

PhD Program in Cancer Biology

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## Module A - Cancer Biology 2023

## Model systems for cancer research

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Course Venue Irchel Campus, Y55 H12, Winterthurerstr. 190, 8057 Zürich

**General Outline** 

09.30 – 10.30 Mouse cancer models (Anne Müller)

10.30 – 11:30 Modeling aspects of cancer biology ex vivo (Martin Baumgartner)

11:30 - 12:30 From dish to fish: translational tools for clinical insights in melanoma

(Mitch Levesque)

12:30 Reading and preparing for discussion "the anti-CD28 case"

Literature will be distributed before the lunch break

Afterwards Lunch break

14:30 – 16.30 Discussion "the anti-CD28 case"

with Maries van den Broek and Anne Müller

**Learning outcomes** After this course day students will know main approaches towards ex vivo modeling for cancer research, understand advantages and limitations of ex vivo models. Understand experimental and regulatory aspects of preclinical work needed for drug approval