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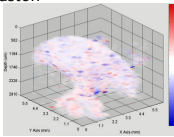



Optical coherence tomography in Developmental Biology


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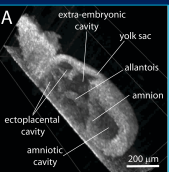

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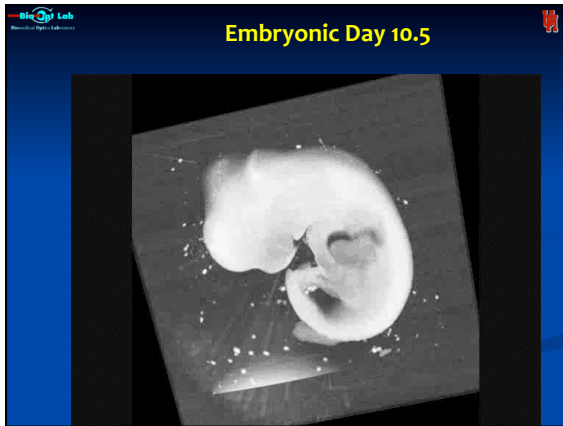


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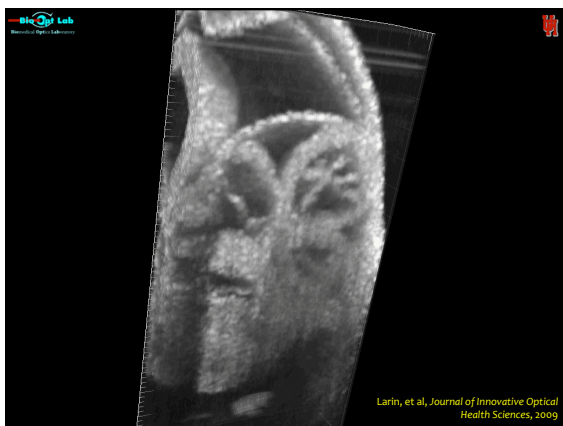



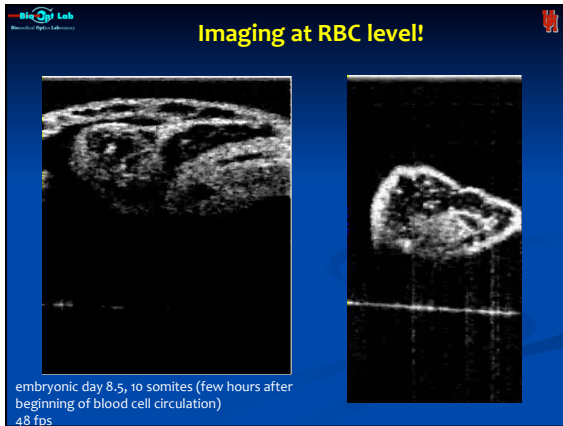
Embryonic Day 7.5

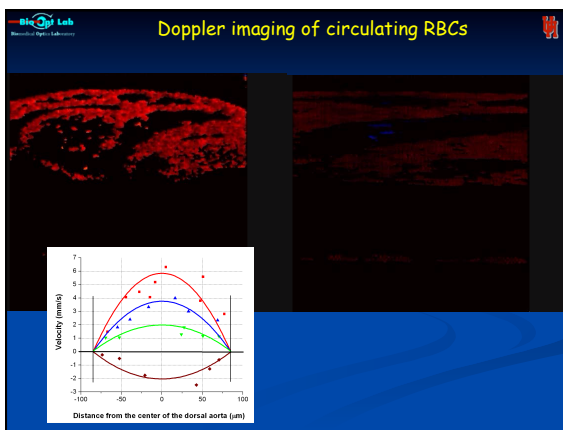



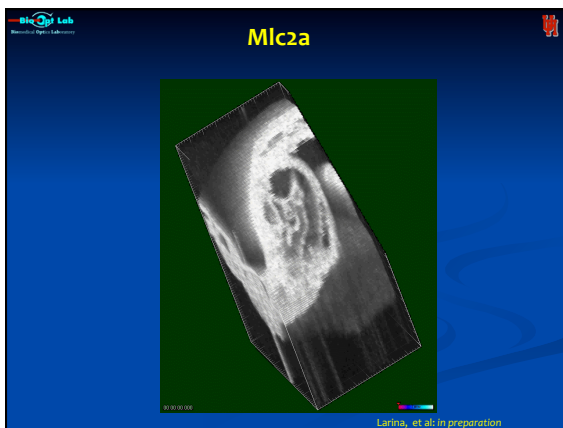













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Experimental Methods

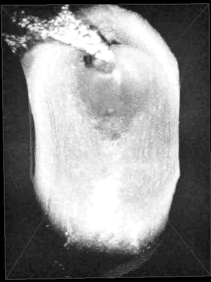
Following development in the same embryos (survival surgeries)

- Pregnant females were anesthetized with isoflurane and kept on the heating pad during the whole procedure.
- The uterine horn was exposed for imaging through an abdominal incision (about 1 to 2 cm long).
- After the imaging, the incision was stitched back.
- The procedure was repeated after 48 and 96 hours. The animal was sacrificed after the third imaging session.



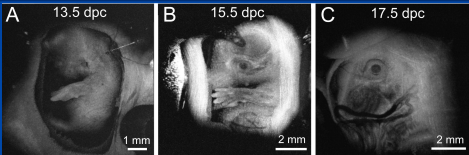
All procedures implemented were performed according to the protocol approved by IACUC (Animal Care Committee) at University of Houston.

Live mouse embryo at 15.5 dpc



Syed, et al, *Journal of Biomedical Optics*, 16, 2011.

External Embryonic Morphology

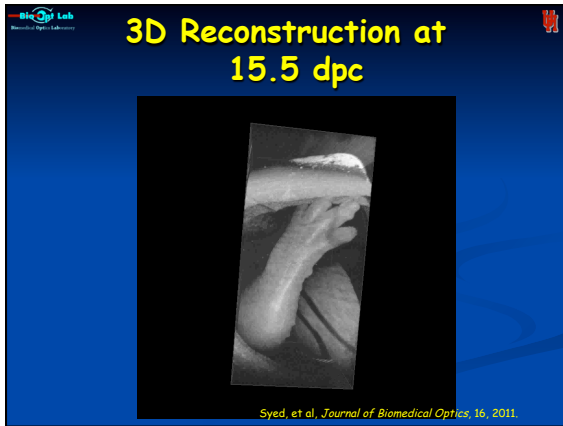


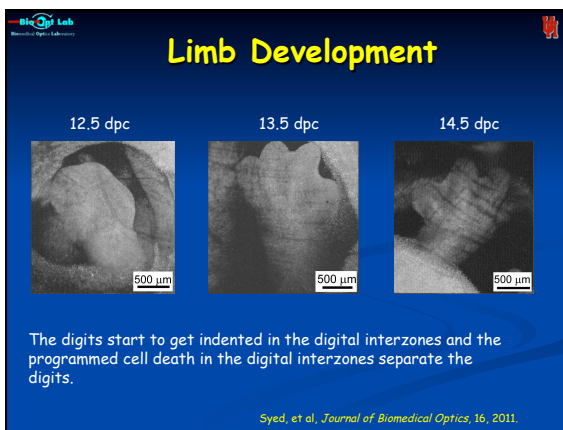
These results suggest that OCT is a potentially useful to study growth abnormalities and craniofacial defects.

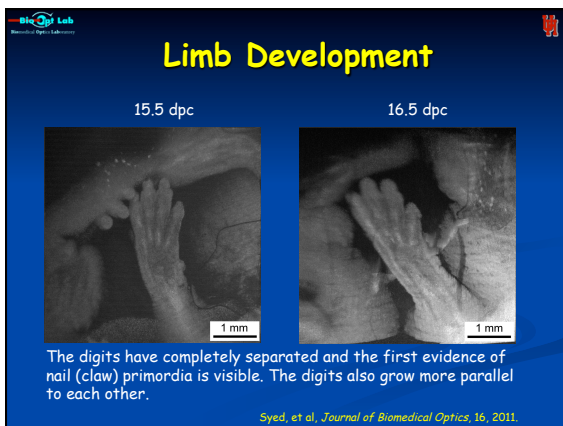
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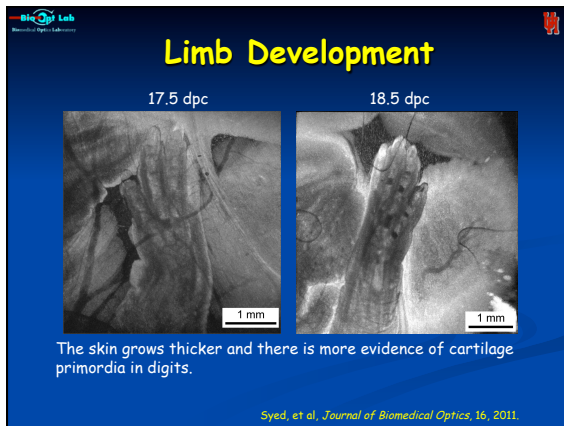
Embryonic Limb Development

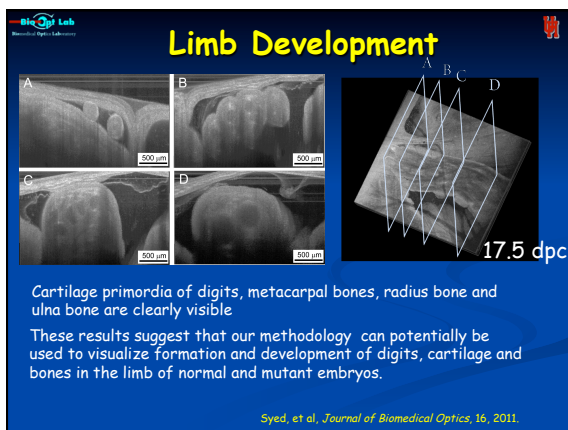
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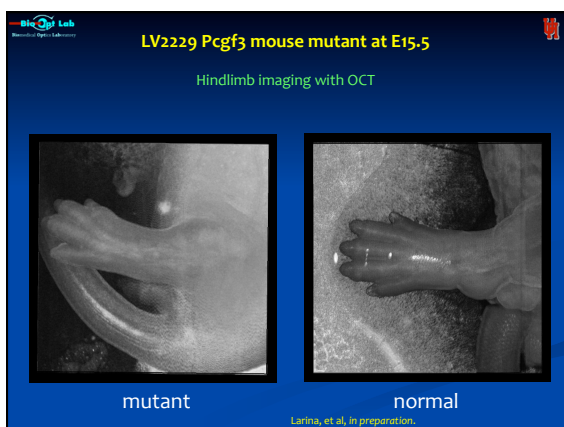


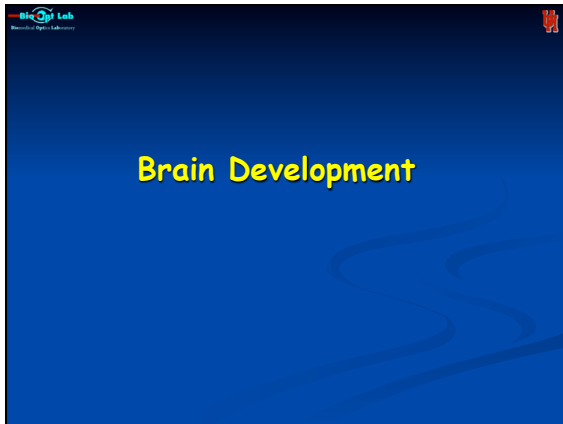


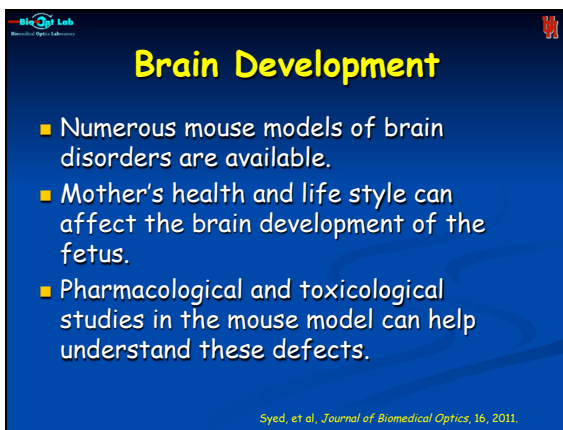


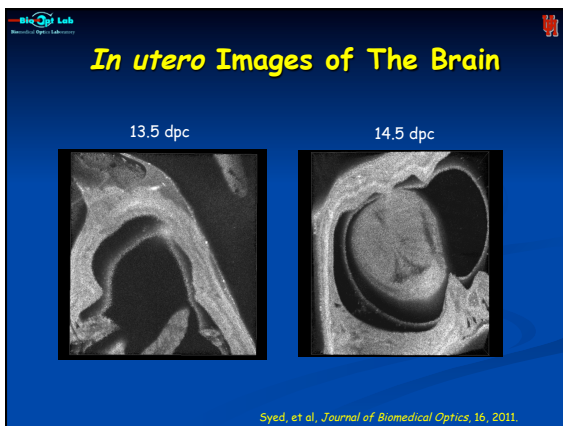


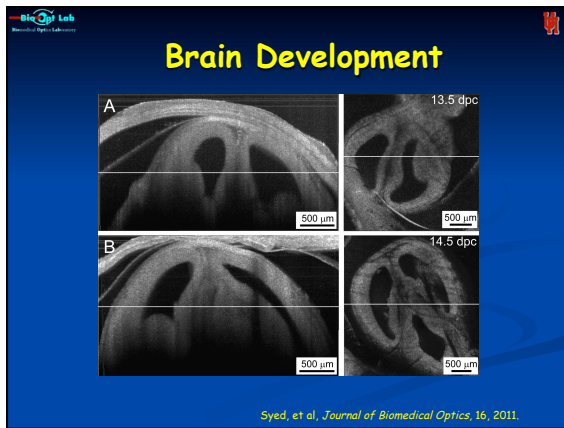


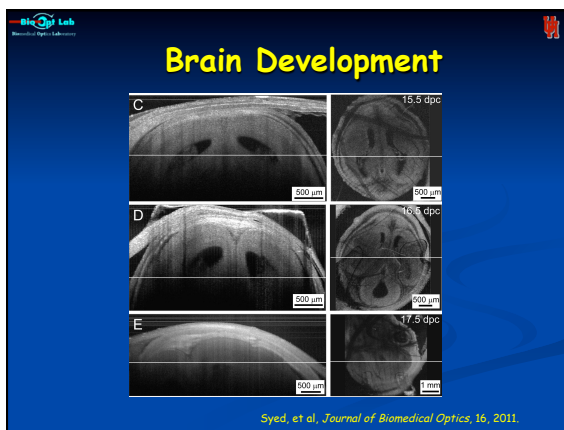


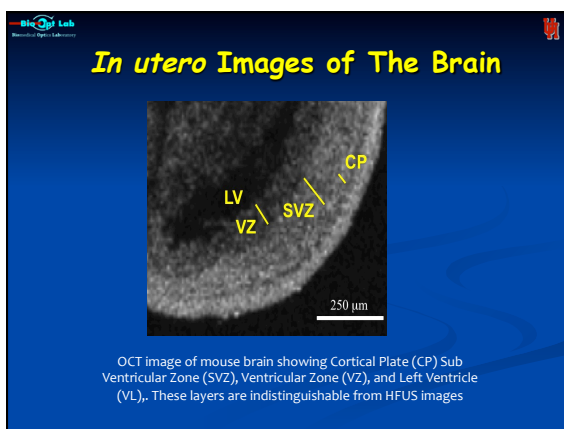


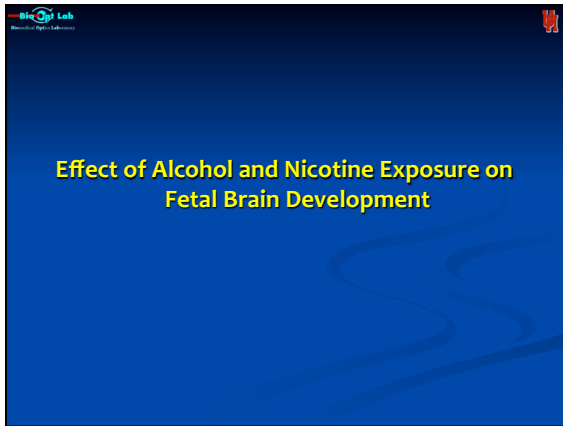


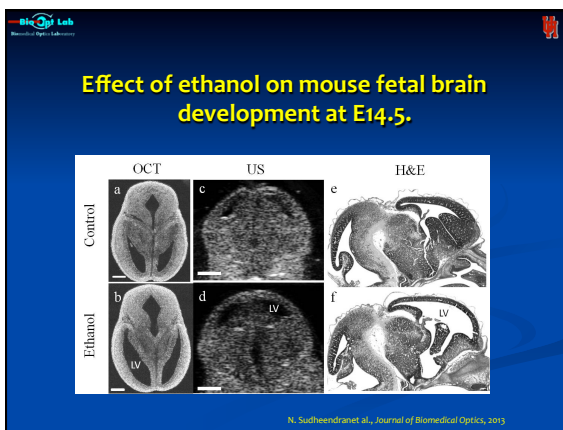


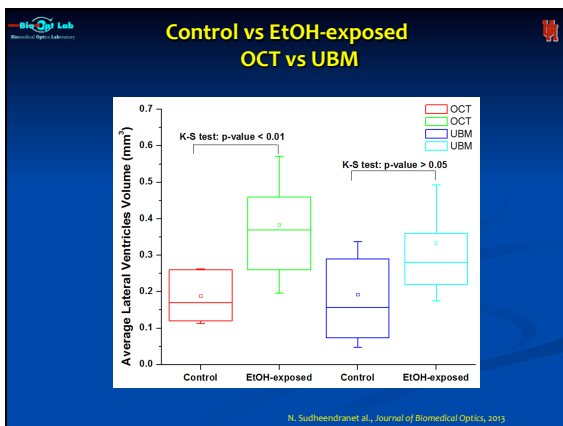


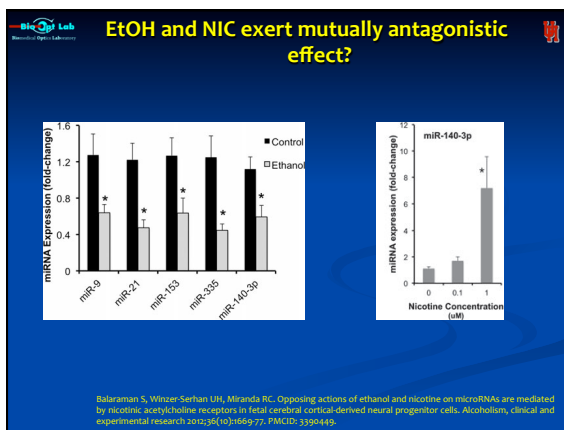
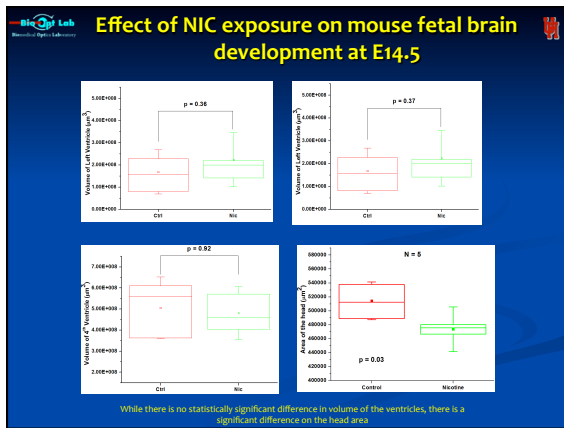










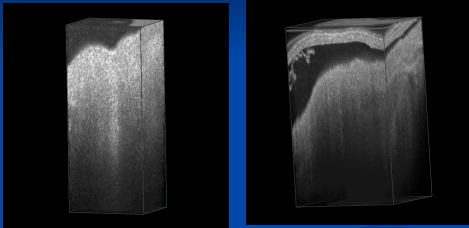


Ocular Defects

- Ocular abnormalities can affect cornea, retina or lens development and mostly related to mutations.
- Types of Ocular abnormalities
 - congenital cataract
 - microphthalmia
 - anophthalmia
 - coloboma
 - corneal opacity
 - congenital glaucoma

3D OCT Images of Embryonic Eye

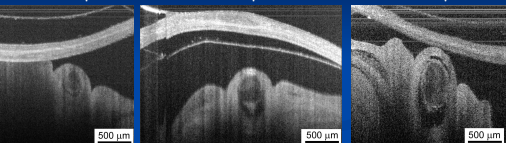
15.5 dpc 17.5 dpc



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Eye Development

12.5 dpc 13.5 dpc 14.5 dpc



The lens grows in volume along with whole eye. The cornea is separated from the lens and the upper and lower eyelid differentiate and grow.

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