

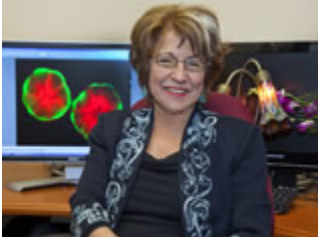


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***People:* Mina Bissell Wins American-Italian Medical Prize**



Mina Bissell, Distinguished Scientist with the Life Sciences Division, has won the American-Italian Cancer Foundation's Prize for Scientific Excellence in Medicine, which recognizes important discoveries in cancer biology, prevention, diagnosis, and/or treatment. Bissell received the prize, which includes a \$50,000 cash award, for "having changed the accepted paradigms in cancer research, for pioneering the field of Tumor Microenvironment, and for the courage to persist." She is scheduled to receive the award at the AICF's 30th anniversary meeting in New York City on November 8. She will deliver a lecture at the meeting the following day.
