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Grants/Clinical Trials History:

Current Grants

Agency: NIH/NCI
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Title: Therapeutic targeting of FGF19-driven cancers with FGF21 variants
P.I.: Sangwon Lee
Role: PI
Percent effort: 50%
Total costs: \$1,915,780.00
Project period: 07/15/2022 - 06/30/2027

Invited Speaking Engagements, Presentations & Workshops Not Affiliated With Yale: International/National

1. "Structures of ligand occupied β -klotho complexes reveal molecular mechanism underlying endocrine FGF specificity and activity". The 19th KIAS Conference on Protein Structure and Function, Seoul, Seoul, South Korea, September 2019. (Oral Presentation)

Peer-Reviewed Presentations Given at Meetings Not Affiliated With Yale:

International/National

1. **Lee S.** Molecular Mechanism of Endocrine FGF Activation and Cell Signaling. EMBO Metabolic disorders and liver cancer, PM, IB, Spain, April 2017. (Poster Presentation)
2. **Lee S.** Structural Basis of Endocrine FGF Recognition by β -Klotho. 3rd Fibroblast Growth Factors in Development and Repair Conference, Nassau, New Providence, Bahamas, February 2019. (Oral Presentation)
3. **Lee S.** Structural Basis of Endocrine FGF Recognition by β -Klotho. 63rd Annual Meeting of the Biophysical Society, Baltimore, MD, March 2019. (Poster Presentation)
4. **Lee S.** A de novo-designed mini-protein can inhibit FGFR signaling in an isoform-specific manner. 67th Annual Meeting of the Biophysical Society, San Diego, CA, February 2023. (Poster Presentation)
5. **Lee S.** Isoform-specific Inhibition of FGFR Signaling by a de novo-designed Mini-protein. FASEB SRC The Protein Phosphorylation Conference, Steamboat Springs, CO, June 2023. (Oral Presentation)

Patents:

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1. **Lee Sangwon**, Schlessinger Joseph. 2022. Mutant FGF21 polypeptide compositions. United States US11365228B2, filed July 05, 2018, and issued June 21, 2022.
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