

Potentially Hazardous Biological Agents Risk Assessment Form (6A)

Required for research involving microorganisms, rDNA, fresh/frozen tissue (including primary cell lines, human and other primate established cell lines and tissue cultures), blood, blood products and body fluids.
SRC/IACUC/IBC approval required before experimentation.

Student's Name(s) Rachel Bocian

Title of Project A Novel Cationically Enframed High Density Aromatic Peptide, A2, Mitigates Mitochondrial Dysfunction and Promotes Cell Survival Via Reduction of ROS and Maintenance of Mitochondrial Inner Membrane Potential

To be completed by the QUALIFIED SCIENTIST/DESIGNATED SUPERVISOR in collaboration with the student researcher(s). All questions are applicable and must be answered; additional page(s) may be attached.

SECTION 1: PROJECT ASSESSMENT

1. Identify potentially hazardous biological agents to be used in this experiment. Include the source, quantity and the biosafety level risk group of each microorganism.
MDBK Bovine Kidney Cell Line (ATCC cat #: CCL-22)
2. Describe the site of experimentation including the level of biological containment
BSL-2 containment is required. A properly ventilated BSL-2 hood with UV sterilization will be used.
3. Describe the procedures that will be used to minimize risk (personal protective equipment, hood type, etc.)
Appropriate PPE will be used including: protective eye goggles; closed to shoes; lab coats; nitrile gloves; and a BSL-2 cabinet.
4. What final biosafety level do you recommend for this project given the risk assessment you conducted?
BSL-2
5. Describe the method of disposal of all cultured materials and other potentially hazardous biological agents
PRBSAs will be well be discarded in designated biohazard bins and will be routinely picked up and properly disposed of by York College Environmental Health and Safety Department

SECTION 2: TRAINING

1. What training will the student receive for this project?
Student will participate university biological and chemical training prior to beginning work in lab. Additionally, student will receive lab specific protocol training
2. Experience/training of Designated Supervisor as it relates to the student's area of research (if applicable)
Biochemist with 10+ years experience in solid state synthesis and chemical pharmacology.

SECTION 3: For ALL CELL LINES, MICROORGANISMS AND TISSUES - To be completed by the QUALIFIED SCIENTIST or DESIGNATED SUPERVISOR - Check the appropriate box(es) below:

- ☐ Experimentation on the microorganisms/cell lines/tissues to be used in this study will NOT be conducted at a Regulated Research Institution, but will be conducted at a (check one) ☐ BSL-1 or ☐ BSL-2 Laboratory. This study has been reviewed by the local SRC and the procedures have been approved prior to experimentation.
- ☐ Experimentation on the microorganisms/cell lines/tissues to be used in this study will be conducted at a Regulated Research Institution and was approved by the appropriate institutional board prior to experimentation, institutional approval forms are attached.
Origin of cell lines: _____ Date of IACUC/IBC approval: _____
- ☒ Experimentation on the microorganisms/cell lines/tissues to be used in this study will be conducted at a Regulated Research Institution, which does not require pre-approval for this type of study. The SRC has reviewed that the student received appropriate training and the project complies with RCER rules.

CERTIFICATION - To be SIGNED by the QUALIFIED SCIENTIST or DESIGNATED SUPERVISOR

The QS/DS has seen this project's research plan and supporting documentation and acknowledges the accuracy of the information provided above. This study has been approved as a (check one) ☐ BSL-1/ ☒ BSL-2 study, and will be conducted in an appropriate laboratory.

Alexander Birk

QS/DS Printed Name

Signature

7/11/19
Date of review (mm/dd/yy)

SECTION 4: CERTIFICATION - To be completed by the LOCAL or AFFILIATED FAIR SRC

The SRC has seen this project's research plan and supporting documentation and acknowledges the accuracy of the information provided above.

P. Schmitt
SRC Printed Name

Signature

1/27/2020
Date of review (mm/dd/yy)