Senior Project – BioPrinter

09/26/2012

GOALS FROM LAST WEEK

- Presented Flow Diagram
 - o Dr. Hall will review it and leave comments for next week.
- Electrical Safety considerations for humidifier
 - Circuits around water consideration
 - Consider: design of microenvironment
 - Design of microenvironment includes placing circuit isolated/away from water reservoir
 - Sensors for leakage

ADVANCES FROM THIS WEEK

- Crosslinking
 - Needed to create the linking where fibers have not been created
 - Does PCL need to be crosslinked?
 - Consider collagen in HCL, washing with PBS which needs to be crosslinked
 - o PPF considered but problematic
- Collagen II \$500 for 10 mL
- Sterilize before seeding
 - Ethanol PBS washes
 - 5 min –twice collagen coating
 - Autoclave
 - Ethylene oxide + residue testing not an option
- Syringe pump swivel
 - Consider designing one
 - Ones from market: >\$700
- Isolation of cells
 - o Aseptic vs sterile environment
- Produce a preliminary layer
 - Yeast, mold, or bacteria
- <10 single layer scaffold
- Have a list for materials that are borrowed from Dr. Hall
 - Figure out for budget

- Kendra will be responsible of sterilization if PCL is enough and cross linking is not necessary.

GOALS FOR NEXT WEEK

- Tangible budget /breakdown
- Testing for PCL/sterilization
- Start update of Gant Chart
- Ordering of PCL
 - o Sigma
 - Forward PDF of MSD to hall
- Ordering Arduino Mega
- Wed October 3rd at 4:30 5:30 PM meeting with Hall (safety)