SNO’s Molecular Pathology Special Interest Track is pleased to announce the quarterly event for the SNO Pathology FAST (First Author Series Talk) webinar series. The webinar entitled **Melanoma-Secreted Amyloid Beta Suppresses Neuroinflammation and Promotes Brain Metastasis** will occur live on Monday, August 29, 2022, at 1:00pm - 2:00pm ET.

**Learning Objectives**
- Melanoma-secreted amyloid beta is specifically required for growth and survival of melanoma cells in the brain parenchyma.
- Melanoma-secreted amyloid beta suppresses inflammatory gene expression in astrocytes and protects against microglial phagocytosis
- Amyloid beta is a promising therapeutic target for treatment of melanoma brain metastasis.

For full details and complimentary registration click here.

**Clinical Case**

77 year-old woman with left-sided weakness following aortic valve replacement

Submitted by Wenya Linda Bi, MD, PhD (wbi@bwh.harvard.edu)
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Read the full case. To weigh in on the conversation click here.

We welcome interesting and challenging case submissions with teaching points by all members. This may focus on clinical management, pathology and diagnostic quandary, imaging highlight, operative nuance, or other salient points that may be of interest to the membership of SNO. Case submissions are limited to 250 words with 1-2 figures. Please send your submissions to: snodigest@soc-neuro-onc.org

27th Annual Meeting and Education Day Updates

Volunteer Opportunity for Neuro-Oncology Trainees!
SNO is seeking session monitors for all educational program and scientific platform sessions to assist co-chairs, faculty, and SNO staff. SNO will provide complimentary registration fees to the meeting and Education Day and a 2023 SNO trainee membership (either new member or renewal) to those who volunteer for this unique opportunity.

Please note that a limited number of positions are available, and applications will be considered on a first-come, first-served basis. For full details and to apply click here.

Abstract Acceptances
An email indicating abstract allocations for the 2022 SNO Annual Meeting was sent to all abstract presenters on Friday, August 5th. Please be sure to register for the meeting so you can present your research. All accepted abstracts will be published in the journal Neuro-Oncology.

Win a SNO Gala Ticket
Are you attending the SNO Annual Meeting and interested in attending the SNO Gala, the premier networking event on Saturday, November 19, at 7:30 pm? If so, share your suggestions on how we can improve the SNO Digest to be eligible to win a gala ticket.

Introduced in 2022, the SNO Digest is a weekly information resource from the Society for Neuro-Oncology. The SNO Digest seeks to provide members and non-members of the Society with a concise summary of SNO activities and initiatives. Click here to share your insight. The gala award winner will be announced on September 7. Read more about the SNO Gala.

To view the main SNO Annual Meeting website, click here.

We Need Your Vote: 2022 Board of Directors Elections

The 2022 SNO Board of Directors Election is now open. Ballot emails were sent out to all current SNO members on August 3, 2022 from the Balloteer voting system. Ballots are unique to each member. If you do not recall receiving a ballot, please check your spam folder or contact the SNO administrative office.

The following positions are up for election this year:

- **Allied Health Representative**: Mary Lou Affronti, DNP, RN, ANP, MHSc and Samantha Balakrishnan, DNP, CNP ACNP, FNP
- **Other Specialties Representative**: Quinn Ostrom, PhD, MPH, MA and Michael W. Parsons, PhD
- **Pathology Representative**: MacLean Nasrallah, MD, PhD and Joanna Phillips, MD, PhD
- **Radiation Oncology Representative**: David Raleigh, MD, PhD and Helen Shih, MD, MPH
- **Young Investigator Representative**: Mary Jane Lim Fat, MD and Akanksha Sharma, MD

The election site closes on August 31, 2022, at 11:59pm PT. If you have any questions, please contact megan@soc-neuro-onc.org.

From The Journals

**From Neuro-Oncology**
Selumetinib in children with neurofibromatosis type 1 and asymptomatic inoperable plexiform neurofibroma at risk for developing tumor-related morbidity
Selumetinib was recently approved for the treatment of inoperable symptomatic plexiform neurofibromas (PNs) in children with neurofibromatosis type 1 (NF1). This parallel phase II study determined the response rate to selumetinib in
Upcoming Webinar

The Society for Neuro-Oncology is pleased to announce the SNO Wellness Committee’s Provider Resilience webinar. The webinar will occur live on Wednesday September 7, 2022, at 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm ET. For complimentary registration, click here.

Featured SNO Learning Module

Palliative Care
The Palliative Care module provides lectures that focus on the unique challenges faced by caregivers and clinicians in caring for patients with neurological disease. All SNO learning modules are free of charge. Click here to view the module.

SNO Career Center

This Week’s Featured Listing
The Saint Luke’s Marion Bloch Neuroscience Institute (SLMBNI) is seeking a candidate for the position of the Neuro-Oncologist. The candidate should be board certified in neurology or medical oncology with fellowship training in neuro-oncology and experience in clinical research. Click here to apply or see other postings!

Upcoming SNO and SNO Affiliated Events

2nd Annual Conference on Clinical Trials and Brain Metastases
August 12-13, 2022 in Toronto, Canada
On-site registration will be available with a $50 surcharge.
To view the program and to register click here.
2022 SNO Annual Meeting and Education Day
November 16-20, 2022
For full information and to register click here.

2023 SNO Pediatric Research Conference
Save The Date
June 22-24, 2023
Washington DC

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