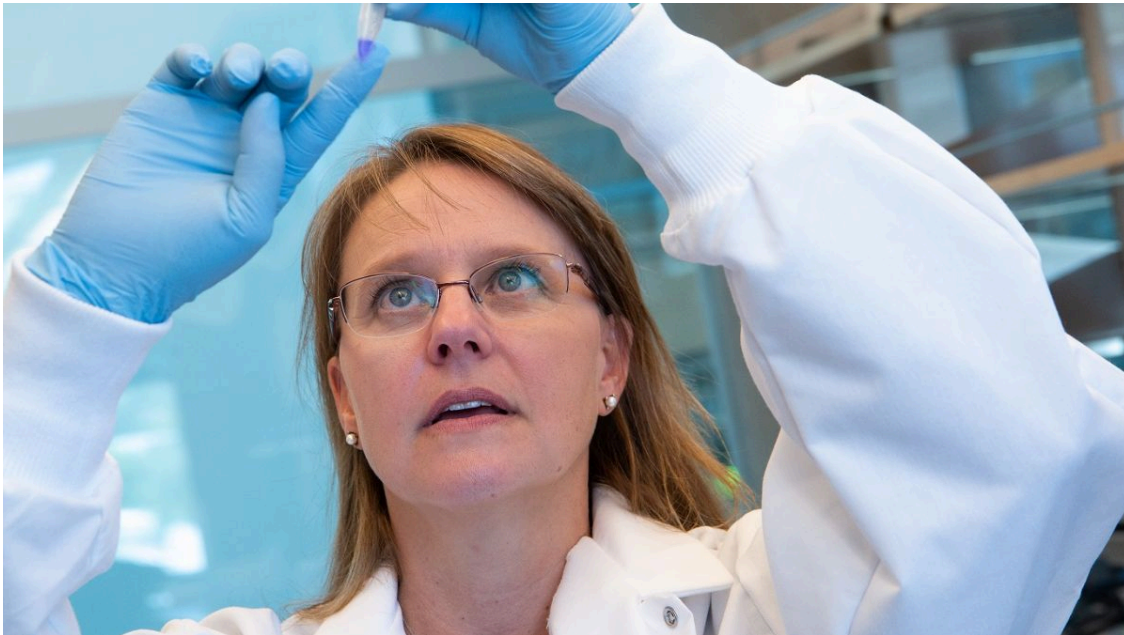


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A Matter of Megakaryocytes

University of Utah biomedical engineering assistant professor Tara Deans has discovered a simple way to isolate and enrich a rare population of immature megakaryocytes, known as megakaryocyte repopulating progenitor cells, that continue to divide as they develop into mature platelet-producing cells.

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2021 Utah BME Students Awarded Fellowships from National Science Foundation

This year, BME students at the University of Utah received three prestigious graduate fellowships and one honorable mention from the National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program (NSF GRFP).

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Weiss Receives U Research Award

Hosts Virtual Utah BME Conference

Every year, the Department of Biomedical Engineering hosts the Utah Biomedical Engineering Conference (UBEC), a multidisciplinary research meeting that assembles students and professionals from the Intermountain West dedicated to advancing the field of Biomedical Engineering. Click [here](#) to read more.



Disability Spotlight: Emily Jepsen

"Hi! My name is Emily Jepsen. I'm a graduate student in the University of Utah's BME program. I am also disabled." Graduate student Emily Jepsen shares her experiences with disability in the first installment of our Disability Spotlight series. Click [here](#) to read more.

Congratulations to University of Utah biomedical engineering professor Jeff Weiss, who was one of this year's six recipients of the prestigious Distinguished Research Award, given to U faculty members for "outstanding achievement and excellence in scholarly and creative research." Read more [here](#).



Exploring the Science of Sea Ice

"A sheet of floating Arctic or Antarctic ice probably isn't the setting in which you'd expect to find a mathematician. But that's exactly where distinguished professor Ken Golden trains students and carries out experiments." Read about adjunct professor Ken Golden's experiments in the Arctic [here](#).



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