The DKFZ Alumni Association

During your time at the DKFZ you will have established contacts with many other scientists working here. These contacts can be helpful to you later both in your scientific career and also personally. The DKFZ Alumni Association was established in 2004 to facilitate members in maintaining these contacts, to keep you up to date with news from the DKFZ and for us to hear about your news.

As a member, or former member of the DKFZ we therefore warmly invite you to join the DKFZ Alumni Association. Membership benefits are:

- **continue to belong** to the international DKFZ community
- establish long-lasting personal and scientific relationships between **current and former** scientists and staff of the DKFZ
- apply for a DKFZ Alumni email address **your.name@alumni.dkfz.de**
- be listed in the DKFZ Alumni **membership directory** which will enable you to communicate with the other DKFZ Alumni members around the world
- receive information about the current scientific activities, press releases and publications of the DKFZ through the **Alumni newsletters** and other news
- **Meet** other DKFZ current members and alumni at
  - biannual **Alumni General Meetings** at the DKFZ, including free Welcome Dinner and Social Activities; Travel grants for foreigners, e.g. DAAD
  - smaller groups in the context of large **scientific meetings** e.g. AACR
  - **International get-togethers** in cities like Boston, San Francisco, Zürich, Copenhagen or London
  - regional **Alumni Club Heidelberg** events, where current topics in cancer research are introduced by DKFZ scientists, followed by lively discussions
  - trips to introduce current cultural and economic topics relevant to **living and working in Germany**
- **Career Development**
  - take part and/or receive information on quarterly DKFZ **career days** ([www.dkfz.de/careerday](http://www.dkfz.de/careerday))
  - advertise your **job vacancies**
  - support younger researchers in developing their scientific careers
  - find out about careers of other Alumni in our **LinkedIn group** ([www.linkedin.com/groups/DKFZ-Alumni-6534913](http://www.linkedin.com/groups/DKFZ-Alumni-6534913))

For further information about the Alumni Association, please visit [www.dkfz.de/alumni](http://www.dkfz.de/alumni) or email the administrative coordinator of the Association, Elfriede Mang at alumni@dkfz.de.

There are no formal membership fees, but your tax-deductible financial support for our activities and your benefits is always needed and most welcome.

To join the Alumni Association, please complete the online form under the following link: [http://www.dkfz.de/en/alumni/formular/applicationform.php](http://www.dkfz.de/en/alumni/formular/applicationform.php).

I look forward to welcoming you as a member of the DKFZ Alumni Association!

Prof. Dr. Manfred Schwab
Chairman of the DKFZ Alumni Association