



CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Councillor James Pasternak

Seconded by: Councillor Mike Colle

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened by the passing of Dr. Barry Trink in March 2019.

Dr. Trink received his PhD from Bar Ilan University in Israel. He would do his post doctorate training at the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto and Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore where he would receive a faculty position.

Dr. Trink was a leading expert in cancer genetics and cloned and researched a number of novel genes including protein kinases, an isoform of the p53 homologue, p63 and a potential new oncogene for bladder cancer, PIG-U. He studied these and other related genes extensively in a number of cancers both in vitro and in vivo. Dr. Trink collaborated on work to determine the role of cold atmospheric plasma in cancer.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincerest sympathies to Dr. Trink's family.

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