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symposium
ON TRANSPLANTATION

Hilton DFW Lakes Executive Conference Center • Grapevine, TX • September 27–29, 2024

Program

Friday, September 27, 2024

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Lunch with Faculty

Location: Windfall Restaurant

1:45 PM – 4:15 PM

General Session 1

Overview of Transplantation

Location: Val Verde

1:45 PM

Welcome Remarks

*Matthew Cooper, MD
Hëth Turnquist, PhD
Jon Kobashigawa, MD, FAST*

2:00 PM

The “Why” and “How” of Transplant

*2:00 – 2:15 PM **Kidney and Multi-Organ** – Deirdre Sawinski, MD, FAST
2:15 – 2:30 PM **Liver** – Elizabeth Verna, MD, MS
2:30 – 2:45 PM **Heart** – Maryjane Farr, MD, MSc, FACC, FAST, FHFSA, FAHA
2:45 – 3:00 PM **Lung** – Deborah Levine, MD, FCCP, FAST*

3:00 PM

Discussion/Questions

3:15 PM

The Immune Response to Transplants and Immunosuppression Mechanisms of Action

Jamil Azzi, MD, PhD

4:00 PM

Discussion

4:15 PM

Break

4:35 PM – 6:05 PM

Breakout 1 – Donor Selection and Early Post-Transplant Management Challenges (please select 1 of 7 options)

Kidney and Pancreas

*Matthew Cooper, MD
John Gill, MD, MS, FAST
Deirdre Sawinski, MD, FAST
Karin True, MD, FASN
Location: Val Verde*

Liver

*David Foley, MD
Lisa VanWagner, MD, MSc
Elizabeth Verna, MD, MS
Location: Cap Rock*

Heart

*Maryjane Farr, MD, MSc, FACC, FAST, FHFSA, FAHA
Sean Pinney, MD
Location: Spicewood*



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Lung

Deborah Levine, MD, FCCP, FAST

Jasleen Kukreja, MD, MPH

Location: Su Vino

Immunosuppression (Pharmacist Focused)

Lyndsey Bowman, PharmD, BCPS, BCTXP, FCCP, FAST

Lisa Potter, PharmD, BCPS, FCCP, FAST

Location: International

HLA and Pathology – Challenging Cases in Antibody-Mediated Rejection

Jon Kobashigawa, MD, FAST

Kelley Hitchman MS, PhD, F(ACHI)

Location: St. Genevieve

Infectious Disease in Solid Organ Transplantation – Donors and Recipients

Deepali Kumar, MD, MSc, FRCPC, FAST

Marian Michaels, MD, MPH

Location: Delaney

6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Networking Dinner with Faculty and Sponsors

Location: International III & IV

Saturday, September 28, 2024

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM

Breakout 2 – Professional Development

(grab breakfast and choose to attend 1 of 4 options)

How to Negotiate Your First Job

Deepali Kumar, MD, MSc, FRCPC, FAST

Elizabeth Verna, MD, MS

Location: International

Building a Career as a Transplant Pharmacist

Lyndsey Bowman, PharmD, BCPS, BCTXP, FCCP, FAST

Lisa Potter, PharmD, BCPS, FCCP, FAST

Location: Delaney

Being a Clinician-Scientist: Rewards and Challenge

Aravind Cherukuri, MD, PhD

Xunrong Luo, MD, PhD, FAST

Deirdre Sawinski, MD, FAST

Location: Spicewood

Leadership in the Transplant Center

Matthew Cooper, MD

Sean Pinney, MD

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Location: Ste. Genevieve

8:00 AM – 9:15 AM **General Session 2** **Mechanisms and Intervention of Ischemia Reperfusion Injury**

Location: Val Verde

- 8:00 AM **Ischemia Reperfusion Injury Basics**
Hëth Turnquist, PhD
- 8:15 AM **Advances in Organ Preservation – Getting Warmer?**
- 8:15 – 8:30 AM **Kidney** – *John Gill, MD, MS, FAST*
 - 8:30 – 8:45 AM **Liver** – *Lisa VanWagner, MD, MSc*
 - 8:45 – 9:00 AM **Heart and Lung** – *Jasleen Kukreja, MD, MPH*
 - 9:00 – 9:15 AM **NRP** – *Matthew Cooper, MD*
- 9:15 AM **Discussion**

9:30 AM – 10:30 AM **General Session 3** **Using Science to Advance Clinical Care**

Location: Val Verde

- 9:30 AM **Anti-HLA and non-HLA Antibodies**
Kelley Hitchman MS, PhD, F(ACI)
- 9:50 AM **Allograft Injury Biomarkers and Monitoring**
Paolo Cravedi, MD, PhD
- 10:10 AM **Discussion**
- 10:30 AM **Break**

10:45 AM – 11:45 AM **General Session 4** **The Future is Now**

Location: Val Verde

- 10:45 AM **Can You Hear Me Now? Using Technology to Combat Nonadherence**
Lisa Potter, PharmD, BCPS, FCCP, FAST
- 11:05 AM **Cellular Therapies and Tolerance in Transplantation**
Paolo Cravedi, MD, PhD
- 11:25 AM **Xenotransplant – From Basic Science to Clinical Trials**
Leonardo Riella, MD, PhD, FAST



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11:45 AM – 12:45 PM	<p>Lunch <i>Location: Windfall Restaurant</i></p>
12:45 PM – 2:15 PM	<p>Breakout 3 (choose between 2 options)</p> <p>OPTION 1: Professional Development <i>Location: Val Verde</i></p> <p>How to Write a Grant <i>Xunrong Luo, MD, PhD, FAST</i> <i>Elizabeth Verna, MD, MS</i></p> <p>How to Read, Write, and Review a Paper <i>John Gill, MD, MS, FAST</i> <i>Lisa VanWagner, MD, MSc</i></p> <p>OPTION 2: Deep Dive into Basic Immunology <i>Location: International</i></p> <p>Innate Immunity – <i>Paolo Cravedi, MD, PhD</i> T cells – <i>Hëth Turnquist, PhD</i> B cells – <i>Aravind Cherukuri, MD, PhD</i></p>
2:15 PM	Break
2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	<p>General Session 5 Clinical Trials in Transplantation <i>Location: Val Verde</i></p>
2:30 PM	<p>Pivotal Clinical Trials in Transplantation</p> <p>2:30 – 2:45 PM Kidney – <i>Karin True, MD, FASN</i></p> <p>2:45 – 3:00 PM Liver – <i>Lisa VanWagner, MD, MSc</i></p> <p>3:00 – 3:15 PM Heart – <i>Sean Pinney, MD</i></p> <p>3:15 – 3:30 PM Lung – <i>Deborah Levine, MD, FCCP, FAST</i></p> <p>3:30 – 3:45 PM Infectious Disease – <i>Marian Michaels, MD, MPH</i></p>
3:45 PM	Discussion
4:00 PM	Break



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4:15 PM – 5:30 PM

Breakout 4 - Recipients and Post-transplant Care (Choose 1 of 6 options)

Kidney and Pancreas

Matthew Cooper, MD
John Gill, MD, MS, FAST
Deirdre Sawinski, MD, FAST
Karin True, MD, FASN
Location: Val Verde

Liver

David Foley, MD
Lisa VanWagner, MD, MSc
Elizabeth Verna, MD, MS
Location: Cap Rock

Heart

Jon Kobashigawa, MD, FAST
Sean Pinney, MD
Location: Spicewood

Lung

Deborah Levine, MD, FCCP, FAST
Jasleen Kukreja, MD, MPH
Location: Su Vino

Immunosuppression/Medication Management Challenges (All Organs + Pharmacy)

Lyndsey Bowman, PharmD, BCPS, BCTXP, FCCP, FAST
Lisa Potter, PharmD, BCPS, FCCP, FAST
Location: International

Transplant Shark Tank

Jamil Azzi, MD, PhD
Paolo Cravedi, MD, PhD
Leonardo Riella, MD, PhD, FAST
Hëth Turnquist, PhD
Location: Ste. Genevieve

6:15 PM – 7:30 PM

Fellows and Faculty Networking Recreation

Location: Hilton Lawn

8:00 PM – 11:00 PM

Texas Style Dinner and Dancing

Location: The Austin Ranch



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Sunday, September 29, 2024

7:00 AM – 7:45 AM	Breakfast <i>Location: Windfall Restaurant</i>
8:00 AM – 10:40 AM	General Session 6 Controversies in Transplantation <i>Location: Val Verde</i>
8:00 AM	Overcoming Barriers to Increased Living Donation <i>Karin True, MD, FASN</i>
8:25 AM	Expanding Deceased Donation and Working with the OPOs <i>John Gill, MD, MS, FAST</i>
8:55 AM	Panel Discussion
9:15 AM	Break
9:30 AM	Challenges with Transplant Oversight <i>Matthew Cooper, MD</i>
9:55 AM	Increasing Access and Equity to Transplant <i>Deirdre Sawinski, MD, FAST</i>
10:20 AM	Panel Discussion
10:40 AM	Break
10:55 AM – 11:55 AM	Transplant Trivia <i>Matthew Cooper, MD</i> <i>Hëth Turnquist, PhD</i> <i>Location: Val Verde</i>
11:55 AM – 12:00 PM	Final Comments <i>Matthew Cooper, MD</i> <i>Hëth Turnquist, PhD</i> <i>Location: Val Verde</i>
12:00 PM	Adjourn