
8:30 a.m. **REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST**
Mary L. Harkness Auditorium Lobby

9:00 a.m. **WELCOME**
Nancy Brown Jean and David W. Wallace Dean, Yale School of Medicine
Susan Baserga Yale Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry
Sandra Wolin National Institutes of Health

Session I *Chaired by Jessica Brown*
University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN

9:10 a.m. **Tom Cech**
University of Colorado, Boulder, CO and
Howard Hughes Medical Institute
“The Noncoding RNA Revolution – Trashing Old Rules to Forge New Ones”

9:35 a.m. **David Ginsburg**
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI and
Howard Hughes Medical Institute,
“FV/FVIII and Cargo Receptors in the ER: From Bedside to Bench”

10:00 a.m. **Kimberly Mowry**
Brown University, Providence RI
“RNA Transport in the Cytoplasm: Biomolecular Condensates Drive mRNA Localization”

10:25 a.m. **BREAK**
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Session II *Chaired by Yi-Tao Yu*
University of Rochester, Rochester, NY

11:00 a.m. **Doug Black**
University of California, Los Angeles CA
“Maturing RNAs and Maturing RNA Scientists”

11:25 a.m. **Stavroula Mili**
National Institutes of Health
“Control of Protein Function Through Localized mRNA Translation”

11:50 a.m. **Andres Metspalu**
University of Tartu, Tartu, Estonia
“40 Year Journey from Molecular Biology to Personal Medicine”

12:15 p.m. **LUNCH** (*for registered attendees only*)
Harkness Ballroom, 367 Cedar Street
Seating available in tent on Harkness Lawn

Session III *Chaired by Nick Conrad*
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX

2:00 p.m. **Benoît Chabot**
Université de Sherbrooke, Quebec, Canada
“From U2 to Us Too!”

2:25 p.m. **Gia Voeltz**
University of Colorado, Boulder, CO and
Howard Hughes Medical Institute
“How the ER Regulates the Biogenesis of Other Organelles at Contact Sites”

2:50 p.m. **Paulina Pawlica**
Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York NY
“Viral Noncoding RNAs: Even More Surprises”

3:15 p.m. **BREAK**
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Session IV *Chaired by Woan-Yuh Tarn*
Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan

3:45 p.m. **Eric Sontheimer**
University of Massachusetts Chan Medical School, Worcester, MA
“From snRNAs to siRNAs to CRISPR RNAs”

4:10 p.m. **Melissa Moore**
Moderna, Cambridge, MA
“mRNA as Medicine”

4:55 p.m. **Joan Steitz**

5:15 p.m. **CLOSING**
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RECEPTION AND DINNER TO FOLLOW
By invitation only
