## PIONEERS IN BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH SEMINAR

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## Targeting Acquired Dependencies During Tumor Evolution

Extensive efforts are underway to catalog the functional dependencies that arise in tumors as a consequence of relatively static features such as tumor suppressor loss or cellular lineage. However, the dependency landscapes of tumors are not themselves static. Instead, they evolve with the disease, with some dependencies disappearing and others emerging during tumor evolution. In this talk, Dr. Wood will discuss his lab's work to define acquired dependencies arising during critical phases of tumor evolution and how therapies that leverage these dependencies can be used to shape the course of disease progression.

## FRIDAY, JUNE 6, at 11 a.m.

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