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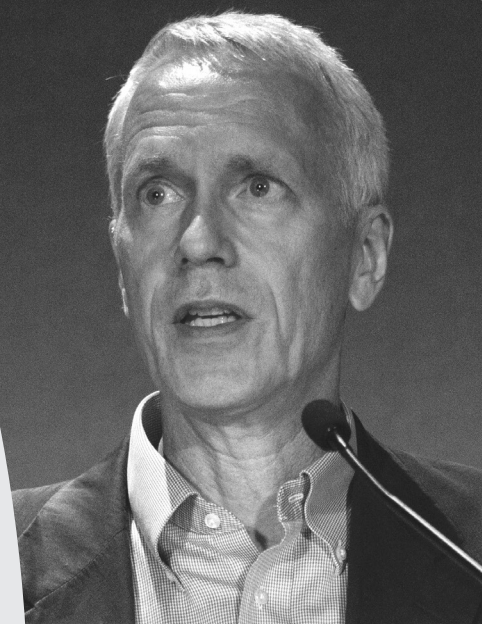
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Program at a Glance

	Sunday July 9	Monday July 10	Tuesday July 11	Wednesday July 12	Thursday July 13
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10:00 AM		10:00–11:15 AM Early Career Pre-Conference	9:45–11:00 AM Concurrent Sessions 4A: Epigenetics 4B: Stem Cell Therapies	10:00–10:30 AM Refreshment Break/Exhibits	
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11:00 AM		11:15–11:50 AM Early Career Pre-Conference Session 2: Featured Presentation	11:00 AM–Noon Concurrent Sessions 5A: Early Career Session – A “Peer” into NIH Grant Review 5B: Workshop – Emerging Omic Technologies: Bringing a New Edge to Your Science		11:00 AM–Noon General Session 15 Novel Cardiac Regulatory Mechanisms
NOON	Noon – 6:00 PM ACRE Meeting (Academy of Cardiovascular Research Excellence)	11:50 AM–12:40 PM Break/Lunch on your own	Noon–1:30 PM Lunch on your own/ Poster viewing; Exhibits	11:45 AM–1:30 PM Lunch on your own/ Poster viewing; Exhibits	Noon Adjourn
1:00 PM		12:40–1:00 PM Opening Welcome			Legend  Plenary Session  Poster Session  Meals/Breaks  Other
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3:30 PM	Pre-Meeting	3:15–4:30 PM Concurrent Sessions 2A: Novel Approaches to the Study of Cardiac Signaling and Compartmentation 2B: Mitochondrion and Heart Failure	3:15–4:30 PM Concurrent Sessions 7A: Ethics, Open Science, Reproducibility, Unconscious Bias and All That Jazz 7B: Workshop – Interacting with Big Data: Its Impact on Our Science	3:15–4:30 PM General Session 12 What Will be the “Next Best Thing” in Cardiovascular and Stroke Research Over the Next 20 Years?	
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4:30 PM		4:30–7:00 PM Poster Session 1	4:30–7:00 PM Poster Session 2	4:30–7:00 PM Poster Session 3	
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Dear Colleague,

On behalf of the American Heart Association and the Scientific Council on Basic Cardiovascular Sciences, welcome to the Basic Cardiovascular Sciences 2017 Scientific Sessions: Pathways to Cardiovascular Therapeutics.

The Basic Cardiovascular Sciences Conference has become the meeting of choice for both investigators and trainees. It is considered by many to be the premier basic and translational cardiovascular research meeting in the world, and attracts our field's best and brightest from across the globe.

The primary goal of this meeting is to provide a forum for timely discussion of the latest findings from leaders in the field of cardiovascular sciences. As a result, we hope the conference will foster new ideas and collaborations to accelerate translation.

We are pleased to announce some new programming this year, including the Early Career Pre-conference Session on Monday morning, concurrent sessions throughout the meeting to expand your educational experience, workshops and early career sessions. Attendees will hear state-of-the-art presentations on a broad array of topics, including cardiac fibrosis, cardioprotection and oxidative stress, cardiac signaling, mitochondrion and heart failure, gene therapy and novel cardiac therapeutics, sarcomere function and cardiomyopathies, epigenetics, stem cell therapies, ion channels and arrhythmias, cardiac metabolism, human cellular models for cardiac disease, RNAs and the heart, and many others. Workshop topics include emerging omic technologies, interacting with big data, and integrating omics and bioinformatics into your research. Invited speakers represent institutions from the United States, Australia, Asia, Canada and Europe as we further broaden our international scope and partnerships. In addition to the Outstanding Early Career Investigator Award competition, we will have oral presentations of selected abstracts and three lively poster sessions.

As your hosts, we hope you will find the conference an educational experience and a great opportunity to network with scientists from around the world who are dedicated to building healthier lives, free of cardiovascular diseases and stroke. Let us know if there is anything we can do to enrich your stay in Portland, and thank you for sharing your insight and expertise. We look forward to meeting you.

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Sunday, July 9

ACRE Meeting
US-Taiwan Bilateral Pre-Meeting

Skyline I (23rd Floor)
Skyline II (23rd Floor)

Monday, July 10

Exhibits
Concurrent Session A
Concurrent Session B
Early Career Pre-Conference Session
General Sessions
Poster Session
Refreshment Breaks
Registration
Speaker Resource Room

Grand Ballroom Foyer
Grand Ballroom I
Grand Ballroom II
Grand Ballroom I
Grand Ballroom
Exhibit Hall
Grand Ballroom Foyer
Galleria I
Parlor C

Tuesday, July 11

Continental Breakfast
Concurrent Session A
Concurrent Session B
Early Career Investigator Event
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Poster Session
Refreshment Breaks
Registration
Speaker Resource Room
Women in Science Breakfast

Grand Ballroom Foyer
Grand Ballroom I
Grand Ballroom II
Skyline I (23rd Floor)
Grand Ballroom Foyer
Grand Ballroom
Exhibit Hall
Grand Ballroom Foyer
Galleria I
Parlor C
Skyline II (23rd Floor)

Wednesday, July 12

Continental Breakfast
Concurrent Session A
Concurrent Session B
Concurrent Session 10B
Exhibits
General Sessions
Poster Session
Refreshment Breaks
Registration
Speaker Resource Room
Council Dinner

Grand Ballroom Foyer
Grand Ballroom I
Grand Ballroom II
Skyline II (23rd Floor)
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Grand Ballroom
Exhibit Hall
Grand Ballroom Foyer
Galleria I
Parlor C
Grand Ballroom

Thursday, July 13

Continental Breakfast
General Sessions
Refreshment Break
Registration
Speaker Resource Room

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General Information

Program Description

The 13th annual BCVS 2017 Scientific Sessions: Pathways to Cardiovascular Therapeutics has become the “go to” conference for molecular cardiovascular biology and disease. Sponsored by the American Heart Association Basic Cardiovascular Sciences Council, the conference attracts leading researchers in fields such as microRNAs, cardiac gene and cell therapy, cardiac development and most recently tissue engineering and iPS cells.

The agenda includes early career pre-conference sessions on Monday morning, followed by 20 concurrent sessions and three general sessions over 3 ½ days, all set in a forum that promotes the relaxed exchange and discussion of cutting edge research in molecular and translational cardiovascular biology and disease. The program includes a diversity of speakers representing the best cardiovascular scientists from around the world.

The organizers continue to embrace early career cardiovascular scientists by including oral abstract presentations from up-and-coming investigators throughout the program, with one session dedicated for the Young Investigator Award presentations/competition. In addition to stimulating talks, posters from submitted abstracts will be presented in three sessions.

Conference Registration

Registration will be in Galleria I, located on the Ballroom Level, and will be open during the following hours:

Monday, July 108:00 am–6:00 pm

Tuesday, July 117:00 am–6:00 pm

Wednesday, July 127:00 am–6:00 pm

Thursday, July 137:00 am–NOON

Exhibits

Beginning Monday, at 8:00 am, visit our exhibitors in the Grand Ballroom Foyer. This year we welcome:

- ACRE-APS
- AHA Membership and Journals
- American Physiological Society
- Biocytogen LLC
- Fujifilm Visual Sonics, Inc.
- Indus Instruments
- IonOptix

You can also renew your AHA membership and bring your non-member colleagues to learn the latest information about the benefits of membership. The AHA membership booth will be in the Grand Ballroom Foyer.

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of the conference, participants will be able to:

1. Discuss advances in the underlying mechanisms that contribute to pathological cardiac remodeling and development of targeted therapeutic strategies to improve outcomes for patients with CVD.
2. Evaluate the most recent evidence on the pathophysiological mechanisms underlying myocardial perfusion injury, supporting the use of cardioprotective strategies, including advances in oxidative stress-activated mechanisms in CVD pathophysiology.
3. Discuss recent advances in understanding the complex interplay between signal transduction cascades in modulating apoptotic and functional pathways (mitochondrial, ion channels, metabolism) to identify novel drug targets and preserve functional cardiac myocytes.
4. Describe current research exploring the integrated role of novel “omics” technologies and “big data” analytics that may allow for precision medicine and may improve patient outcomes by examining more holistically the pathophysiological mechanisms underlying cardiovascular function.
5. Discuss the importance of state-of-the-art clinically relevant reprogrammed human cellular and large animal model systems, including the challenges to bridge the gap between basic science and clinical application of these modalities for improving translational research and outcomes in patients with CVD.
6. Discuss challenges and issues arising regarding the pursuit of cardiovascular research, including future research directions, issues of responsibility in research and the move towards translation into clinical practice.
7. Describe recent and emerging advances into the genetic and molecular mechanisms driving cardiomyopathy and heart failure that are guiding the development of interventions such as targeted gene therapy and regenerative stem cell therapy.

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Tuesday, July 11	7:00 AM–6:00 PM	Thursday, July 13	7:00 AM–Noon

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Abstracts will be published in the October online edition of the AHA journal *Circulation Research*.

The following abstracts will be presented orally during the Early Career Pre-Conference Session 1 at 10:00–11:15 AM Monday, and as a poster during the regularly scheduled poster sessions:

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211	Ravi Shah
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Poster Abstracts

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Poster Presenters, please note the schedule below:

Poster Session 1		
Set-up time:	Monday, July 10	NOON–4:00 PM
Attended time:	Monday, July 10	4:30–7:30 PM
Tear-down time:	Tuesday, July 11	before 9:00 AM
Poster Session 2		
Set-up time:	Tuesday, July 11	NOON–4:00 PM
Attended time:	Tuesday, July 11	4:30–7:30 PM
Tear-down time:	Wednesday, July 12	before 9:00 AM
Poster Session 3		
Set-up time:	Wednesday, July 12	NOON–4:00 PM
Attended time:	Wednesday, July 12	4:30–7:30 PM
Tear-down time:	Thursday, July 13	before 9:00 AM

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Conference Highlights

Keynote Lecture



Calum A. MacRae, MD, PhD, FAHA, will present **Phenotype Discovery: The Missing Link?** at 9:30 AM Thursday, July 13. Dr. MacRae is the chief of cardiovascular medicine at Brigham and Women's Hospital and associate professor of medicine at Harvard Medical School. He is also an associate member at the Broad Institute and a principal faculty member at the Harvard Stem Cell Institute. A cardiologist, geneticist and developmental biologist, he has trained in Edinburgh, London and Boston. He came to Harvard Medical School for a fellowship in cardiovascular genetics in 1991, and continued his research training at Massachusetts General Hospital in 1996 with focus on developmental biology. He returned to Brigham and Women's in 2009 and rose to chief of cardiovascular medicine in 2014.

His research interest is in understanding the fundamental mechanisms of disease using human studies and complementary efforts combining systems level modeling with empiric high-throughput biology in the zebrafish. His lab uses automated screens in fish to define the genetic architecture of disease and to explore gene-drug (or environment) interactions through the interrogation of large-scale chemical libraries. His clinical interests include genomic medicine, innovation in phenotyping and the redesign of clinical care. Under his leadership, the Brigham cardiology team has successfully engaged in a number of innovative collaborations in cardiovascular care optimization with a wide range of industry partners.

In October 2016, Dr. MacRae became the recipient of One Brave Idea, a \$75 million, five-year research award to study coronary heart disease and its consequences. This unique team-based program is funded by the American Heart Association, Verily and Astra Zeneca. His proposal was chosen among 349 applicants from 22 countries who sought the project to identify a new approach to eradicate the No. 1 killer of Americans. His visionary approach holds promise for addressing a broad set of diseases.



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Conference Highlights – Early Career and Ticketed Events

Outstanding Early Career Investigator Award Finalists' Presentations

The three finalists will present their abstracts at 9:15 AM Wednesday, July 12. The winner will be announced Wednesday evening during the Basic Cardiovascular Sciences Council Dinner. Refer to page 16 for more information on award finalists

Early Career Pre-Conference Sessions

Join us on Monday in Grand Ballroom I for these sessions targeted for Early Career attendees:

9:45–10:00 AM

Early Career Pre-Conference Session: **Welcome Address**

10:00–11:15 AM

Early Career Pre-Conference Session 1: **"Next Best Thing" in Cardiovascular Research**

Oral Abstract Presentations

11:20–11:50 AM.

Early Career Pre-Conference Session 2 Featured Presentation: **Setting Goals and Scoring Goals: How to Balance a Career in Science and Soccer**, Pilar Alcaide, PhD, Tufts University, Boston, Massachusetts

Women in Science Breakfast

The second annual Women in Science Breakfast will begin at 7:00 AM Tuesday in Skyline II, located on the 23rd floor of the hotel. This is an informal networking breakfast for women in all phases of their careers. *Ticket required to attend.*

Council on Basic Cardiovascular Sciences Dinner

Please join us for food, drinks and entertainment at the BCVS Council Dinner on Wednesday, July 12, at 7:00 PM in the Grand Ballroom. *Tickets, if available, may be purchased at the AHA Registration Desk (\$60/member; \$85/non-member for conference registrants and their guests).*

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The council is pleased to announce the finalists and winners of the following awards:

Outstanding Early Career Investigator Award Finalists

The Outstanding Early Career Investigator Award finalists will present their abstracts during a special oral session scheduled at 1:15-2:00 PM Wednesday, July 20. The winner will be announced at the Council Dinner that evening.

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Adam R. Wende, University of Alabama	15

Cardiovascular Outreach Award Recipients

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New Investigator Travel Award Recipients

Name	Abstract/Poster Number
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Program Agenda

MONDAY

MONDAY, JULY 10

8:00 AM

Registration/Exhibits Open

Galleria I (Ballroom Level)

9:45 AM

Early Career Pre-Conference Session: Welcome Address

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Nicole H. Purcell, PhD, University of California San Diego, San Diego, California

Sakthivel Sadayappan, PhD, MBA, University of Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio

10:00-11:15 AM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Early Career Pre-Conference Session 1

"Next Best Thing" in Cardiovascular Research

Moderators:

Susmita Sahoo, PhD, Mount Sinai Icahn School of Medicine, New York, New York

Jop H. van Berlo, MD, PhD, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Oral Abstract Presentations

10:00 **Two Different Microdomains of** 464

β 1-adrenoreceptor Signaling Revealed by Live Cell Imaging

Alexander Froese, Viacheslav O. Nikolaev, University Medical Center Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany

10:15 **Causal Role of Oxidized Lipids in** 470

Pulmonary Hypertension Development

Gregoire Ruffenach, Soban Umar, Mylene Vaillancourt, Victor Grijalva, Ellen I. O'Connor, Shayan Moazeni, Christine Cunningham, Abbas Ardehali, Aman Mahajan, Srinivasa T. Reddy, Mansoureh Eghbali, Univ of California, Los Angeles, CA

10:30 **Kinase-independent Function of PI3Ky** 471

Enables ERK Activation

Maradumane L. Mohan, Arunachal Chatterjee, Swetha Ganapathy, Sromona Mukherjee, Sathyamangla V. Naga Prasad, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, Ohio

10:45 **Myocardial Hypertrophy and** 211

Circulating RNAs

Ravi V. Shah, Ravi Shah, Newburyport, Massachusetts; Olivia Ziegler, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts; Kahraman Tanriverdi, University of Mass-

Worcester, Worcester, Massachusetts; Jian Rong, Martin Larson, Framingham Heart Study, Framingham, Massachusetts; Alexander Pico, UCSF, San Francisco, California; Daniel Levy, Framingham Heart Study, Framingham, Massachusetts; Ramachandran S. Vasan, Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts; Saumya V. Das, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts; Jane Freedman, University of Mass-Worcester, Worcester, Massachusetts

11:00 **CTRP9 Regulates the Fate of Implanted** 308

Mesenchymal Stem Cells and Mobilizes Their Protective Effects against Ischemic Heart Injury via Multiple Novel Signaling Pathways

Wenjun Yan, Wayne Lau, Theodore Christopher, Bernard Lopez, Thomas Jefferson Univ, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Erhe Gao, Walter Koch, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Yajing Wang, Xinliang (Xin) Ma, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

11:15-11:50 AM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Early Career Pre-Conference Session 2 Featured Presentation

Moderator:

Nicole H. Purcell, PhD, University of California San Diego, San Diego, California

11:15 **Setting Goals and Scoring Goals: How to**

Balance a Career in Science and Soccer

Pilar Alcaide, PhD, Tufts University, Boston, Massachusetts

11:50 AM-12:40 PM

Break/Lunch on your own

12:40-1:00 PM

Grand Ballroom (Ballroom Level)

BCVS 2017 Scientific Sessions: Opening Welcome

John J. Warner, MD, MBA, UT Southwestern Medical Center University Hospitals, Dallas, Texas, and President, American Heart Association

Rongli Liao, PhD, FAHA, Brigham and Women's Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts, and Chair, Basic Cardiovascular Sciences Council

1:00-1:30 PM

Grand Ballroom Foyer

Refreshment Break/Exhibits

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MONDAY

1:30–2:45 PM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 1A

Cardiac Fibrosis

Moderators:

Donald R. Menick, PhD, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, South Carolina
Timothy A. McKinsey, PhD, University of Colorado, Aurora, Colorado

- 1:30 **Targeting Fibrosis Within and Beyond the Heart**
Burns C. Blaxall, PhD, FAHA, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, Ohio
- 1:45 **Master Regulators of Cardiac Fibroblast Activation**
Jennifer Davis, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington
- 2:00 **MMP-12 is a Post-MI Inflammation Resolution Promoting Factor**
Merry L. Lindsey, PhD, University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, Mississippi
- 2:15 **Developmental Underpinnings of Vascular Disease in Loeys-Dietz Syndrome**
Elena Gallo-MacFarlane, PhD, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 2:30 **Sprp2b Drives Proliferation of Cardiac Fibroblasts by Relieving p53-mediated Cell Cycle Inhibition**
Ryan M. Burke, Janet K. Lighthouse, Pearl J. Quijada, Ronald Dirx, Michael A. Trembley, Eric M. Small, University of Rochester, Rochester, New York

1:30–2:45 PM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 1B

Cardioprotection, Aging and Oxidative Stress

Moderators:

Chi Fung Lee, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington
Jalees Rehman, MD, FAHA, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, Illinois

- 1:30 **Nox4-mediated Cardiac Stress Responses**
Ajay Shah, MD, FMedSci, King's College Hospital, London, United Kingdom
- 1:45 **Mapping the O-GlcNAc-mediated Cytoprotective Network**
Natasha E. Zachara, PhD, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland
- 2:00 **Antioxidative Cardiokines and Their Role in Stem Cell Survival and Cardiac Repair**
Xin Ma, MD, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

- 2:15 **Cardiac Sestrin2 Signaling in Aging**
Ji Li, PhD, FAHA, University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, Mississippi

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 2:30 **MANF, A Structurally Unique Redox-Sensitive Chaperone, Restores ER Protein Folding in the Ischemic Heart**
Adrian Arrieta, Erik A. Blackwood, Winston T. Stauffer, Michelle Santo Domingo, Amber N. Pentoney, Donna J. Thuerlauf, San Diego State University, San Diego, California; Shirin Doroudgar, Department of Cardiology, Angiology, and Pneumology, University Hospital Heidelberg, Germany, San Diego, California; Christopher C. Glembotski, San Diego State University, San Diego, California

2:45–3:15 PM

Grand Ballroom Foyer

Refreshment Break/Exhibits

3:15–4:30 PM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 2A

Novel Approaches to the Study of Cardiac Signaling and Compartmentation

Moderators:

Benoit Boivin, PhD, SUNY Polytechnic Institute/CNSE, Albany, New York
Maria Kontaridis, PhD, FAHA, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, Massachusetts

- 3:15 **Local Calcium and Kinase Signaling in Cardiac Myocyte Nanodomains**
Donald M. Bers, PhD, University of California, Davis, Davis, California
- 3:30 **Compartmentation of Natriuretic Peptide Receptors and Their cGMP Signals Revealed by SICM and FRET**
Viacheslav Nikolaev, PhD, University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf, Hamburg, Germany
- 3:45 **PDE4 and mAKAP β are Nodal Organizers of β 2-ARs Nuclear PKA Signaling in Cardiac Myocytes**
Gregorie Vandecasteele, PhD, INSERM U769, Université Paris-Sud 11, Châtenay-Malabry, France
- 4:00 **The beta1-adrenergic Receptor N-terminus as a Molecular Determinant of Signaling Responses**
Susan F. Steinberg, MD, Columbia University, New York, New York

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 4:15 **Loss of Type 9 Adenylyl Cyclase Triggers Reduced Phosphorylation of Hsp20 and Diastolic Dysfunction**
Tanya A. Baldwin, Yong Li, Yan Wang, Cameron S. Brand, Carmen W Dessauer, McGovern Medical Sch at Univ of Texas Health Science Center at Houston (UTHealth), Houston, Texas

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MONDAY/TUESDAY

3:15–4:30 PM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 2B

Mitochondrion and Heart Failure

Moderators:

Jeffrey D. Molkentin, PhD, Children's Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, Ohio

Elizabeth (Tish) Murphy, PhD, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute/National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland

3:15 **Regulation of Metabolism in Individual Mitochondria During EC-Coupling**
W. Jonathan Lederer, MD, PhD, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland

3:30 **Novel Roles of CaMKII in Regulating Mitochondrial Dynamics and Energetics**
Wang Wang, MD, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

3:45 **The Cardiomyopathy of Defective Mitochondrial Fusion: Causes and Cures**
Gerald W. Dorn, MD, FACC, FAHA, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri

4:00 **ATP Citrate Lyase Links Mitochondrial Function and Protein Turnover in the Heart**
Heinrich Taegtmeyer, MD, DPhil, University of Texas Medical School, Houston, Texas

Oral Abstract Presentation

4:15 **Regulation of Mitochondrial Complex I Assembly**
Edward Owusu-Ansah, Columbia Univ, New York, NY

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4:30–7:00 PM

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Poster Session 1

TUESDAY, JULY 11

7:00 AM

Registration

Galleria I (Ballroom Level)

7:00–8:00 AM

Continental Breakfast/Exhibits

Grand Ballroom Foyer

7:00–8:00 AM

Women in Science Breakfast

Skyline II (23rd Floor)

(Registration/Ticket Required to Attend.)

8:00–9:15 AM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 3A

Gene Therapy and Novel Cardiac Therapeutics

Moderators:

Walter J. Koch, PhD, FAHA, Temple University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Toyoaki Murohara, MD, PhD, Nagoya University Graduate School of Medicine, Nagoya, Japan

8:00 **Cardiac Gene Therapy with AAV Vectors**
Thomas Weber, PhD, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, New York

8:15 **mAKAP-RSK3 Signalingosome Targeted Gene Therapy for Heart Failure**
Michael Kapiloff, MD, PhD, FAHA, Stanford University, Stanford, California

8:30 **Microvascular Maturation – Disease Modifier and Therapeutic Target**
Christian Kupatt, MD, Klinikum Grosshadern, Muenchen, Germany

8:45 **Gene Transfer to Increase Glucose Disposal in Diabetes**
H. Kirk Hammond, MD, University of California-San Diego, San Diego, California

Oral Abstract Presentation

9:00 **Restoring Nitroso-Redox Balance as a Therapeutic Approach for Cardiovascular Disease**
Vikram Shettigar, Honglan Wang, Bo Zhang, Steve R. Roof, Paul M. Janssen, Jonathan P. Davis, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio; Richard J. Gumina, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee
Brandon J. Biesiadecki, Frederick A. Villamena, **Mark T. Ziolo**, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

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8:00–9:15 AM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 3B

Sarcomere Function and Cardiomyopathies

Moderators:

Aldrin Gomes, PhD, University of California Davis, Davis, California

Samantha Harris, PhD, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona

8:00 **Decipher TTN-based Cardiomyopathy via Zebrafish Genetics**
Xiaolei Xu, PhD, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota

Program Agenda (continued)

- 8:15 **Phospho-proteomics in Heart Failure and Cardiomyopathy**
Anne M. Murphy, MD, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland
- 8:30 **Structure-Function Consequences of Disease Associated Mutations in Cardiac Troponin I**
Michael Regnier, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington
- 8:45 **Myosin Binding Protein C Mutations in Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy**
Sharlene M. Day, MD, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 9:00 **Restoration of Impaired Diastolic Function in Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy Induced Pluripotent Stem Cell-Derived Cardiomyocytes by Re-balancing the Calcium Homeostasis**
Haodi Wu, Huaxiao Yang, Joe Zhang, Chi Keung Lam, June-Wha Rhee, Timon Seeger, Karim Sallam, Ning Ma, Joseph Wu, Stanford University, Stanford, California

9:15–9:45 AM

Grand Ballroom Foyer

Refreshment Break/Exhibits

9:45–11:00 AM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 4A Epigenetics

Moderators:

Sarah Franklin, PhD, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah
Tom M. Vondriska, PhD, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, Los Angeles, California

- 9:45 **Novel Epigenetic Targets in Heart Failure**
Saptarsi Haldar, MD, University of California San Francisco, San Francisco, California
- 10:00 **Epigenetic Analysis of Chronic Heart Failure and the Possibility of Novel Therapy**
Ruri Kaneda, MD, PhD, Keio University School of Medicine, Tokyo, Japan
- 10:15 **Transcriptional Phenotypes in Cardiac Hypertrophy**
Maha Abdellatif, MD, PhD, Rutgers University, Newark, New Jersey
- 10:30 **Role of Histone Methylation in Cardiac Myocyte Cell Cycle Exit**
W. Robb MacLellan, MD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 10:45 **Chromatin Organization in Diseased and Healthy Mouse Heart**
Chukwuemeka George Anene Nzelu, Dominic Lee, Wilson Tan, Zenia Tiang, Matias Autio Ilmaris, Peter Li, Melissa Fullwood, Roger Foo, National University of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore

9:45–11:00 AM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 4B Stem Cell Therapies

Moderators:

Joshua Hare, MD, FAHA, University of Miami, Miami, Florida
Masaki Leda, MD, PhD, Keio University School of Medicine, Tokyo, Japan

- 9:45 **Inhibition of miR375 Enhances BM Stem Cell Mediated Cardiac Repair**
Raj Kishore, PhD, FAHA, Temple University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- 10:00 **Cardiac Repair with Human Cardiomyocytes**
Charles E. Murry, MD, FAHA, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington
- 10:15 **Bone Marrow Cell Therapy: Emerging Clinical Evidence**
Buddhadeb Dawn, MD, FAHA, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas
- 10:30 **Mapping the Cardiomyocyte Surfaceome Reveals New Targets for Immunophenotyping Cell Type, Subtype, and Maturation State Specific Cells**
Rebekah L. Gundry, PhD, Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 10:45 **Effectiveness of Combination Allogeneic Stem Cells in a Novel Large Animal Model of Chronic Kidney Disease-induced Heart Failure with Preserved Ejection Fraction (HFpEF)**
Angela Castellanos Rieger, Bryon A. Tompkins, Makoto Natsumeda, Victoria Florea, Kevin Collon, Jose Rodriguez, Marcus Rosado, Wayne Balkan, Joshua M. Hare 30136, Ivonne H. Schulman, University of Miami, Miami, Florida

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TUESDAY

11:00 AM–Noon

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 5A

Early Career Session – A “Peer” into NIH Grant Review

Moderator:

Kedryn Baskin, PhD, University of Texas
Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, Texas
Dominic P. Del Re, PhD, Rutgers New Jersey
Medical School, Newark, New Jersey

Mock Study Section:

Olga Tjurmina, PhD, National Heart, Lung, and
Blood Institute, Bethesda, Maryland
Kimm Hamann, PhD, National Institutes of Health,
Center for Scientific Review, Bethesda, Maryland

Panelists:

Katherine E. Yutzey, PhD, Cincinnati Children's
Medical Center, Cincinnati, Ohio
Evangelia (Litsa) G. Kranias, PhD, FAHA, University
of Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio
Elizabeth (Tish) Murphy, PhD, FAHA, National Heart,
Lung, and Blood Institute/National Institutes of
Health, Bethesda, Maryland

11:00 AM–NOON

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 5B

**Workshop – Emerging Omic Technologies:
Bringing a New Edge on Your Science**

Moderators:

Guilo Agnetti, PhD, Johns Hopkins University,
Baltimore, Maryland
Pothur R. Srinivas, PhD, MPH, NIH/NHLBI,
Bethesda, Maryland

11:00 **Multi-PTM 'Omics for Understanding
Modification Cross-talk in Myocardial Ischemia**
Stuart Cordwell, PhD, University of Sydney,
Sydney, Australia

11:15 **High Content, High Throughput Intergradation
of Aorta**
Sarah J. Parker, PhD, Cedars Sinai Medical Center,
Los Angeles, California

11:30 **A Glimpse Inside the Mitochondrial Interactome**
James Bruce, PhD, University of Washington,
Seattle, Washington

11:45 **Organs Conformal Bioelectronics**
Igor Efimov, PhD, FAIMBE, FAHA, FHRS, George
Washington University, Washington, D.C.

Noon–1:30 PM

Lunch On Your Own/Poster Viewing/Exhibits

1:30–2:45 PM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 6A

Ion Channels and Arrhythmias

Moderators:

Na Li, PhD, Bayer College of Medicine,
Houston, Texas
Héctor H. Valdivia, MD, PhD, FAHA, University
of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

1:30 **Understanding Mechanisms of Atrial Remodeling
Leading to Atrial Fibrillation**
Peter Backx, PhD, FAHA, University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

1:45 **The Phospholamban Regulations in Cardiac
Arrhythmias**
Evangelia (Litsa) G. Kranias, PhD, FAHA, University of
Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio

2:00 **Calmodulin Regulation of Na⁺ Channel Late
Current and Long QT Syndrome**
Geoffrey S. Pitt, MD, PhD, Weill Cornell Medical
College, New York, New York

2:15 **A Desmosomal Protein Interaction Screen
Uncovers a Novel Mechanism Underlying
Arrhythmogenic Heart Disease and Sudden Death**
Farah Sheikh, PhD, FCVS, FAHA, University of
California-San Diego, La Jolla, California

Oral Abstract Presentation

2:30 **Cardiac BIN1 Improves Dyad Organization
and Calcium Transient in Cardiomyocytes** 9
Ying Fu, Kang Zhou, Yan Liu, Sosse Agvavian,
Bing Xu, Robin M. Shaw, TingTing Hong,
Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles,
California

1:30–2:45 PM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 6B

Cardiac Metabolisms

Moderators:

L. Ashley Cowart, PhD, Medical University of
South Carolina, Charleston, South Carolina
E. Douglas Lewandowski, PhD, Sanford
Burnham Presbys Medical Discovery
Institute, Orlando, Florida

1:30 **Timing is Everything: Circadian Control of
Cardiac Metabolism**
Martin Young, DPhil, University of Alabama at
Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama

1:45 **Insulin Resistance, Obesity and Cardiac
Autophagy: The Role of Insulin/IGF-1 Receptor
Signaling**
Silem Boudina, PhD, University of Utah, Salt Lake
City, Utah

Program Agenda (continued)

2:00 **Fatty Acid Uptake and Use by the Heart**
Ira J. Goldberg, MD, FAHA, New York University,
New York, New York

2:15 **Emerging Nexus of Vascular Stiffness and Metabolism in Pulmonary Hypertension**
Stephen Chan, MD, PhD, FAHA, Pittsburgh Heart, Lung, Blood, and Vascular Medicine Institute, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Oral Abstract Presentation

2:30 **Increasing Cardiac Fatty Acid Oxidation Protects Against High Fat Diet Induced Cardiomyopathy In Mice**
Dan Shao, Stephen C. Kolwicz Jr., Nathan Roe, Outi Villet, Loreta De Tomasi, Alyssa Noriko Braun, Rong Tian, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

3:15–4:30 PM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 7A

Ethics, Open Science, Reproducibility, Unconscious Bias and all that Jazz

Moderators:

Ivor J. Benjamin, MD, FAHA, FACC, Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Robert M. Carey, MD, MACP, FAHA, FRCPI, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia

3:15 **Guidelines for R & R: The APS Perspective on Rigor and Reproducibility**
Kara Hansell Keehan, American Journal of Physiology/Heart and Circulatory Physiology, Baltimore, Maryland

3:20 **Improving Reproducibility & Methodological Rigor through Openness and Transparency**
Jonathan Schultz, American Heart Association, Baltimore, Maryland

3:25 **NIH's Rigor and Transparency Initiative and Review**
Kimm Hamann, PhD, National Institutes of Health, Center for Scientific Review, Bethesda, Maryland

3:30 **Medical Publishing Seen Through the Eyes of an Editor**
Joseph A. Hill, MD, PhD, FAHA, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, Texas

3:35 **Panel Discussion/Q&A**

3:15–4:30 PM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 7B

Workshop – Interacting with Big Data: Its Impact on Our Science

Moderators:

Pui Yu (Maggie) Lam, PhD, University of California Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California
TBD

3:15 **Do You Really Know Your Favorite Protein(s): Exploiting Knowledge Databases to Characterize Your Protein(s)**
Peipei Ping, PhD, FAHA, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, Los Angeles, California

3:33 **Finding Novelty in Your Pathways: Multi-omic and Big Data Sets**
Karen E. Ross, PhD, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

3:52 **Connecting SNPs Data to Your Favorite Proteins and Networks**
Vidya Venkatraman, MSc, Cedars Sinai, Los Angeles, California

4:11 **Quantifying Those Hard to Study Proteins: Picking and Analyzing Targeted Proteins**
Michael MacCoss, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

4:30– 7:00 PM

Exhibit Hall (Access from Ballroom Level)

Poster Session 2

7:00 PM

Skyline I (23rd Floor)

Early Career Investigator Event

TUESDAY

Program Agenda (continued)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

7:00 AM

Registration

Galleria I (Ballroom Level)

7:00–8:00 AM

Continental Breakfast/Exhibits

Grand Ballroom Foyer

8:00–9:15 AM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 8A

Human Cellular Models for Cardiac Disease

Moderators:

Ju Chen, PhD, University of California San Diego

School of Medicine, La Jolla, California

Joseph C. Wu, MD, PhD, FAHA, Stanford University

School of Medicine, Stanford, California

8:00 Single Cell Technologies for Exploring Human iPSC-based Cardiac Disease Models

Sean M. Wu, MD, PhD, Stanford University, Stanford, California

8:15 Mechanisms Underlying Human Cardiomyopathy

Kunhua Song, PhD, University of Colorado, Gates

Center for Regenerative Medicine and Stem Cell

Biology, Aurora, Colorado

8:30 Cellular Reprogramming Approaches to Heart Disease

Deepak Srivastava, MD, University of California

San Francisco, San Francisco, California

8:45 Human Induced Pluripotent Stem Cells for Novel Cardiovascular Therapeutics

Yibing Qyang, PhD, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut

Oral Abstract Presentation

9:00 Lamin A/C Mutations Epigenetically Dysregulate Scn5a Gene Expression, Perturbing Action Potential Properties in iPSC-derived Cardiomyocytes

Silvia Crasto, Humanitas Res Hosp, Rozzano (Milan), Italy; Nicolò Salvarani, Inst of Genetic and Biomedical Res (IRGB), Natl Res Council of Italy, Milan, Italy; Michele Miragoli, Dept of Clinical and Experimental Med, Univ of Parma, Parma, Italy; Marianna Paulis, Inst of Genetic and Biomedical Res (IRGB), Natl Res Council of Italy, Milan, Italy; Paolo Kunderfranco, Humanitas Res Hosp, Rozzano (Milan), Italy; Pierluigi Carullo, Inst of Genetic and Biomedical Res (IRGB), Natl Res Council of Italy, Milan, Italy; Alberto Forni, Giuseppe Faggian, Div of Cardiac Surgery, Univ of Verona, Verona, Italy; Gianluigi Condorelli, Humanitas Univ, Rozzano, Milan, Italy; Elisa Di Pasquale, Inst of Genetic and Biomedical Res (IRGB), Natl Res Council of Italy, Milan, Italy

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8:00–9:15 AM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Session 8B

RNAs and the Heart

Moderators:

Il-man Kim, PhD, Medical College of Georgia,

Augusta, Georgia

Sakthivel Sadayappan, PhD, MBA, University of

Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio

8:00 Regulation of Cardiac Function by microRNAs

Da-Zhi Wang, PhD, Boston Children's Hospital, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts

8:15 Non-coding RNA Mediated Regulation in Cardiac Hypertrophy

Yibin Wang, PhD, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, Los Angeles, California

8:30 Title TBD

Ching-Pin Chang, MD, PhD, Krannert Institute of Cardiology, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, Indiana

8:45 Identification of New Factors Involved in Repair and Remodeling

Eva van Rooij, PhD, Hubrecht Institute, Utrecht, Netherlands

Oral Abstract Presentation

9:00 M6A Modification in RNA Regulates Cardiomyocyte and Cardiac Function in Heart Failure

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Prabhu Mathiyalagan, Yaxuan Liang, Yassine Sassi, Erik Kohlbrenner, Jiqiu Chen, Djamel Lebeche, Maria Giovanna Trivieri, Kiyotake Ishikawa, Kenneth Fish, Roger J. Hajjar, Susmita Sahoo, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, New York

9:15–10:00 AM

Grand Ballroom (Ballroom Level)

General Session 9

Outstanding Early Career Investigator Award Competition

Moderators:

Nicole H. Purcell, PhD, University of California San Diego, San Diego, California

Yibin Wang, PhD, FAHA, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, Los Angeles, California

Oral Abstract Presentations

9:15 Suppressing Microtubule Detyrosination Reduces Stiffness and Improves Contractility in Human Cardiomyocytes

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Benjamin L Prosser, Univ of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA; Kenneth Bedi, Hosp of the Univ of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA; Matthew Caporizzo,

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Christina Chen, Patrick Robison, Univ of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA; Kenneth Margulies, Hosp of the Univ of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

9:30 Identification of a Major Role for Cytochrome B5 Reductase 3 in Cardiomyocyte Metabolism and Function
Adam C. Straub, Nolan T. Carew, Helene M. Altmann, Joseph C. Galley, Scott Hahn, Megan P. Miller, Sruti Shiva, Dennis McNamara, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

9:45 Glucose-Mediated Remodeling of Cardiac DNA Methylation
Mark E. Pepin, David K. Crossman, Joseph P. Barchue, Salpy V. Pamboukian, Steven M. Pogwizd, Adam R. Wende, Univ of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL

10:00–10:30 AM

Grand Ballroom Foyer

Refreshment Break/Exhibits

10:30–11:45 AM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 10A

Early Career Session – Development of a Successful Academic Career

Moderators:

Nirmala Hariharan, PhD, University of California at Davis, Davis, California

Glenn C. Rowe, PhD, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama

10:30 The Do's and Don't's of Interviewing for an Academic Position
Leslie Leinwand, PhD, University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado

10:55 You Made It! Now What? Challenges to Starting a New Lab
Jonathan A. Kirk, PhD, Loyola University, Maywood, Illinois

11:20 It Takes a Village: How to Maintain Your Academic Career
Ivor J. Benjamin, MD, FAHA, FACC, Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

10:30–11:45 AM

Skyline II (23rd Level)

Session 10B

Workshop – Integrating Omics and Bioinformatics into your Research

Giulio Agnetti, PhD, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland

Stuart Cordwell, PhD, University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia

Igor Efimov, PhD, FAIMBE, FAHA, FHRS,

George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

D. Brian Foster, PhD, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland

Sara Franklin, PhD, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah
Rebekah L. Gundry, PhD, Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Merry L. Lindsey, PhD, FAHA, University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, Mississippi

Michael MacCoss, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

Chris Murray, PhD, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, California

Sarah J. Parker, PhD, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, California

Peipei Ping, PhD, FAHA, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, Los Angeles, California

Karen E. Ross, PhD, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

Vidya Venkatraman, MSc, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, California

Tom M. Vondriska, PhD, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, Los Angeles, California

John R. Yates, PhD, The Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, California

11:45 AM–1:30 PM

Lunch on Your Own/Poster Viewing/Exhibits

1:30–2:45 PM

Grand Ballroom I (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 11A

Translationally Relevant Model Systems

Moderators:

Mark A. Sussman, PhD, FAHA, San Diego State University, Heart Institute and Integrated Regenerative Research Institute, San Diego, California

Jianyi (Jay) Zhang, MD, PhD, FAHA, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama

1:30 Chasing Unicorns: Tales of a New HFpEF Swine Model

Craig A. Emter, PhD, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, Missouri

1:45 HFpEF – A New Animal Model and a New Way of Thinking About Cardiomyocyte Mechanisms

Lea M. Delbridge, PhD, FCSANZ, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia

2:00 Models of RV Failure: Does Size Matter?

Lori Walker, PhD, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado

2:15 Fibroblast Alterations in Right versus Left Failing Ventricles

Fabio Recchia, MD, PhD, FAHA, Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Institute of Life Sciences, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa, Italy

WEDNESDAY

Program Agenda (continued)

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 2:30 **A Minipig Genetic Model of Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy**
Eric M. Green, MYOKARDIA, South San Francisco, California; Robert M. Weiss, Abhay Divekar, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa; Sadie R. Bartholomew Ingle, Marcus Henze, Raja Kawas, MYOKARDIA, South San Francisco, California; Lindsey Gifford, Melissa K. Davis, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa; Frank Rohret, Exemplar Genetics, Sioux Center, Iowa; Daniel R. Thedens, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa; Hector M. Rodriguez, Marc J. Evanchik, Robert L. Anderson, MYOKARDIA, South San Francisco, California; Jessica Sieren, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa; Christopher S. Rogers, Exemplar Genetics, Sioux Center, Iowa; David K. Meyerholz, Ferhaan Ahmad, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

1:30–2:45 PM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

Concurrent Session 11B

Autophagy, Cell Death, and Inflammation

Moderators:

Asa Gustafsson, PhD, FAHA, University of California San Diego, La Jolla, California
 Loren E. Wold, PhD, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

- 1:30 **Mitophagy and Biogenesis in the Heart**
 Roberta A. Gottlieb, MD, Cedars-Sinai Heart Institute, Los Angeles, California
- 1:45 **Modulating Mitochondrial Permeability Transition-Dependent Cell Death**
 Christopher P. Baines, PhD, University of Missouri-Columbia, Columbia, Missouri
- 2:00 **Harnessing the Autophagy-Lysosome Machinery in Cardiac Myocyte Organelle and Protein Quality Control**
 Abhinav Diwan, MD, FAHA, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri
- 2:15 **A Chemical Biology Approach to Doxorubicin-induced Cardiomyopathy**
 Richard N. Kitsis, MD, FAHA, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, New York

Oral Abstract Presentation

- 16 2:30 **A Critical Role of TRAF2 in Myocardial Survival and Homeostasis by Suppressing Necroptosis**
 Xiaoyun Guo, Haifeng Yin, Lei Li, Yi Chen, Jing Li, Jessica Doan, Rachel Steinmetz, **Qinghang Liu**, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

2:45–3:15 PM

Grand Ballroom Foyer

Refreshment Break/Exhibits

3:15–4:30 PM

Grand Ballroom II (Ballroom Level)

General Session 12

What Will be the “Next Best Thing” in Cardiovascular and Stroke Research over the Next 20 Years?

Panel Leaders:

Michael R. Bristow, MD, PhD, FACC, FAHA, University of Colorado, Aurora, Colorado
 Joseph A. Hill, MD, PhD, FAHA, UT Southwestern

Additional Panelists:

Jennifer Davis, PhD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington
 John W. Elrod, PhD, Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
 Steven R. Houser, PhD, FAHA, Temple University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
 Rui-ping Xiao, MD, PhD, Peking University, Beijing, China

Panel Discussion, Q&A

4:30–7:00 PM

Exhibit Hall (Access from Ballroom Level)

Poster Session 3

7:00–10:00 PM

Grand Ballroom (Ballroom Level)

BCVS Council Dinner

(Ticket required to attend.)

WEDNESDAY

Program Agenda (continued)

THURSDAY, JULY 13

7:00 AM

Registration

Galleria I (Ballroom Level)

7:00–8:00 AM

Continental Breakfast

Grand Ballroom Foyer

8:00–9:00 AM

Grand Ballroom (Ballroom Level)

General Session 13

Basic Science and Precision Medicine – The Interface

Moderators:

Bjorn Knollmann, MD, PhD, Vanderbilt University,
Nashville, Tennessee

Jill C. Tardiff, MD, PhD, FAHA, University of Arizona,
Tucson, Arizona

8:00 **Crossing the Translational Divide in
Cardiovascular Medicine**

Thomas P. Cappola, MD, ScM, University of
Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

8:15 **Convex Analysis of Tissue Proteomics
to Identify Atherosclerosis Biomarkers and
Therapeutic Targets**

David M. Herrington, MD, MHS, Wake Forest School
of Medicine, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

8:30 **The Interactome of a Disease Protein**

John R. Yates, III, PhD, The Scripps Research
Institute, La Jolla, California

8:45 **LRRC10, a Newly Identified Component of the
Cardiac L-type Ca²⁺ Channel Macromolecular
Complex, and Dilated Cardiomyopathy**

Timothy J. Kamp, MD, PhD, University of Wisconsin,
Madison, Wisconsin

9:00–9:30 PM

Grand Ballroom Foyer

Refreshment Break

9:30–10:45 AM

Grand Ballroom (Ballroom Level)

General Session 14

Keynote Lecture

Moderators:

Ronglih Liao, PhD, FAHA, Brigham and Women's
Hospital and Harvard Medical School,
Boston, Massachusetts

Joseph C. Wu, MD, PhD, FAHA, Stanford University
School of Medicine, Stanford, California

9:30 **Phenotype Discovery: The Missing Link?**

Calum A. MacRae, MD, PhD, FAHA, Brigham and
Women's Hospital and Harvard Medical School,
Boston, Massachusetts

11:00 AM–Noon

Grand Ballroom (Ballroom Level)

General Session 15

Novel Cardiac Regulatory Mechanisms

Moderators:

Ulrike Mende, MD, FAHA, Rhode Island Hospital
and Alpert Medical School of Brown University,
Providence, Rhode Island

Junichi Sadoshima, MD, PhD, Rutgers New Jersey
Medical School, Newark, New Jersey

11:00 **RIP₃ Teams Up with CaMKII Inducing
Cardiomyocyte Death**

Rui-ping Xiao, MD, PhD, Peking University,
Beijing, China

11:15 **The Mystery of ERK5**

Jun-ichi Abe, MD, PhD, FAHA, University of Texas
MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, Texas

11:30 **Hippo Signaling in Heart Regeneration**

James F. Martin, MD, PhD, Baylor College of
Medicine, Houston, Texas

11:45 **Inductive Signals of Cardiac Regeneration**

Pilar Ruiz-Lozano, PhD, Stanford University,
Palo Alto, California

Noon

Closing Remarks/Adjourn

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