

Notes from June 17th CVP PI meeting, 14:00-16.00 at CMM, VIP room, level 5

Participating PIs: John Pernow, Jesper Z. Haeggström, Ulf Eriksson, Ulf de Faire, Anna Krook

Other participants: Mikael Karlsson, Daniel Ketelhuth

- § 1. Notes from previous PI meeting on April 24 were presented electronically and accepted.
- § 2. The CVP retreat program was discussed and finalized by the PIs. Craig will send it out to the CVP community together with a flyer and information about abstract submission and registration.
- § 3. The current budget situation for the remaining period 2014-2015 was discussed. The CVP program has an unexpected surplus of approx. 1.5 MSEK. Discussions followed on how to make best use of these extra resources with the goal to strengthen the program and make it competitive for the next round of application. Several suggestions were put forward such as post-doc fellowships, support for travel and exchange within the UMich initiative, and increased PI support. JZH will contact the Dean of Research to ensure that our exchange program is sanctioned by central KI.
- § 4. JZH invited the CVP PIs to attend the symposium on *Lipid Mediators in Health and Disease, a Tribute to Bengt Samuelsson* to be held at Nobel Forum, August 27-29. Details can be found at www.lipmed.org.
- § 5. Dates for PI meetings during the fall were selected as follows:
 - Tuesday, September 23, 2-4 pm**
 - Thursday, October 23, 2-4 pm.**
 - Wednesday, November 26, 2-4 pm.**

From Jesper's desk, June 18, 2014