



TENTATIVE PROGRAM

26-Oct-17

Keynote Session-I 08:00-12:30

Title: Hypothalamic hormones: From neuro-endocrinology to therapy of cancer and other diseases

Andrew V. Schally, University of Miami, USA

Title: Use of NQO1 bioactivatable drugs to make PARP inhibitor tumor-selective

David A. Boothman, UT Southwestern Medical Center, USA

Title: Mitochondrial polymorphisms regulate metastatic efficiency

Danny R. Welch, The Kansas University Medical Center, USA

Title: Estrogens and inflammation- New insights into the increased risk of ER+ post-menopausal breast cancer with obesity

Joyce M. Slingerland, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, USA

Title: Epigenetic approaches in cancer risk assessment and etiology

Mukesh Verma, NIH/NCI, USA

Title: TBA

Shaker A. Mousa, The Pharmaceutical research Institute, USA

Title: Clinical implications of the GALNT14-rs9679162 genotype polymorphism – A therapeutic outcome predictor for multiple gastrointestinal cancers

Chau-Ting Yeh, Liver Research Center, Chang Gung Memorial Hospital, Taiwan

Title: GPCR regulate RTK transactivation in NSCLC

Terry W. Moody, NCI Center for Cancer Research, USA

Keynote Session-II 13:30-17:00

Title: Biology of cell-free nucleic acids and their role in initiation and metastasis of cancer

Professor Indraneel (Neel) Mitra, Tata Memorial Centre, Advanced Centre for Treatment, Research & Education in Cancer (ACTREC), India

Title: TBA

Marc E. Lippman, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, USA

Title: TBA

Asher Chanan Khan , Mayo Clinic Cancer Center, USA

Title: TBA

PK Epling-Burnette, Moffit Cancer Center, USA

Title: TBA

Chellappan Srikumar, Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute, USA

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Track-A 08:00-17:00

The Cancer Cell and Cancer Microenvironment

Title: Scanning the tumor microenvironment for targetable mediators of cancer stem cell plasticity.

Mark Jackson, Case Comprehensive Cancer Center, USA

Title: Acidity as a resistance mechanism to targeted therapies in cancer

Olivier Dormond, CHUV, Switzerland

Title: Detection of tumors by PTPmu molecular imaging agents

Susann Brady Kalnay, Case Western Reserve University, USA

Title: MDM2 oncogene: A new biomarker for metastatic cancers

Appu Rathinavelu, Nova Southeastern University, USA

Title: Emerging role of HPIP signaling in cancer cell survival, EMT and metastasis under metabolic stress

Bramanandam Manavathi, University of Hyderabad, India

Title: E3 ubiquitin ligases as drug targets in human cancer

Chia-Hsin (Lori) Chan, The State University of New York at Stony Brook, USA

Title: Phgdh defines a metabolic subtype in lung adenocarcinomas with poor prognosis displaying unique metabolic dependencies

Erik Norberg, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden

Title: Evaluation of cytotoxicity of phosphoethanolamine drug toward human cancer cell lines

Herman Mansur, Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil

Title: SALL4 is an essential regulator in MLL-rearranged leukemogenesis

Jianchang Yang, Dan L Duncan Cancer Center, Baylor College of Medicine, USA

Title: Development of novel piperazine derivatives as first-in-class translation initiation inhibitors targeting the vulnerabilities of cancer

Kenneth G. Hull, Baylor University, USA

Title: Role of aging-associated genes in regulating breast cancer malignancy

LuZhe Sun, University of Texas Health Science Center, USA

Title: Epigenetic therapy for HPV-associated cancer

Natalia Issaeva, Children's Cancer Institute, Lowy Cancer Research Centre, Australia

Title: Cytoskeleton-associated proteins as targets for tumor therapy

Sabine Windhorst, University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf, Germany

Title: Anticancer activities of newer Tetraoxane analogs

Satish K. Awasthi, University of Delhi, India

Title: 1,2,3 Triazole tethered chalcone and flavone hybrids as potential cytotoxic & antimicrobial agents

Alka Agarwal, Banaras Hindu University, India

Title: TBA

Haitao Wu, NIH, USA

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Track-B 14:00-16:00

Special Session

Anticancer Drug Discovery from Mother Nature

Title: TBA

Anupam Bishayee, Larkin Health Sciences Institute, USA

Title: Targeting cancer cell metabolism by re-purposing clinically approved drugs

Sanjay Gupta, Case Western Reserve University & The Urology Institute, USA

Title: An immunomodulatory role of bitter melon extract in inhibition of head and neck squamous cell carcinoma growth

Ratna B. Ray, Saint Louis University, USA

Title: TBA

Rahul R. Deshmukh, LECOM-School of Pharmacy, USA

Title:

Deepak Bhatia, Shenandoah University, USA

Title: Targeting glioblastoma stem cells with curcumin and curcumin analogs

Regina Graham, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, USA

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Track-C 08:00-17:00

Cancer Immunology & Organ Specific Cancer

Title: Targeting the neurotransmitter receptor-driven regulation of cancer stem cells in cancer of the lungs and pancreas

Hildegard M. Schuller, College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Tennessee, USA

Title: To determine whether smoking, in any form, is a risk factor in the development of cervical cancer (CC) among urban Chinese women

Jingmei Jiang, Peking Union Medical College, China

Title: Role of dietary broiler chicken and milk in the causation of breast cancer- A study conducted in Goa, India

Roque Gabriel Wiseman Pinto, Goa Medical College, Goa University, India

Title: Role of AMPK in ovarian cancer: An immune perspective

Ramandeep Rattan, Women Health Services, Henry Ford Hospital, USA

Title: Molecular dissection of heme function in lung tumor growth and metastasis

Li Zhang, The University of Texas at Dallas, USA

Title: Disease associated sialoglycoproteins of non-small cell lung cancer

Sujata Ghosh, Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research, India

Title: Genomic profiling reveals promising therapeutic targets in breast cancer

Kim M. Hirshfield, Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey, USA

Title: Inflammatory biomarker in predicting breast cancer radiotherapy-induced early adverse skin reactions

Jennifer J. Hu, University of Miami, USA

Title: The enhancement of combination of berberine and metformin in inhibition of DNMT1 gene expression through interplay of SP1 and PDPK1 in lung cancer

Swei (Sunny) Hann, Guangzhou University of Chinese Medicine, China

Title: The role of simvastatin in inhibiting migration and proliferation of breast cancer cells through Rho/ROCK signaling pathway

Erwin Danil Yulian, University of Indonesia, Indonesia

Title: Roles of fucosylation in melanoma and breast cancer

Eric K. Lau, Moffitt Cancer Center, Florida, USA

Title: Chemotherapy-sensitizing effects of aspirin, metformin, and oseltamivir phosphate in pancreatic cancer

Bessi Qorri, Queen's University, Canada

Title: Understanding women's choice of mastectomy versus breast conserving therapy in early-stage breast cancer

Jeffrey Gu, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

Title: Comparative cytological techniques in the diagnosis of non-neoplastic and neoplastic bronchopulmonary lesions

Meenakshi Gundewar, Nkp Salve Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre, India

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