**Session I
Innovative Approaches in Colorectal Cancer Early Detection**
Chair: Hermann Brenner

- **June 5th 2014**
  - **12:00 – 12:30** Harald zur Hausen
    - German Cancer Research Center, Heidelberg
    - Key Note Speech: Links of Colorectal Cancer to Infections

- **June 6th 2014**
  - **9:00 – 9:20** Jane Figueiredo
    - University of Southern California, Los Angeles
    - Title: to be announced
  - **9:20 – 9:40** Davina Gale
    - Cancer Research UK Cambridge Institute
    - Title: to be announced
  - **9:40 – 10:00** Wilko Weichert
    - University Hospital, Heidelberg
    - Title: to be announced
  - **10:00 – 10:20** Joachim P. Spatz
    - Max Planck Institute for Metals Research, Los Angeles
    - Title: to be announced
Hosted by the National Center for Tumor Diseases (NCT) Heidelberg, the German Cancer Research Center, the Felix Burda Foundation and the German Network Against Colorectal Cancer the 2014 Workshop on Innovation in Prevention, Early Detection and Diagnosis of Colorectal Cancer will bring together academics, scientists, clinicians and leaders of the pharmaceutical industry to share innovations and to discuss and foster new developments in prevention and early detection strategies for colorectal cancer.

Colorectal cancer is not only a major public health burden, but is also effectively preventable. The interdisciplinary workshop will cover state of the art research in colorectal cancer screening and early detection, prevention strategies by anti-inflammatory drugs, genomics, immunology, and gut microbiomes. For a joint approach and optimal exchange of information, the workshop will provide the maximum amount of interaction and discussion through an exciting range of presentations.

We hope that you will join us on June 5th–6th 2014 at our Innovation Workshop in the beautiful city of Heidelberg and strengthen our links in colorectal cancer research.

Best Regards,

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