The Department of Pathology invites you to meet Errol Friedberg and celebrate the contributions of Nathan Kaufman at a reception, to follow the lecture, at the University Club.



THE FIRST NATHAN KAUFMAN VISITING LECTURER

DR. ERROL C. FRIEDBERG

Dr. Friedberg is the Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology, The University of Texas Southwestern Medical School at Dallas

"Defective Nucleotide Excision, Repair And Cancer: From Man to Yeast to Mice"

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The Nathan Kaufman Lectureship

Nathan Kaufman was born in Lachine, Quebec and educated at McGill University graduating with a medical degree in 1941. He interned at the Royal Victoria Hospital and then served as a Medical Officer to a tank battalion in Western Europe and was honoured with an MBE. After 18 months as a pathology resident at the Jewish General he moved with his wife Rita to the Cleveland Metropolitan General Hospital to complete his residency. He then joined the Faculty at Case Western and quickly began a successful and satisfying career in iron metabolism research, medical education and laboratory administration. In 1967 after 7 years as a Professor at Duke University, he was persuasively recruited by Dean Harry Botterell to succeed Bob More as the Head of Pathology at Queen's.

His accomplishments here have been numerous. They include the development of the NCIC Cancer Research Unit, recruitment and nurturing of most our senior faculty, distinguished service to senior committees of the Hospital, University and the MRC, and expansion of our scholarly productivity and our residency program. During his 12 years at Queen's, Dr. Kaufman became internationally recognized for his distinguished leadership as Editor of Laboratory Investigation, President of the US-Canadian Academy of Pathology and the International Academy of Pathology. On leaving Queen's he moved to Augusta as the first full-time secretary/treasurer of the USCAP. He has been recognized by the USCAP for his numerous contributions, most recently with the annual Nathan Kaufman Timely Topics Lecture.

Through this lectureship the Department honours Nathan Kaufman's extraordinary influence in shaping the scholarly life of our department and his contribution to our specialty internationally.

Dr. Errol C. Friedberg

Dr. Errol Friedberg completed his undergraduate and medical training at the University of Witswatersrand, Johannesburg in 1961. After two years as a Registrar at Wits he emigrated to Cleveland where he completed his training in Anatomic Pathology and then quickly became integrated into the early research on DNA repair with his discovery of endonuclease II of E. Coli. He was recruited from the Walter Reed Army Institute for Research in Washington to a rejuvenated Department of Pathology at Stanford in 1971. He moved to Southwestern in 1990 as Professor and Head and occupies the Senator Betty and Dr. Andy Andujar Distinguished Chair in Pathology.

Dr. Friedberg's research has remained productively focussed on DNA repair in multiple organisms with 250 journal publications, multiple critical review articles and several books, including DNA Repair and Mutagenesis.

Dr. Friedberg's recent honours include the Rous-Whipple Award by the American Society of Investigative Pathology, for a distinguished and active career in research as a premier investigator in DNA repair, and the British Oncological Association Award Lecturer of the British Cancer Research Society. He is the Editor of Mutations Research - DNA Repair and currently holds three NIH RO1 grants on DNA repair.