

UCLA Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center NEWSLETTER



Denis Evseenko—Harnessing the Regenerative Power of Stem Cells in Cancer Research

In our latest researcher spotlight, meet Denis Evseenko, assistant professor of orthopaedic surgery and JCCC member. Since arriving at UCLA three years ago, Evseenko is at the forefront of a new generation of scientists investigating how regenerative stem cells fundamentally connect to cancer and translating discovery to the clinic to directly impact patient care. [Click here](#) to read his story. And for more researcher profiles, visit the [profile archive](#).

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JCCC Scientist Honored with Prestigious Biomedical Science Award



The American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology has selected Dr. David Eisenberg, professor of biological chemistry, as the recipient of the 2015 Bert and Natalie Vallee Award in Biomedical Science. Established in 2012 to honor established scientists for outstanding accomplishments in basic biomedical research, Dr. Eisenberg was recognized for his pioneering work in studying interactions of amyloid proteins, which can often be seen in people with multiple myeloma.

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Jonsson Cancer Center Ranks Among Top 10 Nationwide



The JCCC once again ranks among the top 10 cancer centers in the nation and is rated best in Southern California, according to a U.S. News & World Report survey of board-certified physicians from across the country. The centers that rank highest in the survey often are those that treat the sickest patients and focus on translational research—taking the best scientific discoveries from the lab and putting them into clinical practice.

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Four Community Leaders Join JCCF Board of Directors



This past month, the fundraising arm of the JCCC welcomed four community leaders to its board of directors. The new appointees represent a wide range of professional expertise in health, industry and community service, with each brings a personal sense of mission to the fight to end cancer through research and a commitment to raising funds for innovative science that will lead to more effective therapies for cancer patients everywhere. We are excited to have them on board!

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