



ADVANCING THE SCIENCE OF CANCER IN LATINOS
SAN ANTONIO, TX

AGENDA AT A GLANCE

Wednesday February 21, 2018

2:30-8:30pm
La Villita C

Exhibitors

3:00-8:00pm
Hotel Lobby

Registration

6:00-6:30pm
La Villita A & B

Welcome

Amelie G. Ramirez, DrPH, Mays Cancer Center at UT Health San Antonio
Ruben A. Mesa, MD, Mays Cancer Center at UT Health San Antonio

6:30-7:30pm
La Villita A & B

Keynote: What is the Science of Cancer in Latinos?

Eliseo J. Perez-Stable, MD
Director of the National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities

7:30-8:30pm
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Opening Reception

Thursday February 22, 2018

7:00am-7:00pm
La Villita C

Exhibitors

7:00am-3:00pm
Meeting Rooms Lobby

Registration

7:30-8:30am
La Villita C

Breakfast

8:30-9:30am
La Villita A & B

Plenary Session: Incorporating Biomarkers in Clinical Trials

Edith A. Perez, MD
VP of US Medical Affairs BioOncology at Genentech

9:30-10:45am
La Villita A & B

Session 1: Genetics, Environment, Lifestyle & Cancer

Chairperson: Edward J. Trapido, ScD, FACE, LSU Stanley Scott Cancer Center

21st century cancer patterns among Latinos - why disaggregation matters

Paulo S. Pinheiro, MD, PhD, University of Miami Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center

Colorectal Cancer Disparities in Latinos: Genes vs. Environment

Marcia R. Cruz-Correa, MD, PhD, University of Puerto Rico Comprehensive Cancer Center

**Genomic Analysis of Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia in Children and Adults:
From Disparity, to Discovery, to Translation and Intervention**

Cheryl L. Willman, MD, UNM Comprehensive Cancer Center

10:45-11:00am
La Villita C

Break

11:00am-12:30pm **Concurrent Panels A, B & C**

Arneson

Panel A: Cancer Risk, Prevention & Screening

Chairperson: Virginia G. Kaklamani, MD, Mays Cancer Center at UT Health San Antonio

Breast Cancer Risk in Hispanics/Latinas: A Panoramic View

Laura Fejerman, PhD, University of California San Francisco

Prostate cancer in Latinos: what have we learned and where should we focus our attention

Mariana C. Stern, PhD, University of Southern California

The Need for a Holistic Approach to Prevent Reproductive Cancers among Latinos: The Potential Impact of Normalizing Sexuality and Improving Communication

Julia Lechuga, PhD, Lehigh University

Cavalier

Panel B: Latino Lifestyle Choices - Tobacco, Diet, Stress & Cancer

Chairperson: Anna M. Napoles, PhD, MPH, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities

Reaching Latinos through Social Media and Text Messages for Smoking Cessation: The Quitxt Program

Patricia Chalela, DrPH, UT Health San Antonio

Differential cancer risk among Latinos, the role of diet

Katherine L. Tucker, PhD, University of Massachusetts Lowell

Nuevo Amanecer: Stress Management Training for Latina Cancer Survivors

Anna M. Napoles, PhD, MPH, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities

Majestic

Panel C: Underrepresented Cancers with Unequal Burden among Latinos

Chairperson: Marcia R. Cruz-Correa, MD, PhD, University of Puerto Rico Comprehensive Cancer Center

Genetic and Epigenetic Alterations in Hepatocellular Carcinoma of South Texas Latino Patients – A Preliminary Report

Francisco G. Cigarroa, MD, UT Health San Antonio

Biomarkers of gastric premalignant lesions

Jovanny Zabaleta, PhD, LSU Health Science Center

Understanding the High Rates of Late Stage Kidney Cancer in South Texas

Ronald Rodriguez, MD, UT Health San Antonio

12:30-1:45pm

La Villita A & B

Lunch

12:45-1:15pm

Lunch Panel: The Patient Advocate's Role in Cancer Research

Chairperson: Sandi Stanford, Alamo Breast Cancer Foundation

Barbara Segarra Vasquez MT, DHSc, University of Puerto Rico

Ivis Febus-Sampayo, SHARE Self Help for Women with Breast or Ovarian Cancer

Ysabel Duron, Latino Cancer Institute

2:00-3:00pm
La Villita A & B

Session 2: Advances in Cancer Therapy & Clinical Trials
Chairperson: Martin Mendoza, PhD, Food and Drug Administration

Racial/ethnic Representation in Cancer Clinical Trials: A regulatory perspective
Ibilola (Iola) Fashoyin-Aje, MD, MPH, Food and Drug Administration

Overcoming Barriers for Latinos on Cancer Clinical Trials
Ruben A. Mesa, MD, Mays Cancer Center at UT Health San Antonio

3:00-3:15pm
La Villita C

Break

3:15-4:45pm
Arneson

Concurrent Panels D, E & F

Panel D: The Biology of Cancer Health Disparities
Chairperson: Edward J. Trapido, ScD, FACE, LSU Stanley Scott Cancer Center

Molecular sub-types, driver gene mutations and intratumor heterogeneity in Latinos with gastric cancer: implications for etiological and translational research
Luis G. Carvajal-Carmona, PhD, University of California Davis

The Biology of Breast Cancer Disparities in Hispanics: Current Knowledge, Gaps and Research Opportunities
Gerardo Colon-Otero, MD, Mayo Clinic

Breast Cancer Precision Medicine in Latina Patients
Lucio Miele, MD, PhD, LSU Stanley Scott Cancer Center

Cavalier

Panel E: Cancer in the Era of Precision Medicine
Chairperson: Ysabel Duron, Latino Cancer Institute

Molecular Profiles of Breast Cancer in Hispanic-Latina
Jovanny Zabaleta, PhD, LSU Health Science Center

Is Precision Medicine Widening Cancer Care Disparities in Latino Populations?
Lorna Rodriguez, MD, PhD, Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey

What Doctors, Patients and the Latino Community need to do to prepare for Precision Medicine
Gregory A. Talavera, MD, MPH, San Diego State University

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Panel F: Cancer Outcomes & Survivorship in Latinos
Chairperson: Filipa Lynce, MD, Georgetown Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center

Implementing the Nueva Vida Intervention with Latina Breast Cancer Survivors and their Caregivers
Kristi D. Graves, PhD, Georgetown Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center

Prognostic Factors for Breast Cancer Survival in Hispanics
Maria E. Martinez, PhD, MPH, University of California San Diego

Optimizing Quality of Life and Health Outcomes in Hispanic/Latino Cancer Survivors
Frank J. Penedo, PhD, Northwestern University

5:00-6:30pm
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Poster Session & Reception

Friday February 23, 2018

7:00am-1:00pm

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Exhibitors

7:30-8:30am

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Breakfast

8:30-9:15am

La Villita A & B

Session 3: Engaging Latinos in Cancer Research

Chairperson: Mariana C. Stern, PhD, University of Southern California

Es Tiempo: Engaging Latinas in Cervical Cancer Research

Lourdes Baezconde-Garbanti, PhD, MPH, University of Southern California

Mi Gente, Mi Tierra, y Mi Corazón: Three Critical Steps for Engaging Latinos in Cancer Research

Elisa M. Rodriguez, PhD, Roswell Park Cancer Institute

9:15-10:45am

La Villita A & B

Session 4: Emerging Policies in U.S. Health Care

Chairperson: Ruben A. Mesa, Mays Cancer Center at UT Health San Antonio

Joaquin Castro, JD, House of Representatives

Robert T. Croyle, PhD, National Cancer Institute

Esteban Lopez, MD, MBA, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas

Elena V. Rios, MD, MSPH, National Hispanic Medical Association

10:45am-12:15pm

La Villita A & B

Session 5: Charting the Future of Cancer Health Disparities Research in Latinos

Chairperson: Amelie G. Ramirez, DrPH, Mays Cancer Center at UT Health San Antonio

Edward J. Trapido, ScD, FACE, LSU Stanley Scott Cancer Center

Marcia R. Cruz-Correa, MD, PhD, University of Puerto Rico Comprehensive Cancer Center

Mariana C. Stern, PhD, University of Southern California

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Closing Remarks

Amelie G. Ramirez, DrPH, Mays Cancer Center at UT Health San Antonio