LM, Zheng L, Chen Y, Rodriguez-Canales J, Mino B, Kurie JM, Roszik J, Villalobos PA, THU KL, Silvester J*, Cescon DW, Wistuba II, Mak TW, Liu X, Dmitrovsky E. (2018). Pololike kinase 4 inhibition produces polyploidy and apoptotic death of lung cancers. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America. 115(8): 1913-1918. Published

Refereed?: Yes

23. Elliott MJ*, Jerzak KJ, Cockburn JG, Safikhani Z, Gwynne WD, Hassell JA, Bane A, Silvester J*, THU KL, Habie-Kains B, Mak TW, Cescon D. (2018). The Antiarrhythmic Drug, Dronedarone, Demonstrates Cytotoxic Effects in Breast Cancer Independent of Thyroid Hormone Receptor Alpha 1 (THRα1) Antagonism. Scientific Reports. 8(16562): 1-10.

Published Refereed?: Yes

24. THU KL, Soria-Bretones I*, Mak TW, Cescon DW. (2018). Targeting the cell cycle in breast cancer: towards the next phase. Cell Cycle. 17(15): 1871-1885.

Published Refereed?: Yes

Book Chapters

1. Thu KL, Cescon DW, and Hakem R. (2021). Chapter 8: Cell Proliferation and Death. David W Cescon, Ian F. Tannock, Richard P. Hill, Robert G. Bristow, Lea Harrington. The Basic Science of Oncology. 6th: 1-30. Published, McGraw-Hill International Editions, United States of America

Conference Publications

Gorospe KA, Li M, Arivajiagane A, Pham NA, Navab R, THU KL, Tsao MS. In vitro and in vivo modelling
of drug tolerance and minimal residual disease to discover effective therapeutic combination strategies
for EGFR-mutated lung cancer. American Association for Cancer Research, Chicago, United States of
America

Conference Date: 2025/4

Abstract

2. Lau APY, THU KL. Upregulation of PD-L1 as a mechanism of resistance to CD47 inhibition in non-small cell lung cancer. American Association for Cancer Research Special Conference on Tumor Immunology and Immunotherapy, Boston, United States of America

Conference Date: 2024/10

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes

3. Khavkine Binstock SS, Zou K, Wu YF, Kapus A, THU KL. Suppression of chemotherapy induced antiviral signaling by YAP/TAZ in lung cancer. International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer World Conference on Lung Cancer, San Diego, United States of America

Conference Date: 2024/9

Abstract Refereed?: Yes

4. Hoshi R, Lau A, Joshi K, Sanwal R, Hysi R, Lee W, THU K. Optimizing delivery of anti-cancer therapeutics in lung adenocarcinoma using ultrasound-induced cavitation of microbubbles. International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer World Conference on Lung Cancer, San Diego, United States of America Conference Date: 2024/9

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes

5. Lau A, Hoshi R, Rousseau Z, Wu YF, Ni H, THU KL. CD47 promotes migration and metastasis in non-small cell lung cancer. International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer World Conference on Lung Cancer, San Diego, United States of America

Conference Date: 2024/9

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes

6. Zhang C, Wu BZ, Wu YF, Di Ciano-Oliveira C, Yoon JY, Mak TW, Cescon DW, THU KL. KIFC1 is a therapeutic target in lung cancers with extra centrosomes. American Association for Cancer Research Annual Meeting, Orlando, United States of America

Conference Date: 2023/4

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes

7. Lau APY, Kubli SP, Wakeham A, Mak TW, THU KL. CD47 is a promising therapeutic target in non-small cell lung cancer. American Association for Cancer Research Annual Meeting, Orlando, United States of America

Conference Date: 2023/4

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes

8. Zhang CZ, Wu BZ, Di Ciano-Oliveira C, Li Q, Weiss J, Pham N-A, Lam WL, Tsao MS, Yoon J-Y, THU KL. Centrosome amplification is a prognostic indicator and potential therapeutic vulnerability in non-small cell lung cancer. International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer World Conference on Lung Cancer, Vienna, Austria

Conference Date: 2022/8

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes, Invited?: No

9. Lau APY, Kubli SP, Wakeham AC, Mak TW, THU KL. CD47 inhibition impairs the growth of orthotopic, immune competent lung tumour models. International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer World Conference on Lung Cancer, Vienna, Austria

Conference Date: 2022/8

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes, Invited?: No

10. THU KL, Kubli SP, Wakeham AC, Elia AJ, Mak TW. Development of an in vivo platform to identify novel mechanisms governing lung cancer response to immunotherapy. International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer World Conference on Lung Cancer, Barcelona, Spain

Conference Date: 2019/9

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes, Invited?: Yes

11. Bretones IS*, THU KL, Silvester J*, Kiarash R, Fletcher GC, Cruickshank J, Bray MR, Mak TW and Cescon DW. CDK4/6 inhibitor-resistant ER+ breast cancer cell lines are hypersensitive to TTK inhibition. San Antonio Breast Cancer Symposium, San Antionio, United States of America

Conference Date: 2019/1

Abstract

Refereed?: Yes, Invited?: Yes

Presentations

1. (2025). Unleashing the therapeutic potential of CD47 blockade in lung cancer. Cancer Research Center of Lyon Seminar Series, France

Main Audience: Researcher Invited?: Yes, Keynote?: No

2. (2025). Exploring the therapeutic potential of CD47-targeted therapy in lung cancer. University of Leeds Visiting Speaker Seminars, United Kingdom

Main Audience: Researcher Invited?: Yes, Keynote?: No

3. (2024). Identifying vulnerabilities associated with centrosome amplification in lung cancer. Bellairs Symposium on Genome Engineering and Repair, Barbados

Main Audience: Researcher Invited?: Yes, Keynote?: No

4. (2023). Investigating KIFC1 as a therapeutic target in lung cancers with centrosome amplification.

University of Otago UOC Research Seminar Series, New Zealand

Main Audience: Researcher Invited?: Yes, Keynote?: No

5. (2022). Investigating centrosome amplification as a therapeutic vulnerability in lung cancer. Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology Faculty Seminar, University of Toronto, Canada

Main Audience: Researcher Invited?: Yes, Keynote?: No

Student/Postdoctoral Supervision

Bachelor's [n=4]

2025/5 - 2025/8 Aiman Nawaid, Unity Health Toronto

Principal Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Investigating the Role of YAP/TAZ in Spindle Assembly Checkpoint

Regulation

Present Position: BSc Candidate, McMaster University

2025/5 - 2025/8 Chiara Oliveira, Unity Health Toronto

Principal Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Investigating oncolytic viruses as a vehicle for delivering CD47

blockade in murine models of lung cancer

Present Position: BSc Candidate Waterloo University

2024/9 Ethan Ortiz, University of Toronto

Principal Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Characterizing drug tolerant persister cells in lung cancer

Present Position: BSc, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology

2024/5 Patrick Wang, University of Toronto

Principal Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Investigating the role of YAP/TAZ in lung cancer chemoresistance

Present Position: BSc Candidate, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology

Doctorate [n=6]

2024/9 Kangni Zou, University of Toronto

Co-Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Deciphering the role of YAP/TAZ in spindle assembly checkpoint

regulation

Present Position: PhD candidate, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology

2023/9 Kristyna Gorospe, University of Toronto

Co-Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Characterizing drug tolerant persister cells and their therapeutic

vulnerabilities in EGFR-driven lung cancer

Present Position: PhD, University of Toronto, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology

2022/9 Sharon Khavkine-Binstock, University of Toronto

Co-Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: The role of YAP/TAZ in lung cancer chemoresistance.

Present Position: MSc, University of Toronto, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology

2022/9 Ryunosuke Hoshi, University of Toronto

Co-Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Developing an innovative method to delivery CD47-targeted

immunotherapy in lung cancer.

Present Position: PhD, University of Toronto, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology

2021/9 - 2023/8 Christopher Zhang, University of Toronto

Principal Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Targeting centrosome amplification in lung cancer

Present Position: MSc, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology

2021/8 - 2023/8 Asa Lau, University of Toronto

Principal Supervisor Thesis/Project Title: Characterizing innate immune checkpoint inhibitors in lung cancer

Present Position: MSc, Laboratory Medicine and Pathobiology