Mechanisms of Axon Degeneration and Neuroprotection in Peripheral Neuropathies

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Weekly Colloquium

Billings Building Rosedale Conference Room



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Abstract

Dr. Hoke's research focuses on mechanisms of axon degeneration in models of peripheral neuropathies and identification of new drugs and pathways to prevent development of peripheral axonal degeneration. In addition, his research examines the role of Schwann cells in peripheral nerve regeneration and inherited neuropathies.



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