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**Course Directors:** Terri M. Laufer, M.D., and John G. Monroe, Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine

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- **John Monroe**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  Overview
- **Kathleen Sullivan**, Children’s Hosp of Philadelphia  
  Innate immune systems
- **Jennifer Punt**, Haverford Col  
  Adaptive immune system and memory
- **John Monroe**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  Molecular basis of diversity and antibody formation
- **David Allman**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  B cell development
- **Terri Laufer**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  Introduction to the MHC
- **Mickey Marks**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  Antigen processing and presentation
- **Alfred Singer**, NCI, NIH  
  T cell development
- **Gary Koretzky**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  Antigen receptor proximal signaling
- **Laurence Turka**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  B and T cell activation and co-stimulation
- **Craig Thompson**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  Lymphocyte homeostasis and apoptosis
- **Marc Jenkins**, Univ Minn Sch Med  
  Visualization of immune response: putting back the pieces

**Part II: June 27-29**
- **Andrew Caton**, Wistar Institute  
  T and B cell tolerance
- **Randolph Noelle**, Dartmouth Med Col  
  Lymphocyte activation and effector responses
- **Cathryn Nagler**, Mass Gen Hospital  
  Mucosal immunology
- **Betty Diamond**, Columbia Univ Med Ctr  
  From autoimmunity to autoimmune disease
- **Phillip Scott**, Univ Penn Sch Vet Med  
  Immunity to parasites
- **George Yap**, Brown Univ  
  Intracellular infections and infectious disease
- **Joel Ernst**, NYU Sch Med  
  Immunity to bacterial infections
- **Andy Hurwitz**, NIH  
  Tumor Immunology
- **Robert Seder**, NIAID, NIH  
  Vaccines
- **Arnold Levinson**, Univ Penn Sch Med  
  IgE-mediated hypersensitivity
- **Mary Ellen Conley**, Univ Tenn Med Group, Inc.  
  Immunodeficiencies
- **Wayne Hancock**, Children’s Hosp of Philadelphia  
  Transplantation
- **Andrew Chan**, Genentech, Inc.  
  Current problems in clinical immunology

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Max D. Cooper, M.D., University of Alabama, Birmingham, School of Medicine

For a record of significant achievement and sustained accomplishment in immunology research pertinent to human disease pathogenesis, prevention, and therapy

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For a career of sustained achievement and contribution to the field of immunology

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Course Director: Olivia Martinez, Stanford University School of Medicine, Palo Alto, CA

FACULTY

- Mitch Kronenberg, La Jolla Inst for Allergy and Immunology
  - Innate immunity
- Lewis Lanier, Univ of Cal, San Francisco
  - NK cells
- Gwendalyn Randolph, Mt. Sinai Med Ctr
  - Dendritic cells
- Nilabh Shastri, Univ of Cal, Berkeley
  - Antigen presentation and processing I
- Peter Jensen, Univ of Cal, San Fran
  - Antigen presentation and processing II
- Ellen Rothenberg, Cal Inst of Tech
  - T cell development
- Ann Feeney, Scripps Res Inst
  - B cell development
- Chris Garcia, Stanford Univ Sch Med
  - Structural basis of immune recognition
- Mark Davis, Stanford Univ Sch Med
  - T cell antigen recognition
- Andrew Chan, Genentech, Inc.
  - Signal transduction
- Fred Ramsdell, Zymogenetics, Inc.
  - T regulatory cells
- Jason Cyster, Univ of Cal, San Francisco
  - B cell activation and tolerance
- Michael Croft, La Jolla Inst for Allergy & Immunology
  - Co-stimulatory molecules
- Charles Surh, Scripps Res Inst
  - Memory and homeostasis
- Carl Ware, La Jolla Inst for Allergy & Immunology
  - Mediators of the immune response
- Phillip Scott, Univ of Penn
  - T cell response to pathogens
- William Robinson, Stanford Univ Sch Med
  - Autoimmunity
- Phillip Greenberg, Univ of Washington
  - Tumor Immunology
- Olivia Martinez, Stanford Univ Sch Med
  - Transplantation immunology

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Art Weiss, Univ of Cal, San Francisco
- T cell receptor signaling

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