THE AGORA – CANCER CENTRE
ON THE WAY TO ITS REALISATION

THE AGORA PROJECT’S GOAL IS TO CREATE, ON THE LAUSANNE HOSPITAL SITE, AN INFRASTRUCTURE OF THE HIGHEST QUALITY ABLE TO WELCOME, FROM 2017 ON, ALMOST 300 SCIENTISTS AND CLINICIANS. This building will bring together multi-disciplinary teams composed of doctors, biologists, immunologists, bioinformaticians and bioengineers from the different partner institutions. Their numerous and constant interactions will accelerate the development of new therapies and enable patients to benefit from them straightaway.

IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

January 2013
Selection of the project by the ISREC Foundation after an international competition

14th July 2014
Submission of application for building permit

19th March 2015
Building permit granted

31st March 2015
Open call for offers for the construction of the building

July 2015
Start of the building work

September 2017
Commissioning of the AGORA building

ORGANIZATION

The Foundation is composed of:

THE FOUNDATION COUNCIL

The Foundation Council is the highest managing authority of the Foundation. It allocates resources, appoints its members and those of the Scientific Board and the Management, as well as the Financial Auditors. Moreover, it approves the annual budget and the Foundation accounts.

President
Mr. Yves J. Paternot
Administrateur

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Mrs. Martine Brunschwig Graf
Economist, former member of the National Council, former president of the cantonal government of Geneva

Prof. Franco Cavalli
Scientific Director, IOSI (Istituto Oncologico della Svizzera Italiana)

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Lawyer

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General Director, CHUV (Centre Hospitalier Universitaire Vaudois)

Prof. Philippe Morel
Vice-rector, UNIL (University of Lausanne)

Prof. Didier Trono
Full Professor, GHI (Global Health Institute), EPFL (Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne)

Prof. Thomas Zeltner
Former Director of the Federal Office for Public Health

THE SCIENTIFIC BOARD

The Scientific Board is composed of experts of international renown in various fields of cancer research.

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Members
Prof. Adriano Aguzzi
Director, Institute of Neuropathology, University Hospital of Zurich

Prof. Martin Fey
Director, Clinic and Policlinic for Medical Oncology, Inselspital – Bern University Hospital

Prof. Marcel Frey
Director, Clinic and Policlinic for Medical Oncology, Inselspital – Bern University Hospital

THE MANAGEMENT

With the help of the Scientific Board, the Management selects the research projects to be supported and presents its proposals to the Foundation Council. It develops and proposes a strategy of fundraising and assumes the tasks allotted by the regulations of the Foundation.

Prof. Francis-Luc Perret
Director

THE FINANCIAL AUDITORS

The financial auditors, whose tasks are allotted by law, are nominated by the Foundation Council. They are elected for one year. The 2014 mandate was entrusted to Ernst & Young SA, Swiss Fiduciary and Audit Company recognized by the Swiss Institute of Certified Accountants and Tax Consultants.

ANNUAL REPORT 2014

ISREC FOUNDATION
A FOUNDATION SUPPORTING CANCER RESEARCH
LINKING SCIENTISTS IN FUNDAMENTAL RESEARCH WITH CLINICIANS AND ENCOURAGING SCIENTIFIC TRAINING IN SWITZERLAND
Dear donors, friends and partners,

Two important events have marked the year 2014 for the ISREC Foundation with, on the one hand, the celebration of fifty years of activity supporting cancer research projects and on the other, finalising the official request to the authorities for the Agira Cancer Centre.

Since its creation on the 18th of June 1964, the foundation has promoted research leading to significant discoveries, notably in the areas of mutagenesis, genome instability and repair, immunology, the cell cycle, cell biology, tumor virology, oncogenes, cell differentiation and bioinformatics. The work accomplished by the scientists and doctors supported by the Foundation has contributed over several decades to a better understanding of the mechanisms underlying cancer and to identifying new therapeutic targets.

Today, with the construction of the Agira - Cancer Centre building, the bringing-together of the scientific and medical worlds marks a new phase that will, without doubt, open new perspectives for the scientists whom we support.

Faithful to our primary mission, the support of cancer research, we have awarded grants to students of the UNIL/EPII summer program to enable them to undertake laboratory research. We have also endowed a new chair in translational oncology to support Pro. Elisa Orichio who has been appointed Assistant Professor Tenure Track in the Faculty of Life Sciences of the EPFL (EPFL/SV/ISREC) in November 2014.

The many successes that have marked the history of cancer research and the statistics of the last few years show encouraging results. In this positive spirit our Foundation pursues its supportive role. It is this role that we are able to fulfil thanks to your engagement and your loyalty. Your participation is essential to the success of our projects and your loyalty. Your participation is essential to the success of our projects.

A great thank you to you all.

Yves J. Paternot

EDITORIAL 2014, JUBILEE YEAR AND FUTURE PERSPECTIVES

PROJECTS SUPPORTED IN 2014

SCIENTIFIC AND ACADEMIC TRAINING

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<td>Grant «Molecular life sciences» awarded to Svenja Groeneveld</td>
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TOTAL OF SUBSIDIES REMITTED IN 2014 | CHF 2 173,891.– |

RESOURCES

To enable the Foundation to work towards its goals, the following resources are available: legacies, gifts, donations, the product of the trust and all other resources. On December 31st 2014, the fortune of the foundation amounted to CHF 53 million.

Thank you very much.

SUPPORT THE ISREC FOUNDATION

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ISREC Foundation projects are mainly financed by donations and legacies from people aware of, and keen to help, our causes.

You can support our mission in various ways:
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– by the sponsorship of graduate students
– by a donation
– by an annual subscription
– by the sponsoring of young professors affiliated with a Swiss university or institution
– by the sponsoring of post-doctoral researchers for the development of projects of high competence at the national level
– by a legacy

Thank you very much for your support.

FISCAL DEDUCTIONS

Taxe at the federal level
A donation of up to 25% of net income is possible, as long as the payment amounts to a minimum of €100.

Taxe at the cantonal level
The information available on the Swissfoundation web pages (www.schweiz.ch) applies.

ISREC FOUNDATION TAXATION

The ISREC Foundation is recognized as a non-profit institution of public utility and is therefore exempted from communal, cantonal and federal taxes.

THANKS

With your help we can carry out our projects and our mission becomes reality. That’s why we feel confident and support are precious to us. Thank you very much.

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