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Yale Pancreatic Cancer Summit

August 10th | 9:00am - 5:30pm

Opening Remarks

9:00 - 9:10 AM

Charles S. Fuchs, MD, MPH, Director, Yale Cancer Center; Physician-in-Chief, Smilow Cancer Hospital

GI DART Overview

9:10 - 9:15 AM

Pamela Kunz, MD, Leader of Gastrointestinal Cancers Program, Smilow Cancer Hospital and Yale Cancer Center; Associate Professor of Medicine (Oncology)

Summit Overview

9:15 - 9:20 AM

Mandar Deepak Muzumdar, MD, Assistant Professor of Genetics and Medicine (Oncology)

SESSION 1: Genetic Drivers of PDAC

9:20 - 10:50 AM

Mandar Deepak Muzumdar, MD, Assistant Professor of Genetics and Medicine (Oncology)

Dhanusha Nalawansha, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellow, Craig Crews Lab, MCDB

Anton Bennett, PhD, Dorys McConnell Duberg Professor of Pharmacology and Comparative Medicine

Luisa Escobar-Hoyos, PhD, Assistant Professor of Therapeutic Radiology

Lilian Kabeche, PhD, Assistant Professor of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry

10:50 - 11:00 AM

VIRTUAL COFFEE BREAK

SESSION 2: Altered Immunity in PDAC

11:00 - 12:30 PM

Nikhil Joshi, PhD, Assistant Professor of Immunobiology

Sidi Chen, PhD, Assistant Professor Genetics

Jason Crawford, PhD, Associate Professor of Chemistry and Microbial Pathogenesis

12:30 - 1:30 PM

VIRTUAL LUNCH BREAK

SESSION 3: Risk Factors in PDAC

Pathogenesis

1:30 - 3:00 PM

James Farrell, MBChB, Professor of Medicine; Director, Yale Center for Pancreatic Diseases

Abhijit Patel, MD, PhD, Associate Professor of Therapeutic radiology

Ryan Jensen, PhD, Associate Professor of Therapeutic Radiology and Pathology

Kevan Herold, MD, C.N.H. Long Professor of Immunobiology and Medicine (Endocrinology)

Mandar Deepak Muzumdar, MD, Assistant Professor of Genetics and Medicine (Oncology)

3:00 - 3:10 PM

VIRTUAL COFFEE BREAK

SESSION 4: Identifying New Targets in PDAC

3:10 - 4:40 PM

Jill Lacy, MD, Professor of Medicine (Oncology)

Michael Cecchini, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine (Oncology)

Jeffrey Townsend, PhD, Elihu Professor of Biostatistics and Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Smita Krishnaswamy, PhD, Assistant Professor of Genetics and Computer Science

Chen Liu, MD, PhD, Chair of Pathology; Anthony N. Brady Professor of Pathology

Gary Desir, MD, Chair of Internal Medicine; Paul B. Beeson Professor of Medicine; Vice Provost for Faculty Development and Diversity

Concluding Remarks

4:40 - 4:45 PM

Charles S. Fuchs, MD, MPH, Director, Yale Cancer Center; Physician-in-Chief, Smilow Cancer Hospital

4:45 - 5:30 PM

VIRTUAL HAPPY HOUR AND NETWORKING

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