

RESEARCH TRAINING & EDUCATION

Staff Meeting Update

September 24, 2024

MaineHealth Institute for Research



National Postdoc & Grad Student Appreciation Week!

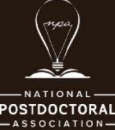
CELEBRATE *

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*** APPRECIATE**

**MHIR STUDENT &
POSTDOC
APPRECIATION WEEK**

September 16 – 20, 2024



Monday
NPA Virtual Kickoff Event
1:00-2:30pm in Conference Rooms #5; Lunch will be provided by the ORTE

Tuesday
Connecting for Career Success
1:00-3:00pm in Conference Rooms #1-3; Lunch will be provided

Wednesday
Enhancing Article Visibility: Learn How to Create a Powerful Graphical Abstract – Hosted by Caroline Picoli (Please RSVP)
10:00am-12:30pm in Conference Room #1-3; Pastries and bagels will be provided

Thursday
Social Hour and Appreciation Gift
3:00-5:00pm on the MHIR patio; Appetizers will be provided

Friday
Research Development: Non-traditional career paths
Understanding Cognitive Distortions, Imposter Fears and Stereotype Threat
Links will be provided in reminder emails

Student and Scholar Moments to Shine



Audrie Langlais, PhD graduate student, Motyl Lab
from Heather Campbell:

“Audrie helped with a recent project in the Reagan Lab that involved a complex, nuanced procedure for which none of our staff had been trained.”

And from Rebecca Peters:

“We could not have finished the cohort without you stepping up to cover injections, DXA, and leading the final collection. Your dedication and support to everyone in the lab doesn’t go unnoticed!”



News from Research Training and Education: Undergraduates



Mohamed Agamia	Liaw Lab
Defne Eren	Prudovsky Lab
Alice Greenleaf	Motyl Lab
Sarah Hassan	Hernandez Lab
Joe Ringuette	Vector Borne Lab
Maria Rosales	Koza Lab
Sam Rubin	Rosen Lab
Gage Whalen	MCHF Lab

News from Research Training and Education: Graduate Students

Michayla Moore **Graduate Student-PhD, Vary Lab:**

Recent manuscript, based on her thesis work, has been accepted for publication in the Journal of Cellular Signaling.

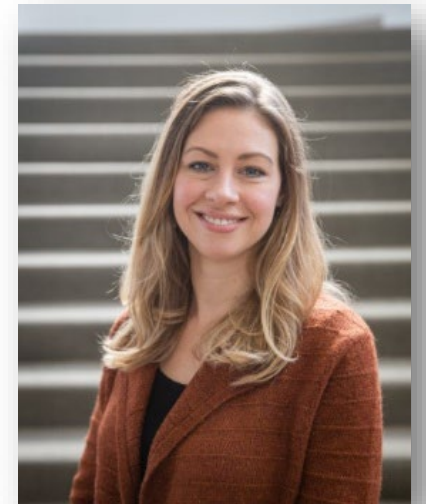
Title: *ALK1 Signaling in Human Cardiac Progenitor Cells Promotes a Pro-Angiogenic Secretome*

Co-authors are Sergey Ryzhov, Doug Sawyer, and Gusti Gartner and Cal Vary is the communicating/senior co-author.

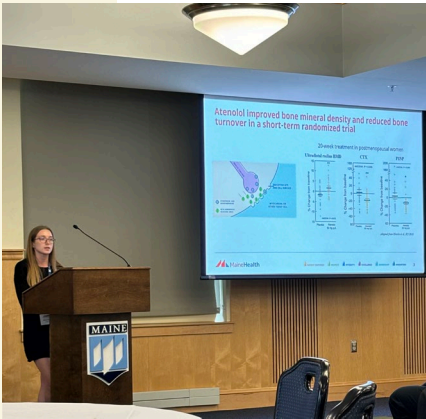


Ally Hinton **Graduate Student-PhD, CIPHR:**

Will be attending the North American Cystic Fibrosis Conference Sept 26-28 in Boston and presenting a poster entitled “Relationship between Care Patterns and Health Outcomes in People with Cystic Fibrosis”.



News from Research Training and Education: GSBSE Annual Meeting



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*Oral Presentation:
First Place- Madeleine
Nowak, Koza Lab*



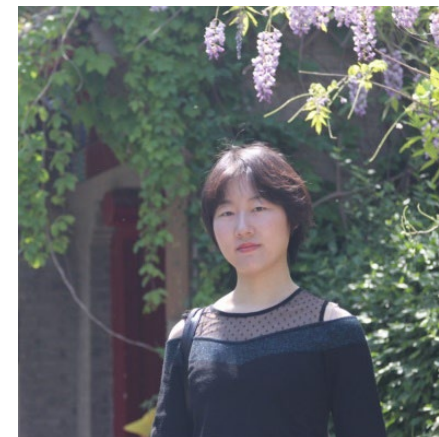
News from Research Training and Education: Postdocs

Tiange Feng, PhD **Research Fellow, Li Lab:**

Her abstract was selected for two poster sessions at ASBMR:

9/26/2024: Pre-meeting Symposium on Energy Metabolism in Skeletal Development and Disease (PM-014).

9/29/2024: Poster Session II (Sun-067).



Caroline Picoli, PhD **Research Fellow, Li Lab:**

Received the 2024 Student and Postdoc Association Research Award supported by MaineHealth Institute for Research.





Thank You!