



Prostate Cancer Foundation
Young Investigator Forum

*25th Annual Prostate Cancer Foundation
Scientific Retreat*

PCF YOUNG INVESTIGATOR FORUM

Thursday, October 25, 2018

*La Costa Resort
Carlsbad, California*

AGENDA

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Location: Poinsettia 2 & 3

6:45 AM - 7:45 AM **Breakfast**

Location: Poinsettia 1

7:45 AM - 8:00 AM **Move to Session 1**

Location: Poinsettia 2 & 3

Welcome & Introduction

8:00 AM - 8:05 AM

Howard Soule, PhD

Prostate Cancer Foundation

Andrea Miyahira, PhD

Prostate Cancer Foundation

Session 1: Understanding Investors and How to Explain your Ideas to Them

8:05 AM - 8:35 AM

8:05 AM - 8:35 AM **Brian Halak, PhD**

WindMIL Therapeutics

8:35 AM - 8:50 AM Discussion

Session 2: Research Funding Opportunities through the Department of Defense Prostate Cancer Research Program

8:50 AM - 9:50 AM

Melissa Cunningham, PhD

Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs

9:50 AM - 10:10 AM Discussion

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Session 3: Work-Life Balance Strategies: How to Juggle it All and Not Drop the Ball

10:10 AM - 10:40 AM

Isla Garraway, MD, PhD

University of California, Los Angeles

10:40 AM - 10:55 AM Discussion

Session 4: What is it Like to be a Physician or Clinical Scientist in the Pharmaceutical World?

10:55 AM - 11:25 AM

Margaret Yu, MD

Vice President, Clinical Oncology; Global Head Prostate Cancer Portfolio at Janssen Research and Development.

11:25 AM - 11:40 AM Discussion

Group Photo

11:40 AM - 12:00 PM

Lunch

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Lunch Location: Orchid Terrace

1:00 PM - 1:15 PM **Move to Session 5**

Location: Poinsettia 2 & 3

Session 5: A Unique Path to a Unique Career

1:15 PM - 1:45 PM

Rachel Ramoni, DMD, ScD

Veterans Health Administration

1:45 PM - 2:00 PM Discussion

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Session 6: High Achieving PCF Young Investigators Publishing in Cell, Science, and Nature

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Moderator: Howard Soule, PhD
Prostate Cancer Foundation

2:00 PM - 2:10 PM

Synthetic Essentiality: Targeting Genetic Heterogeneity in Prostate Cancer

Di Zhao, PhD

University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

2:10 PM - 2:15 PM

Discussion

2:15 PM - 2:25 PM

Building a Foundation for Understanding and Curing Metastatic Bone Diseases

Charles Chan, PhD

Stanford University

2:25 PM - 2:30 PM

Discussion

2:30 PM - 2:40 PM

Structural Alterations Driving Castration-Resistant Prostate Cancer

Srinivas Viswanathan, MD, PhD

Harvard: Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

2:40 PM - 2:45 PM

Discussion

2:45 PM - 2:55 PM

Nuclear Pore Complex Regulation of Genome Functions and Stability in Prostate Cancer

Veronica Rodriguez-Bravo, PhD

Thomas Jefferson University

2:55 PM - 3:00 PM

Discussion

3:00 PM

Move to Session 7

Location: Poinsettia 1

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Session 7: PCF Young Investigator Speed Networking 5.0

3:10 PM - 5:15 PM

Location: Poinsettia 1

Moderators:

Claire Fletcher, PhD (Imperial College London)

Elena Castro, MD, PhD (Spanish National Cancer Research Centre)

Mark Preston, MD (Harvard: Brigham and Women's Hospital)

The purpose of the 'speed networking session' is to foster a sense of community between young investigators. This a great opportunity for you to get to know your fellow researchers in a relaxed and informal setting. We hope that your discussions will spark some exciting ideas and collaborations!

3:10 PM - 3:20 PM **Introduction**

3:20 PM - 3:45 PM **Speed Date 1**

3:45 PM - 4:10 PM **Speed Date 2**

4:10 PM - 4:35 PM **Speed Date 3**

4:35 PM - 5:00 PM **Speed Date 4**

5:00 PM - 5:15 PM **Conclusion**

Young Investigator Reception

5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Reception Location: Edge Pool

Young Investigator Dinner

6:15 PM - 8:00 PM

Dinner Location: Valley Promenade



Program Committee:

Program Committee Co-Chair: Howard Soule, PhD (Prostate Cancer Foundation)

Program Committee Co-Chair: Andrea Miyahira, PhD (Prostate Cancer Foundation)

Jonathan Simons, MD (Prostate Cancer Foundation)

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