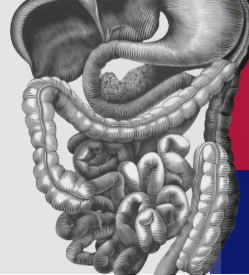


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AGENDA

- 7:30 AM – 8:10 AM **Check-In / Breakfast**
- 8:10 AM – 8:25 AM **Welcome Remarks**
Hashem B. El-Serag, M.D., M.P.H., DDC Co-Director
Jason C. Mills, M.D., Ph.D., DDC Co-Director
- 8:25 AM – 8:30 AM **Patient Advocacy & Community Outreach**
Lisa Brunet, APFED (American Partnership for Eosinophilic Disorders)
- SESSION ONE**
- 8:30 AM – 9:10 AM **“Dysregulated immunity driving tissue remodeling in eosinophilic esophagitis”**
Seema Aceves, M.D., Ph.D.
Professor, Pediatrics and Medicine
University of California San Diego, San Diego, CA
- 9:10 AM – 9:50 AM **“Spatial and temporal resolution of eosinophil specialization in allergic microenvironments”**
Julia Dunn, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor, Pediatrics-Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition
University of Colorado, Denver, CO
- 9:50 AM – 10:10 AM **“Stomach microenvironment aids in ascaris pathogenicity”**
Jill Weatherhead, M.D., Ph.D. (2021 Pilot Feasibility Awardee)
Associate Professor, Tropical Medicine & Infectious Disease
Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX
- 10:10 AM – 10:50 AM **“Deciphering the immunopathogenesis of celiac disease”**
Valerie Abadie, Ph.D.
Research Associate Professor, Department Medicine
University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine, Chicago, IL
- 10:50 AM – 11:05 AM **Coffee Break**
- SESSION TWO**
- 11:05 AM – 11:45 AM **“Crosstalk between eosinophils and macrophages controls liver regeneration after ischaemia and reperfusion injury”**
Cynthia Ju, Ph.D.
Professor, Joseph C. Gabel, M.D. Endowed Chair in Anesthesiology
University of Texas McGovern Medical School, Houston, TX
- 11:45 AM – 12:05 PM **“Do gut microbes trigger fibrosis in neonatal obstructive cholestasis?”**
Greg Guthrie, Ph.D. (2020 Pilot Feasibility Awardee)
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Children’s Nutrition Research Center
Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX
- 12:05 PM – 12:45 PM **“Beyond the gut and liver: bile acids shape peripheral immunity”**
Krupa Mysore, M.D., M.S. (2023 Pilot Feasibility Awardee)
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition
Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX
- 12:45 PM – 2:15 PM **Poster Session (boxed lunches provided)**
- 2:15 PM – 2:45 PM **Breakout Sessions (with select speakers)**
- 2:45 PM – 3:00 PM **Post Awards / Closing Remarks**
Geoffrey A. Preidis, M.D., Ph.D., Enrichment Program Director