M2D2: Induce DNA damage for RNA purification

- 1. Comm lab workshop
- 2. Prelab
- 3. ¹/₂ class to TC to etoposide treat cells
- ½ work on Rstudio.cloud Intro to Clustering and Exercise #2

For JC HW slide: if you like your slide, great! If you would change it after Comm lab, submit updated version to Stellar by 10m TONIGHT

Mod2: Experimental overview



Mod2 major assignments

- Research Article (20%)
 - individual, submit on Stellar
 - due Saturday April 19th at 10pm
 - format: word document, figures can be submitted separately
- Journal Club Presentation (15%)
 - individual presentation
 - presentation slides due on Stellar prior to presentation
 - format: powerpoint, keynote, or google slides
- Lab quizzes (5%) M2D3, M2D8
- Blog (5%), 3 posts for full credit
 - March 16 at 10 pm, April 20 at 10 pm, May 9 at 10 pm, May 12 at 10pm



RNA Transcription and DNA Replication cause DNA supercoiling

Normal function: Topo Type II (topoisomerase II enzyme) relieves supercoil tangles



Ma, J. & Wang, M.D. Biophys Rev (2016) 8(Suppl 1): 75. https://doi.org/10.1007/s12551-016-0215-9

Etoposide is a drug/chemotherapy that causes DNA double strand breaks

- mechanism of action: forms a ternary complex with DNA and topoisomerase II enzyme and prevents re-ligation of the DNA strands = double strand DNA strand break
- cancer cells (quickly dividing cells) rely on topoisomerase II more than normal cells and therefore have <u>More</u> double strand DNA breaks when treated with etoposide <u>Topoisomerase II</u>





What cellular functions change upon etoposide treatment?



Soto Gamez et al. Regulation of Survival Networks in Senescent Cells: From Mechanisms to Interventions. JMB July 2019

What genes are differentially expressed in response to etoposide treatment?



Pilié et al. State- of-the- art strategies for targeting the DNA damage response in cancer. Nature Reviews 2019.

R analysis in benchling notebook

Reminder: each lab day with a R exercise, Joe will check your progress in benchling before you leave

Today for Intro to clustering :

- Hierarchical Clustering heatmap
- □ K-means Clustering color plot
- Principal Components Analysis: save all heatmaps and PCA plots
 - Answer all questions at the top of page 2 in the pdf

Today for exercise #2:

- Ok to come back to a lot of the thought questions on your own time
- Top downregulated and upregulated gene ontology terms from the DLD-1/DLD-1 etoposide treated cells

Today in lab:

- 1. Tissue Culture (TC)
 - 1st : Red, Orange, Yellow, & Green & Blue
 - 2nd: Pink, Purple, White, & Silver
 - Protocols printed for TC use, no need to move laptops etc.

Do not wear PPE in or out of TC room

- 2. Work on exercise #2 in Rstudio.cloud
- 3. Read your Journal Club paper
 Homework due Friday, M2D3 by end do

- Figure/title/caption, Results and Discussion

M2D3HW

- Figure= the top five up and down gene ontology (GO) terms from DLD-1 +/- etoposide
- Figure must include a title and caption
- associated results and discussion paragraphs
 - Mod2 results text will not include interpretation of the data shown in the figure
 - <u>Separate</u> discussion section associated with figure with interpretation
- review guidelines on the wiki homework tab!!

RESULTS

- What was the overall goal of these data?
 - State concisely as an introductory sentence.
- 2. If applicable, what was the result of your control?
 - Was it expected?
- 3. What was your result?
 - Was it expected?
- 4. What does this motivate you to do next?
 - Specifically, what experiment follows?

DISCUSSION

- What evidence do you have that your result is correct or incorrect?
 - How do your controls support your data?
- In sum, what do your data suggest or indicate?
 - Do your data support your hypothesis? Why?
- 3. What does this motivate you to do next?
 - Specifically, what is the next research question?