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Seminar in Microbiology

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11:30 - 12:30



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Cell biology of yeast genome management

Prof Tartakoff, an authority in yeast cell biology, has studied various aspects of subcellular organization and protein trafficking. His recent focus is on the genetic and cytological basis of bud site selection and outgrowth in budding yeast after haploid yeast cells have fused into a zygote. He is also exploring how the distribution of organelles and macromolecular material is controlled during zygote formation and has a long-standing interest in understanding how nuclear fusion is achieved in the zygote and defining the successive transcriptional programs that characterize zygote formation.

Selected Publications

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