# BDR SEMINAR (Kobe & online hybrid)

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16:00-17:00

1F Auditorium, DB Building C, Kobe / Broadcast online via Zoom Zoom meeting URL will be announced on the event day by e-mail.

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### Consider the Lung as a Sensory Organ: from Single Cell to Neural Circuits

#### Summary

Our lab studies fundamental mechanisms of tissue formation, maintenance, function/dysfunction, regeneration/degeneration. We delineate the robust programs that dictate normal biology, and uncover the imperfections that initiate pathogenesis. At the center of our investigation is the lung, an organ that is vital for survival at first breath. It is the setting for many fetal, pediatric, and adult diseases that have little explanation and no cure. We use disease modeling as a starting point to make basic science discoveries in developmental biology, stem cell biology, lung-immune-neural circuit interactions.

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