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2014 WHSF-Thomas K Hunt Endowed Lecturer Robert A. Weinberg, Ph.D.

WHS Opening Session
Wednesday, April 23, 2014; 8:30-9:30 AM

The second annual WHSF-Thomas K Hunt Endowed Lecture will be given by world renowned scientist, Robert A. Weinberg, PhD from the Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research. Dr. Weinberg is a pioneer in cancer research and best known for his discoveries of the first human oncogene and the first tumor suppressor gene. He has been exploring the signaling pathways of both tumorigenesis and wound healing.

Dr. Weinberg is a founding member of the Whitehead Institute and has numerous accolades including 1982 Scientist of the Year, the prestigious National Medal of Science (1997), Wolf Prize in Medicine (2004) and many others. Dr. Weinberg's scientific and intellectual contributions of bridging cancer and wound healing will stimulate meeting attendees and thereby, positively impact future research.

2014 WHSF-3M Fellow Award and Lecture
Friday, April 25, 2014; 6:00-7:00 PM

2014 will mark the 15th anniversary of the 3M Fellow Award presented by the WHSF. The WHSF-3M Fellowship is a one-year $15,000 gift to stimulate scientific research and career development of young investigators or junior faculty pursuing a career in wound healing research.

A special award will be bestowed during the session and the announcement of the 15th annual Fellow will be made. Following the announcement, the 2013 WHSF-3M Fellow awardee, Melanie Rodrigues, PhD from Stanford University will speak on the characterization of endothelial progenitor cells using Vav/CRE-RFP/GFP mouse and single cell microfluidic technology.