CURRICULUM VITAE (2022)

Name: Carl Martin Sadowski

Date and Place of Birth: 22.01.1971, Bergisch-Gladbach, Germany

Nationality: German

Familiy status: Married, two children

Academic degrees: PhD, MSc

Languages: German (native), English (fluent)

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Education:

PhD

1998-2002: Doctor of Philosophy and Master of Science (April 2002). PhD

thesis: "Molecular characterisation of subunits involved premessenger RNA 3'-end processing and its coupling to RNA

polymerase II transcription in the yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisae*" under the supervision of Prof W. Keller, Department of Cell Biology,

Biozentrum Basel, University of Basel

MSc BSc Hons (1st)

1992-1998: Graduate and undergraduate studies in Biology (Dipl. Biol.),

Diploma thesis under the supervision of Prof. Wahle, Department of

Biochemistry, Justus-Liebig-University of Giessen, Germany.

Employment history and

research stays:

since Aug 2020 Group leader Cancer Metabolism, Endocrine Pathology, Institute of

Pathology, University of Bern, Bern, Switzerland

Jan 2019-Jun 2020 Group leader Cancer Metabolism, Cancer and Ageing Research

Program, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane, Australia

Jan 2018-Dec 2019 Group leader Cancer Metabolism & Drug Discovery, Australian

Prostate Research Centre - Queensland, Queensland University of

Technology, Brisbane, Australia

Oct 2010-Dec 2017 Senior Postdoctoral Scientist, Australian Prostate Research Centre –

Queensland, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane,

Australia

Jan 2005-Sep 2009 Move of laboratory, Postdoctoral research continued, Cell Cycle Unit,

St. Vincent's Institute of Medical Research, Melbourne, Australia

Oct 2002- Dec 2004 Post-doctoral research, Cell Cycle Unit, Cancer Program, Garvan

Institute of Medical Research, Sydney, Australia

Jul 2001 Training course in transcription termination. Prof Nicholas Proudfoot,

Sir William Dunn School of Pathology, Oxford University, Oxford,

United Kingdom

Career interruptions: Paternity leave, 100% carer from Oct 2009 until Sept 2010



Administrative roles:

since 2022 Committee member of the Microscopy Imaging Center (MIC),

University of Bern, Switzerland

2018-2020 Workshop organiser: High-content imaging, Translational Research

Institute, Brisbane, Australia

2010-2019 Movember fundraising team, Australian Prostate Research Centre –

Queensland, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane,

Australia

2011-2017 Lab management and external ordering

Current Teaching: Selected Topics in Molecular Pathology 4544 (Cancer Metabolism)

Tumour Biology Block Course (Cancer Metabolism) Topics in Tumour Biology (Cancer Metabolism)

High Content Analysis & Advanced Microscopy (KSL 9256)

Mentorship activities:

2021- MSc, Kristyna Filipova 2019- PhD, Charles Bidgood

2018-2022 PhD, Reuben Young, SAGE Higher Degree Research Publication

Prize Competition for 2021 for Faculty of Science

2020-2021 MSc, Viktoriia Ovcharova 2016-2019 PhD, Mahmudul Haque

2016-2019 PhD, Kaylyn Touignant, Winner of Cancer Metabolism Meeting poster

award, Sydney, Australia

2013-2016 PhD, Claire Levrier, IHBI Carla Patterson Award–Winner of the

Overall QUT IHBI Award for best publication in 2018

2015 MSc, Dr. med. Cheryl Nicholson

2012-2014 PhD, Michelle Liberio

Reviewer: Journals: Clinical & Translational Medicine, Scientific Reports, The

Prostate, Clinical and Experimental Pharmacology and Physiology,

Toxicology Research, PLoS ONE.

Funding schemes: Swiss Cancer League, NH&MRC, PCFA.

PhD candidatures & confirmations since 2015

Memberships:

since 2021 European Neuroendocrine Tumor Society since 2021 European Association for Cancer Research

since 2014 Endocrine Society

2009-2020 Australian – Canadian Prostate Cancer Research Alliance

2003-2020 Australian Cell Cycle Community

Awards and prizes:

2019 QUT Cancer Program Initiative: Cancer Metabolism and Metabolic

Endocrinology; 15'000 CHF

2019 IHBI Near-miss HERDC Category 1 Support Scheme: Dynamic

interplay of lipid supply from uptake and synthesis in prostate

cancer progression 13'100 CHF

2019 Winner of Cancer Metabolism Meeting poster award, Sydney,

Australia (senior author), 650 CHF

2018 IHBI Carla Patterson Award–Winner of the Overall QUT IHBI Award

for best publication in 2018 (co-author & supervisor), 2'000 CHF

2018 QUT Cancer Program Initiative: The role of PLA2G2A in prostate

cancer and therapy resistance; 5'500 CHF

2018 QUT Cancer Program Initiative: Targeting the dynamic interplay of

lipid uptake and synthesis in prostate cancer; 4'200 CHF

QUT Publication Grant: Lipid uptake is an androgen-regulated 2018

supply pathway associated with prostate cancer disease

progression and bone metastasis; 4'200 CHF

2017 Finalist Oral Presentation "Targeting lipid metabolism in prostate

cancer: New therapeutic concepts with old drugs", Princess

Alexandra Hospital Research Symposium

2015 Winner of the Presidential Poster Competition, 97th Annual

Endocrinology Meeting, San Diego, USA

2007 Winner St. Vincent's Research Week poster award, Melbourne,

Australia

Research funding:

2017-2019 PCFA, Movember Foundation: Extension of Adaptive Response to

> Targeting the Androgen Axis – A Strategic Offensive on Resistance. Movember Foundation Revolutionary Team Award, co-applicant,

1'110'000 CHF

2017-2018 PCFA: High-content screening of small molecule inhibitors from

nature that target prostate cancer metabolism; 66'000 CHF

2014-2017 PCFA, Movember Foundation: Adaptive Response to Targeting the

> Androgen Axis – A Strategic Offensive on Resistance. Movember Foundation Revolutionary Team Award, co-applicant, 2'780'000

CHF

2014-2015 Princess Alexandra Research Foundation: Targeting leptin in

prostate cancer progression; linking metabolic dysfunction and

castrate resistance; co-applicant, 196'000 CHF

2014-2015 Cancer Council Queensland: Characterising insulin signalling in

androgen-deprived prostate cancer cells; co-applicant, 131'000

CHF

2003-2004 Recipient of DFG international fellowship, 37'000 CHF

Publications (10 years) Google Scholar: CJtum1UAAAAJ

ORCID: 0000-0002-5267-1442

1. Aquaporin 9 induction in human iPSC-derived hepatocytes facilitates modeling of ornithine transcarbamylase deficiency. Laemmle A, Poms M, Hsu B, Borsuk M, Rüfenacht V, Robinson J, Sadowski MC, Nuoffer JM, Häberle J, Willenbring H. Hepatology. 2021 Nov 16. doi: 10.1002/hep.32247.

- 2. Isomer-Resolved Imaging of Prostate Cancer Tissues Reveals Specific Lipid Unsaturation Profiles Associated With Lymphocytes and Abnormal Prostate Epithelia. Young, Reuben S E; Claes, Britt S R; Bowman, Andrew P; Williams, Elizabeth D; Shepherd, Benjamin; Perren, Aurel; Poad, Berwyck L J; Ellis, Shane R; Heeren, Ron M A; Sadowski, Martin C.; Blanksby, Stephen J (2021). Frontiers in endocrinology, 12, S. 689600. Frontiers Research Foundation 10.3389/fendo.2021.689600
- 3. EZH2 Inhibition as New Epigenetic Treatment Option for Pancreatic Neuroendocrine Neoplasms (PanNENs). April-Monn, Simon Leonhard; Andreasi, Valentina; Schiavo Lena, Marco; Sadowski, Martin Carl; Kim-Fuchs, Corina; Buri, Michelle Claudine; Ketkar, Avanee; Maire, Renaud; Di Domenico, Annunziata; Schrader, Jörg; Muffatti, Francesca; Doglioni, Claudio; Partelli, Stefano; Falconi, Massimo; Perren, Aurel; Marinoni, Ilaria (2021). Cancers, 13(19) MDPI AG 10.3390/cancers13195014
- 4. Leptin antagonism inhibits prostate cancer xenograft growth and progression. Philp, Lisa K; Rockstroh, Anja; Sadowski, Martin C; Taherian Fard, Atefeh; Lehman, Melanie; Tevz,

- Gregor; Libério, Michelle S; Bidgood, Charles L; Gunter, Jennifer H; McPherson, Stephen; Bartonicek, Nenad; Wade, John D; Otvos, Laszlo; Nelson, Colleen C (2021). Endocrine-related cancer, 28(5), S. 353-375. BioScientifica Ltd. 10.1530/ERC-20-0405
- 5. Genome instability and pressure on non-homologous end joining drives chemotherapy resistance via a DNA repair crisis switch in triple negative breast cancer. Wiegmans, Adrian P; Ward, Ambber; Ivanova, Ekaterina; Duijf, Pascal H G; Adams, Mark N; Najib, Idris Mohd; Van Oosterhout, Romy; Sadowski, Martin C; Kelly, Greg; Morrical, Scott W; O'Byrne, Ken; Lee, Jason S; Richard, Derek J (2021). NAR cancer, 3(2), zcab022. Oxford University Press 10.1093/narcan/zcab022
- Apocryphal FADS2 activity promotes fatty acid diversification in cancer. Reuben S.E. Young, Andrew P. Bowman, Elizabeth D. Williams, Kaylyn D. Tousignant, Charles L. Bidgood, Venkateswara R. Narreddula, Rajesh Gupta, David L. Marshall, Berwyck L.J. Poad, Colleen C. Nelson, Shane R. Ellis, Ron M.A. Heeren, Martin C. Sadowski*, Stephen J. Blanksby* *cosenior author, Cell Rep 2021 Feb 9;34(6):108738. doi: 10.1016/j.celrep.2021.108738
- 7. Adiponectin receptor activation inhibits prostate cancer xenograft growth. Lisa K Philp, Anja Rockstroh, Melanie Lehman, **Martin C Sadowski**, Nenad Bartonicek, John D Wade, Laszlo Otvos, Colleen C Nelson. Endocrine-Related Cancer 27 (12), 711-729, 2020
- 8. Therapy-induced lipid uptake and remodeling underpin ferroptosis hypersensitivity in prostate cancer. Kaylyn D Tousignant, Anja Rockstroh, Berwyck LJ Poad, Ali Talebi, Reuben SE Young, Atefeh Taherian Fard, Rajesh Gupta, Tuo Zang, Chenwei Wang, Melanie L Lehman, Johan V Swinnen, Stephen J Blanksby, Colleen C Nelson, **Martin C Sadowski**. Cancer & Metabolism 8 (1), 1-21, 2020
- Fatty acid oxidation is an adaptive survival pathway induced in prostate tumors by HSP90 inhibition. Zeyad D Nassar, Chui Yan Mah, Margaret M Centenera, Swati Irani, Martin C Sadowski, Julia S Scott, Elizabeth V Nguyen, Shilpa R Nagarajan, Max Moldovan, David J Lynn, Roger J Daly, Andrew J Hoy, Lisa M Butler. Molecular Cancer Research 18 (10), 1500-1511, 2020
- 10. Synthesis of a Unique Psammaplysin F Library and Functional Evaluation in Prostate Cancer Cells by Multiparametric Quantitative Single Cell Imaging. Rohitesh Kumar, Charles L Bidgood, Claire Levrier, Jennifer H Gunter, Colleen C Nelson, **Martin C Sadowski**, Rohan A Davis. Journal of Natural Products 83 (8), 2357-2366, 2020
- 11. Fatty acid oxidation is an adaptive survival pathway induced in prostate tumors by HSP90 inhibition. Zeyad D Nassar, Chui Yan Mah, Margaret M Centenera, Swati Irani, Martin C Sadowski, Julia S Scott, Elizabeth V Nguyen, Shilpa R Nagarajan, Max Moldovan, David J Lynn, Roger J Daly, Andrew J Hoy, Lisa M Butler. Molecular Cancer Research 18 (10), 1500-1511, 2020
- 12. Synthesis of a Unique Psammaplysin F Library and Functional Evaluation in Prostate Cancer Cells by Multiparametric Quantitative Single Cell Imaging. Rohitesh Kumar, Charles L Bidgood, Claire Levrier, Jennifer H Gunter, Colleen C Nelson, **Martin C Sadowski**, Rohan A Davis. Journal of Natural Products 83 (8), 2357-2366, 2020
- 13. Lipid uptake is an androgen-enhanced lipid supply pathway associated with prostate cancer disease progression and bone metastasis. Kaylyn D Tousignant, Anja Rockstroh, Atefeh Taherian Fard, Melanie L Lehman, Chenwei Wang, Stephen J McPherson, Lisa K Philp, Nenad Bartonicek, Marcel E Dinger, Colleen C Nelson, Martin C Sadowski. Molecular Cancer Research 17 (5), 1166-1179, 2019
- 14. A molecular portrait of epithelial—mesenchymal plasticity in prostate cancer associated with clinical outcome. Nataly Stylianou, Melanie L Lehman, Chenwei Wang, Atefeh Taherian Fard, Anja Rockstroh, Ladan Fazli, Lidija Jovanovic, Micheal Ward, **Martin C Sadowski**, Abhishek S Kashyap, Ralph Buttyan, Martin E Gleave, Thomas F Westbrook, Elizabeth D Williams, Jennifer H Gunter, Colleen C Nelson, Brett G Hollier. Oncogene 38 (7), 913-934, 2019

- 15. Discovery of thalicthuberine as a novel antimitotic agent from nature that disrupts microtubule dynamics and induces apoptosis in prostate cancer cells. Claire Levrier, Anja Rockstroh, Brian Gabrielli, Maria Kavallaris, Melanie Lehman, Rohan A Davis, **Martin C Sadowski***, Colleen C Nelson. *co-senior author, Cell Cycle 17 (5), 652-668, 2018
- 16. Identification of gibberellic acid derivatives that deregulate cholesterol metabolism in prostate cancer cells. Folake A Egbewande, Martin C Sadowski, Claire Levrier, Kaylyn D Tousignant, Jonathan M White, Mark J Coster, Colleen C Nelson, Rohan A Davis. Journal of natural products 81 (4), 838-845, 2018
- 17. Dysregulated fibronectin trafficking by Hsp90 inhibition restricts prostate cancer cell invasion. Heather K Armstrong, Joanna L Gillis, Ian RD Johnson, Zeyad D Nassar, Max Moldovan, Claire Levrier, **Martin C Sadowski**, Mei Yieng Chin, Emma S Tomlinson Guns, Gerard Tarulli, David J Lynn, Douglas A Brooks, Luke A Selth, Margaret M Centenera, Lisa M Butler. Scientific reports 8 (1), 1-14, 2018
- 18. 6α-Acetoxyanopterine: a novel structure class of mitotic inhibitor disrupting microtubule dynamics in prostate cancer cells. Claire Levrier, **Martin C Sadowski**, Anja Rockstroh, Brian Gabrielli, Maria Kavallaris, Melanie Lehman, Rohan A Davis, Colleen C Nelson. Molecular cancer therapeutics 16 (1), 3-15, 2017
- 19. Bioactive Dihydro-β-agarofuran Sesquiterpenoids from the Australian Rainforest Plant Maytenus bilocularis. Mario Wibowo, Claire Levrier, **Martin C Sadowski**, Colleen C Nelson, Qian Wang, Jeff Holst, Peter C Healy, Andreas Hofmann, Rohan A Davis. Journal of natural products 79 (5), 1445-1453, 2016
- Cytotoxic C20 Diterpenoid Alkaloids from the Australian Endemic Rainforest Plant Anopterus macleayanus. C Levrier, MC Sadowski, CC Nelson, RA Davis. Journal of natural products 78 (12), 2908-2916, 2015
- 21. The ascidian natural product eusynstyelamide B is a novel topoisomerase II poison that induces DNA damage and growth arrest in prostate and breast cancer cells. Michelle S Liberio, Martin C Sadowski, Rohan A Davis, Anja Rockstroh, Raj Vasireddy, Melanie L Lehman, Colleen C Nelson. Oncotarget 6 (41), 43944, 2015
- 22. Advances in hormonal therapies for hormone naïve and castration-resistant prostate cancers with or without previous chemotherapy. T Pham, MC Sadowski, H Li, DJ Richard, MC d'Emden, K Richard. Experimental hematology & oncology 5 (1), 1-11, 2015
- 23. Targeting ASCT2-mediated glutamine uptake blocks prostate cancer growth and tumour development. Qian Wang, Rae-Anne Hardie, Andrew J Hoy, Michelle Van Geldermalsen, Dadi Gao, Ladan Fazli, **Martin C Sadowski**, Seher Balaban, Mark Schreuder, Rajini Nagarajah, Justin J-L Wong, Cynthia Metierre, Natalia Pinello, Nicholas J Otte, Melanie L Lehman, Martin Gleave, Colleen C Nelson, Charles G Bailey, William Ritchie, John EJ Rasko, Jeff Holst. The Journal of pathology 236 (3), 278-289, 2015
- 24. Design and synthesis of a screening library using the natural product scaffold 3-chloro-4-hydroxyphenylacetic acid. Rohitesh Kumar, **Martin C Sadowski**, Claire Levrier, Colleen C Nelson, Amy J Jones, John P Holleran, Vicky M Avery, Peter C Healy, Rohan A Davis. Journal of natural products 78 (4), 914-918, 2015
- 25. Denhaminols A–H, Dihydro-β-agarofurans from the Endemic Australian Rainforest Plant Denhamia celastroides. C Levrier, **MC Sadowski**, CC Nelson, PC Healy, RA Davis. Journal of natural products 78 (1), 111-119, 2015
- 26. Differential effects of tissue culture coating substrates on prostate cancer cell adherence, morphology and behaviour. MS Liberio, **MC Sadowski**, C Soekmadji, RA Davis, CC Nelson. PLoS One 9 (11), e112122, 2014
- 27. The fatty acid synthase inhibitor triclosan: repurposing an anti-microbial agent for targeting prostate cancer. **MC Sadowski**, RH Pouwer, JH Gunter, AA Lubik, RJ Quinn, CC Nelson. Oncotarget 5 (19), 9362, 2014

- 28. Identification of eusynstyelamide B as a potent cell cycle inhibitor following the generation and screening of an ascidian-derived extract library using a real time cell analyser. MS Liberio, **MC Sadowski**, CC Nelson, RA Davis. Marine drugs 12 (10), 5222-5239, 2014
- 29. Isolation, structure determination and cytotoxicity studies of tryptophan alkaloids from an Australian marine sponge Hyrtios sp. Shahan Khokhar, Yunjiang Feng, Marc R Campitelli, Merrick G Ekins, John NA Hooper, Karren D Beattie, **Martin C Sadowski**, Colleen C Nelson, Rohan A Davis. Bioorganic & medicinal chemistry letters 24 (15), 3329-3332, 2014
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- 31. Protein monoubiquitination and polyubiquitination generate structural diversity to control distinct biological processes. **M Sadowski**, R Suryadinata, AR Tan, SNA Roesley, B Sarcevic. IUBMB life 64 (2), 136-142, 2012