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Dr. Richard Kaner

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Cardiac CT Scanning: An Emerging Imaging Modality in Cardiology Dr. Sion Roy, MD

Dr. Sion "Shy" Roy — a cardiologist at Harbor UCLA Hospital — is on the board of trustees for the California Medical Association (CMA) and LA County Medical Association (LACMA), vice-chair for the Santa Monica - Malibu School District Health and Safety District Advisory Committee, and a member of the SMC Bond Oversight Committee and General Advisory Board.

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Deep Sea Sediments – Archives for Ocean and Climate History

Dr. Helmut Weissert

Dr. Helmut Weissert — professor in the Department of Earth Sciences at ETH Zurich and president of the Swiss Geological Commission — will discuss his research in the fields of sedimentology, paleoclimatology, and the interaction of past climate with the evolution of the biosphere.

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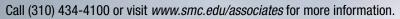
Dr. Gene Siegal, MD

Dr. Gene Siegal—Robert W. Mowry Endowed Professor of Pathology and director of the Anatomic Pathology Division at the University of Alabama at Birmingham, UAB Health System Executive Vice-Chair of Pathology, and Fellow of the Royal Society of Medicine, London — will talk about his research on bone tumors (a field where he is a recognized world authority) and related conditions, and new developments in the field of cancer biology. Sponsored by the SMC Associates *(www.smc.edu/associates)* and SMC's GRIT Program.

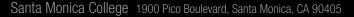
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