



## Digestive Diseases Research Seminar Series

*Presented by*

**Yale School of Medicine, Department of Internal Medicine, Section of Digestive Diseases**

### AASLD Liver Meeting 2017 Presentation Rehearsals

**Dongke Yu**

Cholecystectomy increases secondary bile acids in the liver and results in liver injury in male but not female mice  
(*poster*)

**Yonglin Chen**

Oxidized mtDNA induced steatohepatitis through cGAS signaling pathway (*poster*)

**Dongke Yu**

Cenicriviroc, a cytokine receptor antagonist, potentiated the effects of all-trans retinoic acid by reducing neutrophils and T cells in the liver of rodent cholestatic models (*poster*)

**Yonglin Chen**

B-hydroxybutyrate protects from alcoholic hepatitis via a Hcar2-cAMP dependent pathway (*poster*)

**David Assis**

A small molecule inhibitor of Macrophage Migration Inhibitory Factor (MIF) significantly reduces liver injury in an antigen- and liver-specific pre-clinical model of autoimmune hepatitis (AIH) (*oral*)

**David Assis**

The gut microbiome in autoimmune hepatitis links to disease progression and is significantly different from Lupus and healthy controls (*poster*)

**Udeme Ekong**

TLR 2/4 & 9 mediated Inflammasome activation drives CD14+ monocyte activation and may synergize with ER stress signaling in de novo autoimmune hepatitis (DAIH) (*oral*)

**October 10, 2017**

**TAC S-247**

**5:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

***There is no corporate support for this activity.***

This course will fulfill the licensure requirement set forth by the State of Connecticut.

#### **ACCREDITATION**

The Yale School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

#### **TARGET AUDIENCE**

Yale Medical School Faculty, Fellows, & Staff; Local GI Physicians

#### **NEEDS ASSESSMENT**

This seminar helps the Yale Digestive Disease faculty and staff rehearse and be better prepared for the posters and talks that they will be presenting at the AASLD Liver Meeting 2015, where they will be representing Yale University. This also helps to educate those not presenting, as they have a chance to learn about the material being presented, and learn ways to prepare presentations for themselves.

#### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to:

- To allow those presenting at the AASLD Liver Meeting to rehearse their presentations and get valuable feedback from other faculty and fellows to help improve their presentations.
- To allow faculty and fellows that are not presenting to learn more about the materials being presented at the Liver Meeting, and to obtain helpful tips that will assist them in preparing their own presentations in the future.
- To better prepare presenters that will be representing Yale Univ so that they will make a good impression on others attending the Liver Meeting.

#### **DESIGNATION STATEMENT**

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#### **FACULTY DISCLOSURES**

Dongke Yu – None  
Yonglin Chen – None  
David Assis – None  
Udeme Ekong – None

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