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**Chronology of Education:**

1993-1997      Bachelors of Science  
University of Texas at Dallas  
Mentor: Alice J. O'Toole, Ph.D.  
Field of Study: Neuroscience

1997-2003      Doctor of Philosophy  
University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio  
Mentor: Christopher M. Flores, Ph.D.  
Field of Study: Pharmacology

2003-2004      Postdoctoral Fellow  
University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio  
Mentor: Kenneth M. Hargreaves, D.D.S., Ph.D.  
Field of Study: Pharmacology

2004-2007      Postdoctoral Fellow  
McGill University  
Mentor: Fernando Cervero, M.D., Ph.D., D.Sc.  
Field of Study: Neuroscience and Anesthesiology

Doctoral Dissertation: The Neuronal Localization and Neuromodulatory Function of Cannabinoid-Responsive Receptors in the Trigeminal  
Advisor: Christopher M. Flores, Ph.D. Associate Professor of Pharmacology

**Chronology of Employment**

2007 – 2012      Assistant Professor  
Department of Pharmacology  
College of Medicine  
University of Arizona

2012 – 2014      Associate Professor  
Department of Pharmacology  
College of Medicine  
University of Arizona

2014 – 2018      Associate Professor  
School of Behavior and Brain Sciences  
University of Texas at Dallas

2018 – present      Eugene McDermott Professor  
School of Behavior and Brain Sciences

## University of Texas at Dallas

### Honors and Awards

- College Honors List (University of Texas at Dallas), 1994 Spring, 1996 Spring and Fall.
- Nortel Scholar (University of Texas at Dallas), 1995
- Runner-up Alamo Chapter for Neuroscience poster contest, 1999
- Committee for Graduate Studies UTHSCSA Student Representative, 2002-2003
- Cover Art for *Neuroscience* Vol 120(1), 2003
- McGill Pain Day Organizing Committee, 2006-2007
- Vice President, Quebec Network of Junior Pain Investigators, 2006-2007
- American Pain Society Future Leaders in Pain Research, 2006-2007
- AAAS/Science Program for Excellence in Science Award Recipient, 2007
- First Prize, McGill Anesthesia Research Day, 2007
- American Pain Society Nominating Committee (elected position), 2008-2009
- American Pain Society Basic Science SIG Co-Chair (elected position), 2009-2011
- American Pain Society John C. Liebeskind Early Career Scholar Award, 2011
- Louis J Kettel Faculty Mentor Award from Department of Surgery, 2011
- University of Texas at Dallas Buhmester Rising Star Award, 2012
- Vernon and Virginia Furrow Award for Graduate Education, University of Arizona, 2012
- Patrick D. Wall Young Investigator Award, International Association for the Study of Pain 2014
- Member, Somatosensory and Chemosensory Study Section: 2015 – 2021
- Editor in Chief – *Neurobiology of Pain*

### Service Outreach

#### *National / International*

- Member, Society for Neuroscience 1999 - present
- Member, American Pain Society 2003 - 2019
- Member, International Association for the Study of Pain 2004 - present
- Founding Member, Quebec Network of Junior Pain Investigators 2006
- Contributing Editor: *European Journal of Neuroscience*, 2008-present
- Associate Editor: *Pain*, 2008-present
- IASP small grants review panel, 2008
- Wellcome Trust Review Panel, 2009
- NIH / NIDA CEBRA study section ad hoc reviewer November 2009
- NIH / NIAAA study section ad hoc reviewer April 2010
- The Louise and Allen Edwards Foundation (Montreal) grant reviewer, 2010 - present
- American Pain Society 2011 (Austin, TX) Conference Planning Committee
- American Pain Society Public Policy Committee, 2010 - present
- NIH / NIDCR SEP for RFA-DE-11-001, October 2010
- NIH / NCCAM Centers for Excellence in Pain Research Program Project, November 2010
- NIH /NIDA CEBRA study section reviewer March 2012
- NIH / NIDCR SEP March 2012
- NIH SCS Study Section Oct 2012, Jan 2014, June 2014
- NIH/NIDA CEBRA reviewer January 2013, Jan 2014, October 2014
- NIH SEP June 2013
- Academic Editor, *PLoS One*: 2012-2017

- Editorial Board, Molecular Pain: 2012-present
- Pharmacology Section Editor, European Journal of Pain: 2013-2018
- Chair of IASP Futures Task Force: 2013
- Member Organizing Committee IASP Buenos Aires 2014 Congress
- Co-chair APS Organizing Committee, Tampa 2014 Congress
- IASP Steering Committee for Strategic Plan: 2014
- Chair APS Organizing Committee, Palm Springs 2015 Congress
- IASP Committee for launch of new open access journal: Pain Reports 2015
- IASP Governance Committee 2015
- Co-chair, National Pain Strategy Transition to Chronic Pain Working Group: 2016 - 2017
- American Pain Society Board of Directors: Elected 2016 - 2019
- Associate Editor, Journal of Neuroscience, 2017 – present
- Neurobiology Section Editor, PAIN, 2018 – 2020
- Chair of Editorial Board for IASP Pain Research Forum, 2018 – 2021
- Member, AAAS 2018 - present
- Board of Directors, Migraine Research Foundation, 2019 – present
- Member, Peripheral Nerve Society 2019 - present

## **Publications / Creative Activity**

(H-index = 52 – Google Scholar)

1. **Price TJ**, O'Toole AJ, Dambach KC. (1998) A moving cast shadow diminishes the Pulfrich phenomenon. *Perception*, 27(5): 591-3.
2. O'Toole AJ, **Price TJ**, Vetter T, Bartlett JC, Blanz V. (1999) 3D shape and 2D surface textures of human faces: the role of "averages" in attractiveness and age. *Image And Vision Computing*, 18 (1): 9-19.
3. **Price TJ**, Helesic G, Parghi D, Hargreaves KM, Flores CM. (2003) Cannabinoid receptor type one (CB1) expression and distribution in the trigeminal ganglion of the rat. *Neuroscience*, 120(1): 155-62.
4. Dussor GO, Leong AS, Gracia NB, Kilo S, **Price TJ**, Hargreaves KM, Flores CM. (2003) Potentiation of Evoked CGRP Release from Oral Mucosa: A Potential Basis for the Pro-Inflammatory Effects of Nicotine. *European Journal of Neuroscience*, 18(9) 2515-26.
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6. **Price TJ**, Patwardhan A, Akopian A, Hargreaves KM, Flores CM. (2004) Modulation of trigeminal sensory neuron activity by the dual cannabinoid-vanilloid agonists anandamide (AEA), N-arachidonoyl-dopamine (NADA) and arachidonyl-2-chloroethylamide (ACEA). *British Journal of Pharmacology* 141(7) 1118-30.
7. **Price TJ**, Patwardhan A, Akopian A, Hargreaves KM, Flores CM. (2004) Cannabinoid receptor-independent actions of the aminoalkylindole cannabinoid WIN 55,212-2 on trigeminal sensory neurons. *British Journal of Pharmacology*. 142 (2) 257-66.
8. **Price TJ**, Louria MD, Candelario-Soto D, Dussor GO, Jeske NA, Patwardhan AM, Diogenes A, Trott A, Hargreaves KM, Flores CM. (2005) Treatment of trigeminal ganglion neurons in vitro with NGF, GDNF and BDNF: effects on neuronal survival, neurochemical properties and TRPV1-mediated neuropeptide secretion. *BMC Neuroscience* 6(1): 4.

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10. **Price TJ**, Cervero F, DeKonick Y (2005) Role of cation-chloride cotransporters in pain and hyperalgesia. *Current Topics in Medicinal Chemistry*. 5(6) 547-555.
11. **Price TJ**, Jeske NA, Flores CM, Hargreaves KM (2005) Pharmacological interactions between calcium/calmodulin-dependent kinase II  $\alpha$  and TRPV1 receptors in rat trigeminal sensory neurons. *Neuroscience Letters*. 389(2) 94-8.
12. **Price TJ**, Flores CM, Cervero F, Hargreaves KM (2006). The RNA binding and transport proteins stau68 and fragile X mental retardation protein are expressed by rat primary afferent neurons and localize to peripheral and central axons. *Neuroscience*. 141(4) 2107-2116.
13. Patwardhan AM, Jeske NA, **Price TJ**, Akopian AN, Hargreaves KM (2006) The cannabinoid WIN 55,212 inhibits transient receptor potential vanilloid 1 (TRPV1) and evokes peripheral antihyperalgesia via calcineurin. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (USA)*. 103(30) 11393-8.
14. **Price TJ**, Hargreaves KM, Cervero F (2006) Protein expression and mRNA cellular distribution of the NKCC1 cotransporter in the dorsal root and trigeminal ganglia of the rat. *Brain Research*. 1112(1) 146-158.
15. Jeske NA, Patwardhan AM, Gamper N, **Price TJ**, Akopian AN, Hargreaves KM. (2006) Cannabinoid WIN 55,212-2 regulated TRPV1 phosphorylation in sensory neurons. *Journal of Biological Chemistry*. 281(43) 32879-32890.
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17. Pitcher MH, **Price TJ**, Entrena JM, Cervero F. (2007) Spinal NKCC1 blockade inhibits TRPV1-dependent referred allodynia. *Molecular Pain*. 3(17).
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19. **Price TJ**, Cervero F, Gold MS, Hammond DL, Prescott SA. (2009) Chloride regulation in the pain pathway. *Brain Research Reviews*. 60(1) 149-70.
20. Walczak JS, **Price TJ**, Cervero F. (2009) Cannabinoid CB1 receptors are expressed in the mouse urinary bladder and their activation modulates afferent bladder activity. *Neuroscience*. 159(3) 1154-63.
21. **Price TJ**, Geranton SM. (2009) Translating nociceptor sensitivity: the role of axonal protein synthesis in nociceptor physiology. *European Journal of Neuroscience*. 29(12) 2253-2263.
22. Porreca F and **Price TJ**. (2009) When Pain Lingers. *Scientific American Mind*. 20, 34-41.
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29. Flynn AN, Tillu DT, Asiedu MN, Hoffman J, Vagner J, **Price TJ**, Boitano S. (2011) The protease-activated receptor-2 specific agonists, 2-aminothiazol-4-yl-LIGRL and 6-aminonicotinyl-LIGRL stimulate multiple signaling pathways to induce physiological responses in vitro and in vivo. *Journal of Biological Chemistry*. 286(21) 19076-88.
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46. Melemedjian OK, Tillu DV, Asiedu MN, Mandell EK, Moy JK, Blute VM, Taylor CJ, Ghosh S, **Price TJ**. (2013) BDNF regulates atypical PKC at spinal synapses to initiate and maintain a centralized chronic pain state. *Molecular Pain*. 9(1): 12.
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54. Boitano S<sup>#</sup>, Hoffman J, Tillu DV, Asiedu MN, Zhang Z, Sherwood CL, Wang Y, Dong X, **Price TJ**<sup>#</sup>, Vagner J<sup>#</sup>. (2014) Development and evaluation of small peptidomimetic ligands to protease-activated receptor-2 (PAR<sub>2</sub>) through the use of lipid tethering. *PLoS ONE*. 9(6) e99140. <sup>#</sup> co-corresponding authors

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## Scholarly Presentations

### Symposia

1. \*Beyond the messenger: Role of translational regulation in pain processing. American Pain Society 2007 Meeting Symposia. Washington DC. May 5, 2007.
2. Defining the role of NKCC1 in nociceptive processing. International Association for the Study of Pain World Congress. Glasgow, UK. August 21, 2008.
3. Translational control as a novel mechanism of nociceptive sensitization. University of Helsinki, Finland. Federation of Neurosciences Graduate Programs Symposia. October 6, 2008. *Invited*
4. \*Translation control in pain processing. Spring Pain Research Conference. Grand Cayman Island. April 18, 2010.
5. \*Emerging role of translation control in nociceptive processing. International Association for the Study of Pain World Congress. Montreal, QC. Sept 3, 2010.
6. \*Novel treatment approaches for pain in areas of great clinical need. American Pain Society 2011 Meeting Symposia. Austin TX. May 19, 2011
7. \*The future of drug discovery for pain. American Pain Society 2011 Dinner Symposia. Austin TX. May 20, 2011
8. Novel role for PKM $\zeta$  in pain. International Association for the Study of Pain 2012 Congress Symposia. Milan, Italy. Aug 28, 2012



9. \*Targeting spinal GABAergic mechanisms to Develop Novel Analgesics. American Pain Society 2013 Meeting Symposium. New Orleans, LA. May 11, 2013.
10. \*Targeting translation control for the treatment of pain. American Pain Society 2014 Meeting Symposium. Tampa, FL. May 1, 2014
11. Descending dopaminergic control of pathological pain plasticity. Winter Conference on Brain Research. Breckenridge, CO. January 26, 2016
12. \*Descending dopaminergic circuits and D1/D5 receptors in the transition to chronic pain. American Pain Society. Austin, TX. May 12, 2016
13. Mechanisms of neuropathic pain from mice to human; from AMPK to transcriptomics. International Association for the Study of Pain. Yokohama, Japan. Sept 29, 2016
14. New mechanisms of latent pain sensitization and hyperalgesic priming: Clinical implications. American Pain Society. Pittsburgh, PA. May 19, 2017.
15. \*The pain biography: what early life injury and hyperalgesic priming teaches us about how pain becomes chronic. Neuropathic Pain Special Interest Group Meeting (NeuPSIG). Gothenburg, Sweden. June 15, 2017
16. Neuro-immune interactions driving chronic pain from mice to humans. American Pain Society. Anaheim, CA. March 5, 2018.
17. Sex differences in pain mechanisms across the lifespan. Canadian Pain Society Annual Meeting. Montreal, QC. May 23, 2018.
18. \*Next generation sequencing reveals sex-specific mechanisms of chronic pain in mice and humans. International Association for the Study of Pain. Boston, MA. Sept 13, 2018.
19. \*Pain plasticity mechanisms along the neuroaxis. Neuropathic Pain Special Interest Group Meeting. London, UK. May 10, 2019
20. Sex difference in nociceptor transcriptomes contribute to divergent prostaglandin signaling in male and female mice. National Academies of Science (US). Online. Sept 23, 2020.
21. A debate on Central and Peripheral Mechanisms of Neuropathic Pain. US Association for Study of Pain. Online. Dec 11, 2020.
22. Transcriptomic (and mostly other) findings from human DRG and spinal cord. IASP Meeting. Toronto Canada. Sept 19, 2022.
23. Basic Science Refresher Course. IASP Meeting. Toronto Canada. Sept 19, 2022.
24. \*SILENT NOCICEPTORS The answer is all in the genes – RNA sequencing on human nociceptors. IASP Meeting. Toronto Canada. Sept 20, 2022.
25. \*Using Human Molecular Neuroscience to Increase the Translational Potential of Preclinical Pain Research. IASP Meeting. Toronto Canada. Sept 21, 2022.
26. \* Pain Target Identification in Human DRG and Spinal Cord Studies. ACNP Annual Meeting. Phoenix AZ. Dec 1, 2022.

\*Symposia organizer

### Conferences

1. Axonal Plasticity, FMRP and pain. New Developments in Fragile X Syndrome: From Basic Mechanisms to Therapeutics. The Banbury Center, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, NY. April 6, 2009. *Invited*
2. IL-6-induced nociception: role of ERK – MNK – eIF4E signaling. American Pain Society Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA. May 8, 2009.

3. Decreased nociceptive sensitization in fragile X mental retardation knockout mice. The Gatlinburg Conference on Intellectual Disabilities Research. Annapolis, MD. March 19, 2010. *Invited*
4. IL-6 and NGF rapidly control gene expression in sensory neurons via signaling to translation machinery. Spring Pain Research Conference. Grand Cayman Island. April 18, 2010.
5. IL-6 and NGF rapidly control gene expression in sensory neurons via signaling to translation machinery. American Pain Society Annual Meeting. Baltimore, MD. May 8, 2010.
6. Targeting mTOR for novel opportunities for pain control. Pain Society of Oregon Annual Meeting. Portland, OR. May 21, 2010. *Invited*
7. Cytokines, growth factors and nerve injury rapidly alter gene expression in sensory neurons via mTOR and ERK signaling to elongation initiation factors. International Association for the Study of Pain World Congress. Montreal, QC. Sept 3, 2010.
8. Closing opened pain gates by regulating spinal inhibition. Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy Association Workshop on Activated Glia. Chicago, IL. Oct 9, 2010. *Invited*
9. PKM $\zeta$  maintains persistent nociceptive sensitization. American Pain Society Annual Meeting. Austin TX. May 19, 2011.
10. Maintenance mechanisms of persistent pain states. Rita Allen Foundation Scholars Meeting. Princeton, NJ. June 22, 2011. *Invited*
11. Role of PKM $\zeta$  in the maintenance of spinal nociceptive plasticity: role of brain derived neurotrophic factor (BDNF). NeuPSIG. Toronto, ON. May 24, 2013.
12. Pharmacological strategies to mitigate limitations of GABAergic modulation for the treatment of neuropathic pain. NeuPSIG. Toronto, ON, May 26, 2013.
13. Molecular mechanisms driving chronic pain: from sea slugs to memory molecules. BIT NeuroTalk. Nanjing, China. May 17, 2014.
14. Translation control of neuropathic pain. International Association for the Study of Pain World Congress. Buenos Aires, Argentina. October 8, 2014. *Invited*
15. AMPK, an emerging target for pain. Pain and Migraine Therapeutics Summit. San Francisco, California. November 5, 2014. *Invited*
16. Methylglyoxal induces the integrated stress response in nociceptors to promote diabetic neuropathic pain. Mexican Academy of Physiology Meeting. Campeche, Mexico. August 17, 2016. *Invited*
17. Neuro-immune interactions in chronic pain. Advances in Pain Management CME Conference. University of Rochester. Rochester NY. April 14, 2018. *Invited Plenary Lecture.*
18. Targeting translation regulation for the treatment of neuropathic pain. Pain Mechanisms and Therapeutics Conference. Taormina, Italy. June 6, 2018. *Invited.*
19. Nociceptor translational profiling reveals MNK1-eIF4E signaling as a novel target for treatment of neuropathic pain. American College of Neuropsychopharmacology (ACNP). Miami, FL. Dec 12, 2018. *Invited*
20. Primitive and recently evolved mechanisms driving persistent pain. Evolution of mechanisms and behavior important for pain conference. Royal Society UK. Newport Pagnell, Buckinghamshire, UK. Feb 12, 2019. *Invited*
21. Harnessing the RNA sequencing revolution to find new targets and biomarkers for pain drug discovery. Drug Discovery Re-Invented Conference. Nassau, Bahamas. Feb 21, 2019. *Invited.*
22. Mechanisms of transition to chronic pain. Challenge of Chronic Pain Meeting. Cambridge, UK. March 5, 2019. *Invited.*

23. Using Human Nerves to Identify New Pain Targets. Texas Pain Research Consortium Meeting. San Antonio, TX. Sept 13, 2019. *Invited*.
24. Sex-specific therapeutics based on gene discovery and mechanistic studies. NIH Pain Consortium. Washington DC (online webinar). June 3, 2020. *Invited*
25. Strategies and Pitfalls in Advancing Novel Analgesic Drugs. Study Group. American College of Neuropsychopharmacology. Dec 9, 2020. *Invited*.
26. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. To be at Pain Austria. Jan 30, 2021. *Invited Plenary Speaker*.
27. The impact of COVID-19 on the nervous system – thoughts on long-COVID. Canadian Pain Society Annual Meeting. April 28, 2021. *Invited*.
28. Basic Science of Sickle Cell Pain. Approaches to effective therapeutic management of pain for people with Sickle Cell Disease, NIH. July 21, 2021. *Invited*.
29. Using RNA sequencing on human peripheral nerves to understand mechanisms driving painful neuropathies. Peripheral Nerve Society Annual Meeting. June 13, 2021. *Invited*.
30. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. To Be At Pain Austria Meeting. Online. Jan 30, 2022. *Invited*.
31. Molecular characterization of the human DRG and its implications for pain therapeutic development. Acute to Chronic Pain Transitions Working Group (NIH project) Annual Scientific Meeting. Online. March 18, 2022. *Invited*.
32. Exploiting human DRG explants and spatial transcriptomics for modeling neuropathic pain. European Federation of IASP Chapters Annual Meeting. Dublin, Ireland. April 29, 2022, *Invited*.
33. Spatial transcriptomics on human DRG defines nociceptor transcriptomes and arrangement of immune cell types. United States Association for the Study of Pain annual meeting. Cincinnati, OH. May 12, 2022. *Invited*.
34. Unique pain targets and mechanisms emerging from single cell and spatial sequencing of the human DRG. Pain Mechanisms and Targets Meeting. Verona, Italy. June 3, 2022.
35. Understanding human nociceptors, their molecular makeup, functional regulation and innervation targets. FOP Forum. Dallas, TX. Nov 10, 2022. *Invited*.
36. Using Human Transcriptomics to Better Understand Headache Mechanisms. Pain and Therapeutics Summit. Washington DC. Nov 14, 2022.

### *Seminars*

1. RNA Binding Proteins in the Pain Pathway: Perspectives on RNA Transport and Local Translation. The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio. June 24, 2005. *Invited*
2. RNA Transport and Local Translation in the Peripheral Nervous System. McGill Centre for Research on Pain / Astra Zeneca Research Meeting. December 20, 2005. *Invited*
3. Translational regulation in sensory neurons and the spinal cord: Implications for pain processing. University of Arizona Health Sciences Center: Depts of Pharmacology and Physiology. February 19, 2007. *Invited*
4. Translational regulation in sensory neurons and the spinal cord: Implications for pain processing. Harvard University Medical School: Dept of Anesthesia. March 12, 2007. *Invited*
5. Translational regulation in sensory neurons and the spinal cord: Implications for pain processing. Pittsburgh University Pain Center: Neurobiology Department. March 21, 2007. *Invited*

6. Is chronic pain a memory of pain? Translational regulation in the pain pathway. University of Texas at Dallas: Dept of Brain and Behavioral Sciences. April 30, 2007. *Invited*
7. What can Self-Injurious Behavior tell us about chronic pain? University of Arizona, Department of Neurology Grand Rounds. June 27, 2008.
8. Role of NKCC1 in pain and hyperalgesia. University of Helsinki, Finland. Department of Neurosciences. October 8, 2008. *Invited*
9. What can Self-Injurious Behavior tell us about chronic pain? University of Arizona, Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds. October 22, 2008.
10. Translational control as a novel mechanism of nociceptive sensitization. Johnson and Johnson Pharmaceuticals R&D, Spring House, PA. November 13, 2008. *Invited*
11. Role of NKCC1 in Pain Processing. NeuroTherapeutics Pharma, Miami, FL. January 24, 2009. *Invited*
12. Chronic Pain: Found in Translation? Department of Pharmacology, University of Arizona Seminar Series. Tucson, AZ. March 10, 2010.
13. Translation Control of Nociceptive Sensitization. Washington University Department of Anesthesia and Washington University Pain Center Seminar Series. St. Louis, MO. Jan 18, 2011. *Invited*
14. Metformin for Neuropathic Pain. University of Arizona School of Medicine, Department of Endocrinology. Tucson, AZ. Jan 25, 2011.
15. PAR<sub>2</sub> Drug Discovery. University of Arizona School of Medicine, Department of Pharmacology. Tucson, AZ. Feb 16, 2011.
16. Translation Control of Nociceptive Sensitization. Indiana University School of Medicine, Department of Pharmacology Seminar Series. Indianapolis, IN. April 12, 2011. *Invited*
17. PKM $\zeta$  in the control of persistent pain states. University of Helsinki, Department of Biological Sciences and Neurosciences Center. Helsinki, Finland. August 30, 2011. *Invited*
18. PKM $\zeta$  in the control of persistent pain states. University of Arizona, Department of Physiology. Tucson, AZ. September 23, 2011
19. What can learning and memory mechanisms tell us about chronic pain? University of Arizona, Department of Neurosurgery. Tucson, AZ. October 5, 2011.
20. What can learning and memory mechanisms tell us about chronic pain? Veterans Administration Hospital Mental Health Division. Tucson, AZ. October 14, 2011. *Invited*
21. Maintenance Mechanisms of Nociceptive Sensitization. University of Innsbruck. Innsbruck, Austria. December 13, 2011. *Invited*
22. Protease Activated Receptor Type 2 (PAR<sub>2</sub>) Drug Discovery for the Treatment of Pain. Frontiers in Biomedical Sciences Seminar Series. University of Arizona School of Medicine. January 31, 2012.
23. Maintenance Mechanisms of Chronic Pain. Johns Hopkins University, Blaustien Pain Seminar Series. Baltimore, MD. March 9, 2012.
24. Maintenance Mechanisms of Chronic Pain. Dartmouth University, Department of Pharmacology. Hanover, NH. March 21, 2012.
25. Maintenance Mechanisms of Chronic Pain. University of Illinois, Neuroscience Program. Champaign-Urbana, IL. April 3, 2012.
26. Targeting AMPK for Chronic Pain. University of Arizona Cancer Center Collaborative Grand Rounds. Tucson, AZ. April 6, 2012.
27. Making a career of hypothesis testing. University of Texas at Dallas. Senior Launch. Dallas, TX. Sept 26, 2012

28. PKM $\zeta$  maintains chronic pain. University of Texas at Dallas. Brain and Behavior Sciences School Seminar Series. Dallas, TX. Sept 28, 2012.
29. Mechanisms of chronic pain maintenance. Gillette Children's Hospital Pain Conference. Minneapolis, MN. Nov 1, 2012
30. PAR<sub>2</sub> Drug Discovery. Theravance. San Francisco, CA. Nov 8, 2012
31. The role of atypical protein kinase Cs in maintenance of chronic pain states. University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany. March 2, 2013
32. AMPK as a novel target for pain. University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany. March 2, 2013
33. Plasticity mechanisms of chronic pain. University of Texas at Dallas. Brain and Behavioral Sciences School Seminar Series. Dallas, TX. March 22, 2013
34. Maintenance mechanisms of chronic pain. National Institutes of Health. Bethesda, MD. April 17, 2013
35. Targeting translation control mechanisms for the development of novel pain therapeutics. UTHSCSA. San Antonio, TX. October 25, 2013.
36. Maintenance mechanisms of chronic pain. University of Maryland School of Dentistry. Baltimore, MD. April 18, 2013
37. Targeting AMPK for chronic pain. MD Anderson Cancer Center. Houston, TX. July 26, 2013.
38. Targeting translation control mechanisms to Ease Pain. Pain Research Forum Webinar. January 14, 2014.
39. Targeting translation control mechanisms to alleviate chronic pain. Cornell Burke Rehabilitation Center. White Plains, NY. January 27, 2014.
40. Targeting AMPK for the alleviation of chronic pain. Rigel INC. South San Francisco, CA. February 12, 2014.
41. Mechanisms of chronic pain, from translation control to descending circuits. Gulf Coast Pain Consortium, MD Anderson Cancer Center. Houston, TX. April 4, 2014.
42. Targeting translation control for the treatment of chronic pain. University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH. April 17, 2014.
43. Mechanisms of Chronic Pain, from translation control to descending circuits. Baylor College of Dentistry, Dallas, TX. January 7, 2015.
44. Mechanisms controlling the transition to a chronic pain state. UTMB, Galveston, TX, January 28, 2015.
45. Descending Control of the Transition to a Chronic Pain State. University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY. March 4, 2015
46. Mechanisms controlling the transition to a chronic pain state. Texas Tech Health Sciences Center, Lubbock, TX. March 24, 2015.
47. Hypothalamic dopaminergic projections to the dorsal horn control the transition to chronic pain. UTSW, Division of Hypothalamic Research, Dallas, TX, July 21, 2015.
48. Translation Control of Chronic Pain. Texas Women's University, Department of Biology. Denton, TX, September 18, 2015.
49. An Update on AMPK and Pain. Rigel Pharmaceuticals, San Francisco, CA, September 6, 2015.
50. Mechanisms of the transition from acute to chronic pain. University of Calgary, Calgary, AB, Canada. February 26, 2016.
51. Targeting mRNA translation control mechanisms to understand chronic pain. Duquesne University. Department of Biology. Pittsburgh, PA, April 15, 2016.

52. Comparative transcriptomic analysis of human and mouse DRG: implications for translational research. Merck. Department of Neuroscience. West Point, PA, August 26, 2016.
53. Mechanisms of neuropathic pain; from preclinical models to human transcriptomics. University of Albany, Albany, NY, Oct 15, 2016.
54. From neuropathic pain to hyperalgesic priming to human transcriptomics: searching for novel pain targets. University of Iowa Pain Interest Group. Iowa City, IA, Nov 8, 2016.
55. Targeting pain plasticity to create next generation analgesics. Thomas Jefferson University, Department of Neuroscience. Philadelphia, PA, Dec 6, 2016.
56. Translation regulation in chronic pain: therapeutic targets and new insight from next generation sequencing. University of Maryland School of Medicine. Baltimore, MD, Feb 21, 2017.
57. Translation regulation in chronic pain: therapeutic targets and new insight from next generation sequencing. University of California San Francisco. San Francisco, CA, Mar 9, 2017.
58. Mechanisms of chronic pain: from switching circuits to human transcriptomics. University of California San Francisco. San Francisco, CA, Mar 9, 2017.
59. Translation regulation in chronic pain: therapeutic targets and new insight from next generation sequencing. University of Texas Medical Branch. Galveston, TX, Mar 21, 2017.
60. Mechanisms that promote chronic pain. University of Copenhagen. Copenhagen, Denmark, September 6, 2017.
61. Drivers and targets for neuropathic pain. Texas Tech University Health Science Center in El Paso, TX. Oct 18, 2017.
62. Mechanisms governing the transition to chronic pain. University of Connecticut Medical School and Jackson Laboratories Center for Human Genetics. Farmington, CT. Nov 30, 2017.
63. Translating Ribosome Affinity Purification (TRAP) for target identification for pain. MundiPharm. London, UK. Dec 7, 2017.
64. Translation regulation in peripheral neuropathies, from mice to humans. Duke University, Department of Anesthesia. Raleigh NC. March 15, 2018.
65. RNA-seq-based insights into neuropathic pain pathology in human DRG. Eli Lilly and Company, London, UK. March 26, 2018.
66. Sex differences in mechanisms of chronic pain. University of Minnesota, School of Veterinary Medicine. Minneapolis MN. March 28, 2018.
67. Translation regulation in neuropathic pain from mice to humans. University of Pittsburgh. Center for Pain Research. Pittsburgh PA. April 11, 2018.
68. Translation regulation in neuropathic pain from mice to humans. McGill University Frontiers in Pain Research Seminar Series. Montreal QC. May 22, 2018.
69. Translation regulation in neuropathic pain from mice to humans. Laval University CERVO Brain Research Center. Quebec City, QC. May 25, 2018.
70. Harnessing next generation sequencing for the identification of new pain targets. University of Toronto. Toronto, ON. Aug 30, 2018.
71. Harnessing next generation sequencing for the identification of new pain targets. University of Buffalo. Buffalo, NY. Oct 12, 2018.
72. Mechanisms of cognitive dysfunction in neuropathic pain. MD Anderson Cancer Center. Houston, TX. Dec 18, 2018.
73. RNA sequencing technologies reveal new mechanisms of neuropathic pain from mice to humans. Nottingham University Medical Center. Nottingham, UK. Feb 13, 2019.
74. RNA Sequencing in mice and patients and how to use these findings in neuropathic pain drug development. University College London. London, UK. May 7, 2019

75. RNA Sequencing in mice and patients and how to use these findings in neuropathic pain drug development. MundiPharma Research. Cambridge, UK. May 8, 2019
76. RNA Sequencing in mice and patients and how to use these findings in neuropathic pain drug development. University of Essen Medical School, Department of Neurology. Essen, Germany. June 25, 2019.
77. Using RNA sequencing to gain new insight into neuropathic pain mechanisms and therapeutic targets. Aachen Medical School, Department of Pharmacology and Physiology. Aachen, Germany. June 26, 2019.
78. Using RNA sequencing to gain new insight into neuropathic pain mechanisms and therapeutic targets. Grunenthal GmbH, Aachen, Germany. June 27, 2019.
79. Using RNA sequencing to identify and validate neuropathic pain mechanisms and targets. University of Kansas Medical Center, Midwest Regional Pain Interest Group Meeting, Keynote speaker. Kansas City, KS. Aug 11, 2019.
80. Using RNA sequencing to identify and validate neuropathic pain mechanisms and targets. Escient Pharmaceuticals. San Diego, CA. Aug 22, 2019.
81. Using RNA sequencing to identify and validate neuropathic pain mechanisms and targets. Michigan State Department of Physiology. East Lansing, MI. Sept 5, 2019.
82. Using RNA sequencing to identify and validate neuropathic pain mechanisms and targets. UTSW Department of Endocrinology Grand Rounds. Dallas, TX. Oct 4, 2019.
83. Using RNA sequencing to identify and validate neuropathic pain mechanisms and targets - Gunn-Lok Memorial Lecture. University of Washington Department of Anesthesia. Seattle, WA. Oct 29, 2019
84. Targeting AMPK for pain treatment. MD Anderson Department of Symptom Research. Houston, TX. Nov 14, 2019
85. Molecular profiling of the human dorsal root ganglion from organ donors to neuropathic pain patients. Medical College of Wisconsin. Milwaukee, WI. March 4, 2020.
86. Progress in identifying new pain targets from human molecular neuroscience. Grunenthal. Aachen, Germany (online webinar). May 13, 2020.
87. Human dorsal root ganglion transcriptomics for pain mechanism discovery and therapeutic development. Anabios Corporation. San Diego, CA (online webinar). May 28, 2020.
88. CGRP in chronic pain -and- developing pain targets from molecular profiling of human tissues. Lundbeck Corporation, Copenhagen, Denmark (online webinar). June 23, 2020.
89. Understanding pain mechanisms: RNA expression analysis of peripheral nervous system. Biotechne (online webinar). June 24, 2020.
90. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. Washington University St. Louis Department of Anesthesiology. Sept 17, 2020.
91. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. University of Cincinnati Department of Anesthesiology. Oct 22, 2020.
92. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. Virginia Commonwealth University Pain Center. Nov 19, 2020.
93. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. University of California San Francisco PARC Program. Dec 7, 2020.
94. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. Northwestern University Pain Center. Jan 15, 2021.
95. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. Grunenthal, Aachen Germany. March 1, 2021

96. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. University of Texas Southwestern Medical School. PMNR Dept. March 3, 2021.
97. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. University of Mexico City Medical School and CINVESTAV. March 10, 2021.
98. Molecular profiling of the human peripheral nervous system in chronic pain states. North Carolina State University School of Veterinary Medicine. March 17, 2021.
99. VISIUM profiling of the human DRG. Biogen, Boston, MA. March 19, 2021.
100. Molecular profiling of the human DRG in chronic pain states. Genentech, online seminar. May 4, 2021.
101. Molecular characterization of human nociceptors – insights into chronic pain mechanisms in patients. University of Sheffield. Sheffield, UK. October 21, 2021
102. Unraveling pain mechanisms and targets – a human molecular neuroscience approach. UTHSCSA. San Antonio, TX. October 15, 2021
103. Molecular characterization of human nociceptors – Insights into chronic pain mechanisms in patients. New Orleans, LA. Jan 20, 2022.
104. Molecular characterization of the human DRG and its implications for pain therapeutic development. 10X Genomics online seminar. April 12, 2022.
105. Unique pain targets and mechanisms emerging from single cell and spatial sequencing of the human DRG. NIH NINDS clinical research working group seminar. July 28, 2022.
106. Molecular characterization of the human DRG and its implications for pain therapeutic development. University of Minnesota Pain Interest Group. Online. April 22, 2022. *Invited*.
107. A human molecular neuroscience approach to understanding pain. UTSW O'Donnell Brain Institute. Dallas, TX. Oct 12, 2022. *Invited*.
108. Pain Target Identification in Human DRG and Spinal Cord Studies. NIH Pain Center. Bethesda, MD. Dec 8, 2022. *Invited*.

## United States Patents

1. **Price TJ**, Dussor G, Tillu D, Lian B. Topical application of AMPK activators for pharmacological prevention of chronic pain. US9,233,085B1. January 12, 2016.
2. Boitano S Vagner J, **Price TJ**. PAR2 mimetic peptides and uses thereof. WO2017173347. Oct 6, 2017.
3. Pyun D, **Price TJ**, Dussor G, Tillu D, Lian B. Methods and compositions using AMPK activators for pharmacological prevention of chronic pain. US10,016,486B1. July 10, 2018.
4. Boitano SA, Vagner J, **Price TJ**. PAR2 Mimetic Peptides and Uses Thereof. US2019/0117785A1. April 25, 2019
5. Boitano SA, Vagner J, **Price TJ**, Dussor GO. PAR3 Mimetic Peptides and Uses Thereof. US2019/0119349A1. April 25, 2019
6. **Price TJ**, Shiers SI. Inhibitor of MNK for the treatment of neuropathic pain. WO2020/237167A1. Nov 26, 2020.

## Grants and Contracts

### Federal

### ACTIVE



\*Title: Protease activated receptor type 2 targeting for migraine pain  
 \*Major Goals: The project will study the role of protease activated receptor type 2 in migraine pain using novel medicinal chemistry and genetic approaches  
 \*Status of Support: Active  
 Project Number: R01NS098826  
 Name of PD/PI: Price (Contact), Gregory Dussor, Scott Boitano and Josef Vagner mPI  
 \*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS  
 \*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas  
 Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 8/01/2017 – 4/30/2023  
 \*Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$2,831,747  
 \*Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	1.52 calendar

\*Title: Sex-specific regulation of local translation and chronic pain mechanisms in females  
 \*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to gain insight into how sex hormones influence translation regulation in nociceptors to influence sexual dimorphisms in chronic pain mechanisms  
 \*Status of Support: Active  
 Project Number: R01NS102161  
 Name of PD/PI: Price (contact) and Armen Akopian mPI  
 \*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS  
 \*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas  
 Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 04/01/2018 – 12/31/2022  
 \* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$2,539,088  
 \* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	1.52 calendar
2. 2022	1.52 calendar

\*Title: Translation Control of Pain Plasticity  
 \*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to understand how translation regulation signaling is linked to neuropathic pain with a focus on the use of cell-specific translational profiling in vivo.  
 \*Status of Support: Active  
 Project Number: R01NS065926  
 Name of PD/PI: Price  
 \*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS  
 \*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas  
 Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 03/01/2019 – 01/31/2024  
 \* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$2,699,955  
 \* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	1.52 calendar
2. 2022	1.52 calendar
3. 2023	1.52 calendar

\*Title: Extracellular mechanisms regulating synaptic function and pain plasticity

\*Major Goals: Test the hypothesis that extracellular phosphorylation of EphBs controls NMDAR clustering and function at synapses, examine the molecular mechanisms that govern these events, and determine the impact of these events in models of pain

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: R01NS111976

Name of PD/PI: Price and Matthew Dalva (Contact) MPI

\*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 09/01/2019 – 07/31/2024

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$789,905

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	0.76 calendar
2. 2022	0.76 calendar
3. 2023	0.76 calendar
4. 2024	0.76 calendar

\*Title: Novel Mechanisms Regulating Protein Interaction and Pain

\*Major Goals: Test the hypothesis that VLK is a key pain mediator linking peripheral pain signaling to NMDAR gain of function via phosphorylation of key residues on the extracellular face of EphB2. Our work will determine the mechanism mediating the VLK-EphB2-NMDAR interaction, characterize how VLK functions in neurons and in the promotion of chronic pain. It will also determine the potential for VLK-targeted biologics to reduce pain in preclinical models

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: R01NS115441

Name of PD/PI: Price and Matthew Dalva (Contact) mPI

\*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 12/15/2019 – 11/30/2024

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$788,905

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	0.76 calendar
2. 2022	0.76 calendar
3. 2023	0.76 calendar
4. 2024	0.76 calendar

\*Title: Development and optimization of MNK Inhibitors for the Treatment of Neuropathic Pain

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to develop MNK inhibitors that are optimized for the treatment of neuropathic pain and to take them through to IND enablement.

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: U44NS115692

Name of PD/PI: James Sahn

\*Source of Support: NINH/NINDS

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 09/15/2019 – 07/31/2024

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$626,866

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	0.76 calendar
2. 2022	0.76 calendar
3. 2023	0.76 calendar
4. 2024	0.76 calendar

\*Title: Anatomic, physiologic and transcriptomic mechanisms of neuropathic pain in human DRG

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to use electrophysiology and RNA sequencing on human DRG to understand causes of neuropathic pain in human patients.

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: R01NS111929

Name of PD/PI: Price and Patrick Dougherty (Contact) mPI

\*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 04/15/2020 – 02/28/2025

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$1,488,985

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	2.0 calendar
2. 2022	2.0 calendar
3. 2023	2.0 calendar
4. 2024	2.0 calendar

\*Title: Validation of Fibroblast-Derived PI16 as a Novel Target for Pain Treatment

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to describe PI16 expression in human nerves and DRG, including in diabetic neuropathy.

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: R01NS116704

Name of PD/PI: Annemieke Kavelaars

\*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 09/30/2020 – 08/31/2024

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$638,145

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	0.5 calendar
2. 2022	0.5 calendar

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
3. 2023	0.5 calendar
4. 2024	0.5 calendar

\*Title: Mechanisms of cough in M. tuberculosis transmission

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to form insights into the functions of Mtb nociceptive molecules and their host receptors in cough induction and transmission.

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: R01AI158688

Name of PD/PI: Michael Shiloh

\*Source of Support: NIH/NINDS

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 03/08/2021 – 02/28/2026

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$557,111

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	0.6 calendar
2. 2022	0.6 calendar
3. 2023	0.6 calendar
4. 2024	0.6 calendar
5. 2025	0.6 calendar

\*Title: Identifying novel therapeutic targets for chronic neck pain: RNA-sequencing in human painful atlanto-axial arthropathy

\*Major Goals: We will use RNA sequencing on joint and nerve tissues of patients with chronic and acute neck pain coupled with computational biology methods and careful patient phenotyping to examine how molecules produced in the diseased tissue drive chronic pain. Our work has the potential to reveal new molecular targets for future drug development.

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: R01AR078192

Name of PD/PI: Michele Curatolo (PI Contact), Christoph Hofstetter (MPI), Theodore Price (MPI)

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance:

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 09/01/2021 – 8/31/2026

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$1,359,571 subaward

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2022	1.0 calendar
2. 2023	1.0 calendar
3. 2024	1.0 calendar
4. 2025	1.0 calendar
5. 2026	1.0 calendar

\*Title: Site-directed RNA editing of Nav1.7 as a novel analgesic

\*Major Goals: The goal of this research project is to develop a non-addictive analgesic based on SDRE of the Nav1.7 channel that increases its permeability to K<sup>+</sup> ions

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: U19NS126038

Name of PD/PI: Joshua Rosenthal (Contact), Sulayman Dib-Hajj, Gregory Dussor, and Eli Esienberg mPI

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 09/2021 – 08/2026

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$2,691,685

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2022	0.0 calendar
2. 2023	0.75 calendar
3. 2024	0.75 calendar
4. 2025	1.0 calendar
5. 2026	1.0 calendar

\*Title: RNAscope Profiling of the Human DRG

\*Major Goals: The project looks at mRNA expression in the human DRG with a focus on targets of mutual interest

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: N/A

Name of PD/PI: Price

\*Source of Support: Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 11/07/2017 – 12/31/2022

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$278,292

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2021	0.1 calendar
2. 2022	0.1 calendar

\*Title: Testing Agreement

\*Major Goals: The advancement of translational pain research through the transcriptomic analysis of the dorsal root ganglia using cutting edge sequencing technologies.

\*Status of Support: Active

Project Number: N/A

Name of PD/PI: Price

\*Source of Support: Grunenthal GmbH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 03/01/2012 – 02/28/2023

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$181,156

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2022	0.0 calendar

\*Title: Neuromodulatory regulation of synaptic plasticity in spinal nociceptive circuits

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to understand how spinal dopamine signaling regulates nociceptive plasticity in the dorsal horn.

\*Status of Support: Pending

Project Number: 1R37NS122141-01A1

Name of PD/PI: Mark Baccei

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 04/01/2022 – 03/31/2027

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$523,710 subaward Y2-Y5

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2022	0.0 calendar
2. 2023	0.36 calendar
3. 2024	0.36 calendar
4. 2025	0.36 calendar
5. 2026	0.36 calendar

\*Title: The Joint Medical District UTSW-D FIRST Program

\*Major Goals: The objective of this project is to recruit 5 new assistant professor faculty members to UTD in the areas of bioengineering, brain science or cancer. All these new faculty members will be from a diverse background. The second objective is to build a program around this FIRST cohort that will ensure their success in developing their research careers and working through the tenure process. The third objective is for this project to lead to lasting cultural change at UTD in terms of our recruitment and retention of faculty from diverse backgrounds.

\*Status of Support: Pending

Project Number: U54CA272200-01

Name of PD/PI: Francesca Filbey

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 04/2022 – 03/2027

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$6,602,920

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2022	0.3 calendar
2. 2023	1.0 calendar
3. 2024	1.0 calendar
4. 2025	1.0 calendar
5. 2026	0.3 calendar

\*Title: Human Nociceptor and Spinal Cord Molecular Signature Center

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to create the scientific foundation that will empower pain researchers around the world to approach the problem of treating pain in a new way, deeply rooted in a fundamental understanding of the first neurons and first synapses in the human pain pathway

\*Status of Support: Pending

Project Number:

Name of PD/PI: Price (contact), Curatolo, Dougherty

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 01/2023 – 12/2027

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$11,721,221

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2023	1.8 calendar
2. 2024	1.8 calendar
3. 2025	1.8 calendar
4. 2026	1.8 calendar
5. 2027	1.8 calendar

\*Title: Impact of age, sex and injury on the subpopulations of afferents signaling temporomandibular joint and knee pain

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to use gene markers to attempt to identify similar neurons in the human DRG and TG and use this information to help characterize these cells in the in vitro models developed in the Gold lab as part of the re-join project.

\*Status of Support: Pending

Project Number:

Name of PD/PI: Michael Gold

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 09/2022 – 08/2027

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$774,140

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2023	0.2 calendar
2. 2024	0.2 calendar
3. 2025	0.2 calendar
4. 2026	0.4 calendar
5. 2027	0.4 calendar

\*Title: A role for pharmaceutical control of protease-activated receptor-2 for the treatment of asthma

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to culture DRG and nodose neurons from mice and use these tissues for RNA and protein analysis in response to allergens and PAR2 agonists. We will test the ability of PAR2 antagonists to block these effects in vitro. From these experiments we will identify gene markers to attempt to identify similar neurons in the human DRG and nodose.

\*Status of Support: Pending

Project Number:

Name of PD/PI: Scott Boitano

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 09/2022 – 08/2027

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$774,140

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2023	0.3 calendar
2. 2024	0.3 calendar

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
3. 2025	0.3 calendar
4. 2026	0.3 calendar
5. 2027	0.3 calendar

\*Title: Minimally invasive blood-spinal cord barrier modulation for therapeutic delivery in chronic pain  
 \*Major Goals: To advance a new technology with laser and nanoparticles to temporarily overcome the blood-spinal cord barrier without causing significant side effects and apply to transform the current paradigm of therapeutic delivery and treatment to chronic pain. The success of this project will permit the delivery of potentially disease-modifying therapeutics to treat high impact chronic pain.

\*Status of Support: Pending

Project Number: -

Name of PD/PI: Zhenpeng Qin

\*Source of Support: NIH

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 04/2023 – 03/2028

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$3,621,174

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2023	0.2 calendar
2. 2024	0.2 calendar
3. 2025	0.2 calendar
4. 2026	0.2 calendar
5. 2027	0.2 calendar

\*Title: Development of positive TMEM97 modulators for treating neuropathic pain

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to develop small molecules that target TMEM97/Sigma2 receptor as analgesics for neuropathic pain.

\*Status of Support: Pending

Project Number: 1 UG3 NS131304-01

Name of PD/PI: Martin (contact), Sahn, Yousuf, Price

\*Source of Support: NIH (UG3/UH3)

\*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas

Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 02/2023 – 01/2028

\* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$6,551,744

\* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2023	0.2 calendar
2. 2024	0.2 calendar
3. 2025	0.2 calendar
4. 2026	0.2 calendar
5. 2027	0.2 calendar

\*Title: New approach to treat neuropathic pain by modulating TMEM97

\*Major Goals: The goal of this project is to develop a bioassay and optimize a small molecule that targets TMEM97/Sigma2 receptor as analgesics for neuropathic pain.

\*Status of Support: Pending



Project Number: -  
 Name of PD/PI: Martin (contact), Sahn, Yousuf, Price  
 \*Source of Support: NIH (SBIR)  
 \*Primary Place of Performance: The University of Texas at Dallas  
 Project/Proposal Start and End Date: (MM/YYYY) (if available): 02/2023 – 01/2028  
 \* Total Award Amount (including Indirect Costs): \$83,165  
 \* Person Months (Calendar/Academic/Summer) per budget period.

Year (YYYY)	Person Months (##.##)
1. 2023	0.1 calendar

Completed

10/1/2000 through 9/30/2003

Individual National Research Service Award Predoctoral: NIDA  
**Peripheral Mechanisms of Cannabinoid Antinociception**  
**PI: Price**

3/2005 through 11/2007

Individual National Research Service Award Postdoctoral: NINDS  
**Cation Chloride-Cotransporters and Hyperalgesic States**  
**PI: Price**

10/2011 through 10/2016

R01 National Institutes of Health / NINDS R01NS073664  
**PAR-2 targeted drug discovery for the treatment of pain**  
**MPI: Boitano, Vagner and Price**

4/2013 through 2/2017

R01 National Institutes of Health / NIGMS R01GM102575  
**AMPK activators as a novel therapeutic for post-surgical pain**  
**MPI: Price and Dussor**

2/2015 through 2/2020

R13 National Institutes of Health / NINDS and NCCIH R13NS092293/R13AT009161  
**Young investigator travel support for the 2015 - 2020 APS annual scientific meeting**  
**PI: Price**

*State*

Completed

2/2008 through 2/2009

University of Arizona Foundation Small Grant  
**Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors as Novel Analgesics**  
**PI: Price**

*Industry*

Active

1/2018 through 6/2020

Merck

**Human DRG in situ hybridization**

**PI: Price**

Completed

8/2014 through 12/2015

Rigel Pharmaceuticals

**Complex I Inhibitors for the treatment of pain**

**MPI: Price and Dussor**

12/2010 through 12/2012

MedImmune Corporation

**Anti-NGF and –IL-6 therapies for pain**

**MPI: Price and Porreca**

*Private Foundations*

Completed

6/2009 through 5/2012

Rita Allen Foundation / American Pain Society Scholars in Pain Award

**Translation regulation as a novel paradigm for understanding nociceptor sensitization and developing analgesic targets**

**PI: Price**

5/2010 through 5/2012

IASP Scan|Design Foundation BY INGER & JENS BRUUN travel grant

**Carbonic anhydrases as novel targets for neuropathic pain**

**MPI: Price and Kaila (University of Helsinki)**

10/2006 through 11/2007

American Pain Society Future Leaders in Pain Research Award

**Role of RNA Transport and Local Translation in Nociceptive Processing**

**PI: Price**