

### AGENDA

*All times listed are in EST*

#### Monday, February 22

- 11:00am-1:00pm Scientific Session 1: Novel influences on tumorigenesis and progression**  
*Chair: A. Hunter Shain, University of California, San Francisco*
- 11:00-11:10 Opening Remarks**
- 11:10-11:35 Keynote Lecture**  
**William Kaelin**, Professor of Medicine, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
- 11:35-11:45 Live Q&A
- 11:45-12:00 Hilary Coller**, Professor, Molecular, Cell and Developmental Biology, University of California, Los Angeles
- 12:00-12:10 Live Q&A
- 12:10-12:25 David Lombard**, Associate Professor of Pathology, University of Michigan  
*Oncogenic role of the SIRT5 deacylase in melanoma*
- 12:25-12:35 Live Q&A
- 12:35-12:50 Titia de Lange**, Leon Hess Professor, The Rockefeller University  
*The role of telomere crisis in acral melanoma*
- 12:50-1:00 Live Q&A
- 5:30-6:30pm Young Investigator Social Hour** *(by invitation only)*
- 6:30-7:30pm Poster Session 1**

#### Tuesday, February 23

- 9:30-10:30am Poster Session 2**
- 11:00am-1:00pm Scientific Session 2: Novel immunotherapy targets and mechanisms of immune-related adverse events**  
*Chair: Stefani Spranger, MIT*
- 11:00-11:05 Opening Remarks**
- 11:05-11:30 Keynote Lecture:**  
**Jennifer Wargo**, Professor, University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center  
*Understanding responses to cancer therapy: The tissue is the issue, the scoop is in the poop, and you are what you eat*
- 11:30-11:40 Live Q&A

- 11:40-11:55** **Pan Zheng**, Professor of Surgery, University of Maryland, Baltimore  
*Targeting innate immunity checkpoint in CD24-Siglec signaling pathway to dampen immunotherapy related adverse events (irAEs)*
- 11:55-12:05 Live Q&A
- 12:05-12:20** **John Wilson**, Assistant Professor Vanderbilt University  
12:20-12:30 Live Q&A
- 12:30-12:45** **Kai Wucherpfenning**, Chair, Cancer Immunology and Virology, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute  
*Molecular Pathways of Colon Inflammation Induced by Checkpoint Blockade*
- 12:45-12:55 Live Q&A
- 5:30-6:30pm** **Patient Advocate Social Hour – Sponsored by Mollie’s Fund** (*by invitation only*)
- 6:30-7:30pm** **Networking Roundtables Session 1**

#### Wednesday, February 24

**9:30-10:30am** **Networking Roundtables Session 2**

**11:00am-1:00pm** **Scientific Session 3: New approaches to detecting and treating melanoma**  
*Chair: Ku-Lung (Ken) Hsu, University of Virginia*

11:00-11:05 Opening Remarks

**11:05-11:30** **Keynote Lecture:**  
**Richard Marais**, Director, Cancer Research UK  
*Genetic approaches to refining melanoma treatment*

11:30-11:40 Live Q&A

**11:40-11:55** **Keiran Smalley**, Senior Member, Moffitt Cancer Centers  
*Multi-omics approaches to define the landscape of acral melanoma*

11:55-12:05 Live Q&A

12:05-12:20 **Liz Patton**, Programme Leader MRC Human Genetics Unit, University of Edinburgh  
12:20-12:30 Live Q&A

**12:30-12:45** **Allan Halpern**, Chief, Dermatology Service, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center  
*Advances and controversies in the early detection of melanoma*

12:45-12:55 Live Q&A

**1:30-2:30pm** **Moderated Panel Discussion – No patient left behind: Impact of the pandemic and new directions for clinical research in rare melanomas.** **Panelists:** Maryam Asgari, Massachusetts General Hospital, Steven Lemery, US Food and Drug Administration, Ned Sharpless, National Cancer Institute, **Moderator:** Elliott Sigal, MRA Board of Directors

