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Highlights
Lecture Highlights

Leland W.K. Chung Lecturer:

Owen Witte, MD
Immune Targeting Strategies for Prostate Cancer

AUA Lecturer:

Aria Olumi, MDAlternative Androgen-Independent Pathways for Prostatic Growth"

AGENDA			
	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2023	(All Times are in Central Time Zone)	
3:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Trainee Affairs Symposium John Lee, MD, PhD, Trainee Affairs Committee Chair How to Gain Bioinformatic/Technical Training Career Panel Discussion (Industry, NIH and Academia) Grant Writing Tips (F31/F32/K01 - Early Career Grants)		
6:00 pm - 6:10 pm	Welcome and Introductory Remarks Will Ricke, PhD, SBUR President		
6:10 pm - 7:10 pm	Leland W.K. Chung Lecture "Immune Targeting Strategies for Pro Owen Witte, MD	ostate Cancer"	
7:10 pm - 7:30 pm	EULA and Donald S. Coffey Innovative Research Award Short Tall	ks	
7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Networking and Welcome Reception		

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	FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2023 (All Times are in Central Time Zone)	
9:00 am - 11:30 am	Plenary Session 1: New Models and Technologies for Urological Research	
9:00 am - 9:25 am	Chronic Pelvic Pain: Experimental Findings in Animal Models And Potential Therapeutics Kenny Roman, PhD	
9:25 am - 9:50 am	3D Spatial Biology Nicholas Reder, MD, MPH	
9:50 am - 10:15 am	Targeting Undruggable Transcription Factors in Lethal Prostate Cancer by CRISPR/Cas13-Based Nanotherapy Qianben Wang, PhD	
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Travel Award Presentation #1	
10:30 am - 10:55 am	Experimental Evolutionary Approaches for Investigating the Urobiome Megan Behringer, PhD	
10:55 am - 11:20 am	Novel Mechanism-Centric Network-Based Algorithms to Elucidate Therapeutic Response in Prostate Cancer Antonina Mitrofanova, PhD	
11:20 am - 11:30 am	Coffee Break	
11:30 am - 1:25 pm	Plenary Session 2: Cellular Heterogeneity and Interaction in Urological Tissues	
11:30 am - 11:55 am	A Cellular Atlas of the Human Lower Urinary Tract Douglas Strand, PhD	
11:55 am - 12:20 pm	Pparg Signaling Programs Urothelial Cells During Homeostasis Cathy Mendelsohn, PhD	
12:20 pm - 12:35 pm	Travel Award Presentation #2	
12:35 pm - 1:00 pm	Stromal Androgen Signaling Acts as Stem Cell Niches in Prostate Development and Morphogenesis Zijie Sun, MD, PhD	
1:00 pm - 1:25 pm	New Insights into Kidney Innervation: From Form to Functional Roles in Development Lori O'Brien, PhD	
1:25 pm - 2:10 pm	Lunch	
2:10 pm - 4:05 pm	Plenary Session 3: Genetic and Epigenetic Alterations of Epithelia in Urological Pathologies	
2:10 pm - 2:35 pm	Modeling AR Reprogramming in Prostate Cancer Pathogenesis Christopher Barbieri, MD, PhD	
2:35 pm - 3:00 pm	Modulation of Androgen Receptor Signaling by Germline and Somatic Mutations in Prostate Cancer Jun Luo, PhD	
3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Travel Award Presentation #3	
3:15 pm - 3:40 pm	Non-coding RNAs in Prostate Cancer Lineage Plasticity and Drug Resistance Michael Freeman, PhD	
3:40 pm - 4:05 pm	Emerging Biomarkers and Therapeutic Targets for Neuroendocrine Prostate Cancer Himisha Beltran, MD	
4:05 pm - 4:15 pm	Coffee Break	
4:15 pm - 4:35 pm	AUA Office of Research Update	
4:35 pm - 5:35 pm	Poster Session	

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	SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2023 (All Times are in Central Time Zone)	
9:00 am - 10:55 am	Plenary Session 4: Stromal Microenvironment of Urological Pathologies	
9:00 am - 9:25 am	Impact of Bone Microenvironment on Prostate Cancer Dormancy, Metastasis, and Therapeutic Resistance Xiaohong Li, PhD	
9:25 am - 9:50 am	Bone Microenvironment Specific Metabolic Adaptations Drives Metastatic Prostate Cancer Subhamoy Dasgupta, PhD	
9:50 am - 10:05 am	Travel Award Presentation #4	
10:05 am - 10:30 am	Exploring the Tumor Microenvironment in Bladder Cancer Metastasis Hung-Ming Lam, PhD	
10:30 am - 10:55 am	Targeting Fibrosis in the Lower Urinary Tract for the Treatment of BPH/LUTS Will Ricke, PhD	
10:55 am - 11:55 am	Dr. Leland W.K. Chung Mentorship Award	
11:55 am - 12:40 pm	Lunch	
12:40 pm - 2:35 pm	Plenary Session 5: Immunoregulation in Urological Diseases	
12:40 am - 1:05 am	Immune Mechanisms Shape the Clonal Landscape During Early Progression of Prostate Cancer Flaminia Talos, MD, PhD	
1:05 pm - 1:30 pm	Persistent Inflammation as a Driving Force in BPH Pathogenesis Simon Hayward, PhD	
1:30 pm - 1:45 pm	Travel Award Presentation #5	
1:45 pm - 2:10 pm	The Immune System and the Testosterone Paradox in Prostate Cancer Sushant Kachhap, PhD	
2:10 pm - 2:35 pm	Immunoregulation of Bladder Cancer by Oncogene Activation William Kim, MD	
2:35 pm - 2:50 pm	Coffee Break	
2:50 pm - 4:50 pm	Discussion Session	
4:50 pm - 5:20 pm	Awards Ceremony	
5:20 pm - 5:50 pm	SBUR Business Meeting	
5:50 pm - 6:50 pm	Poster Session	

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2023		
9:00 am -10:00 am	AUA Lectureship "Alternative Androgen-Independent Pathways for Prostatic Growth." Aria Olumi MD	
10:00 am - 12:45 pm	Plenary Session 6: Confounding Factors of Urological Pathologies	
10:00 am - 10:25 am	Environmental Contaminants as Risk Factors for Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms Kimberly Stietz, PhD	
10:25 am - 10:50 am	Alternative Polyadenylation Transcriptome-wide Association Study (32aTWAS) Identifies Novel APA-linked Susceptibility Genes in Prostate Cancers Wei Li, PhD	
10:50 am - 11:05 am	Travel Award Presentation #6	
11:05 am - 11:15 am	Coffee Break	
11:15 am - 11:40 am	Aging and B Cell Response to BCG Immunotherapy in Bladder Cancer Madhuri Koti, PhD	
11:40 am - 12:05 pm	AR signaling in Prostate Cancer of African American Salma Kaochar, PhD	
12:05 pm - 12:20 pm	Travel Award Presentation #7	
12:20 pm - 12:45 pm	Tumor Microenvironment Mediators of Racial Disparities in Prostate Carcinogenesis Omar Franco, MD, PhD	
12:45 pm	Closing Remarks Will Ricke, PhD, SBUR President	