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News From the Pediatric + Winship Flow Cytometry Core



- The **new Cytek EVO** has been installed and is currently undergoing testing with several major users. We anticipate opening it for general booking by the **end of January 2026**.
- **SEFCIG 2026** registration is now open—and it's happening here in Atlanta! We encourage everyone to register for the Southeast's premier cytometry conference, March 12-13th, 2026. Registration is only \$50 and includes food and drinks. **Register [here](#)** and contact ajrae@emory.edu if you are interested in presenting your cytometry work. We already have two exciting speakers from Emory lined up!
- **Cyto 2026** is coming up on June 6–10, 2026, in West Palm Beach, Florida. This is the annual meeting of the International Society for the Advancement of Cytometry (ISAC). **Click [here](#)** for more information and to register!
- Congratulations to the Pediatric + Winship Flow Cytometry Core for being an **ISAC recognized Shared Resource Laboratory (SRL)**. The SRL Recognition Program promotes sustained achievement of excellence in SRL operations and provides SRLs with acknowledgment and development opportunities. The Core was one of the first eight labs worldwide to be recognized, and it successfully renewed and met the standard for 2025-2028 cycle. **Click [here](#)** for details!

Igor Albizua-Santin, Flow Cytometry Technologist, pictured above with the new Cytek EVO, which will be ready for general booking in late January.

Happy Holidays!

As we approach the end of the year, we want to take a moment to express our heartfelt gratitude to our research community. Your engagement and enthusiasm have made this year truly meaningful. May this holiday season bring you joy and peace. We look forward to continued collaboration in the new year!

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