

# Vieira Lab Newsletter

# Lab Meeting Schedule 403 Salk Hall

# August 22, 2008

Vieira Samples and Populations

Presenter: Kathleen Deeley

# • September 5, 2008

Matrix Metalloproteinase Gene Variants and Cleft Lip and Palate

Presenter: Ariadne Letra

# • September 19, 2008

Clefts/Craniofacial Anomalies and Cancer Susceptibility

Presenter: Renato Menezes

#### • October 3, 2008

Genetics mapping of 1q25 in Brazilian families with aggressive periodontitis

Presenter: Flavia Martinez

#### October 17, 2008

**Studies of Palatine Rugae** 

Presenter: Alys Murdoch

#### • October 31, 2008

Zebrafish as a Model for Craniofacial Studies

Presenter: Alex Vieira

# **Recent Publications**

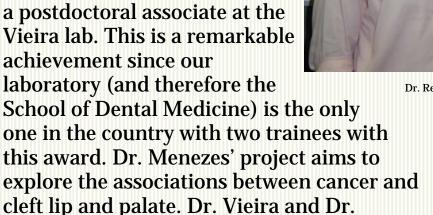
Menezes R, **Vieira AR**. Dental anomalies as part of the cleft spectrum. Cleft-Palate Craniofac J 2008; 45:414-419.

Oakley M, **Vieira AR**. The many faces of the genetics contribution to temporomandibular joint disorder. Ortho Craniofac Res 2008; 11:1215-135.

Küchler EC, Risso PA, Costa MC, Modesto A, **Vieira AR**. Studies of dental anomalies in a large group of school children. Arch Oral Biol 2008; 53:941-946.

# **Lab News**

Dr. Renato Menezes, DDS, MS, PhD has received the K99 Pathway to Independence award and joins the very selective group of post-docs in the country that received such an award. Among them is Dr. Ariadne Letra, DDS, PhD, also a postdoctoral associate at the Vieira lab. This is a remarkable achievement since our laboratory (and therefore the





Dr. Renato Menezes

# **DRDR Update**

Marazita are the mentors.

#### **Recruitment Summary**

Subjects Recruited	926
Subjects Declined	102
Compliance Rate	90.08%

#### **Recruitment Location**

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Module 1	157	Emergency Care	61	UDHS	4
Module 2	437	Oral Surgery	14	Orthodontics	16
Module 3	62	Pediatric Dentistry	21	Other	37
Module 4	55	Implant Center	14	AEGD	2
Dental Hygiene	38	Prosthodontics	4		