THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 15, 2022 | 8AM - 6PM | THE ALEXANDRIA AT TORREY PINES

8:00-9:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00-9:15 **Opening Remarks**

Ida Deichaite, PhD, Director, Industry Relations, Moores Cancer Center, Assistant Adjunct Professor, Radiation Medicine & Applied Sciences, UC San Diego

Steven Garfin, MD, Interim Vice Chancellor, Health Sciences, Interim Dean, School of Medicine, UC San Diego

9:15-10:30 **Session I**

Moderator: Scott Lippman, MD, Director, Moores Cancer Center, Senior Associate Dean & AVC Cancer Research and Care, Professor of Medicine, UC San Diego

- 9:15 *Tomivosertib: Enhancing T cell function through translational regulation of gene expression* **Steve Worland, PhD,** *President and Chief Executive Officer, eFFECTOR Therapeutics*
- 9:30 *Targeting macrophage Syk to promote anti-tumor immunity* **Shweta Joshi, PhD,** Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Moores Cancer Center, UC San Diego
- 9:45 First-in-human study of XmAb808, a CD28 x B7H3 bispecific antibody, in combination with pembrolizumab in advanced solid tumors

 Ben Thompson, MD, PhD, Medical Director, Clinical Development, Xencor
- 10:00 Impact of aberrant splicing alteration in HNSCC on prognosis and response to immune checkpoint inhibition
 Theresa Guo, MD, Assistant Professor, Division of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery, Department of Surgery, Moores Cancer Center, UC San Diego
- 10:15 *Q&A and Discussion*

10:30-12:15 **Session II**

Moderator: Thomas Kipps, MD, PhD, Distinguished Professor of Medicine, Moores Cancer Center, Director, Center for Novel Therapeutics, UC San Diego

- 10:30 *Hijacking stromal signals to turn immune-cold tumors into immune-hot* **Fotis Asimakopoulos, MB BChir, PhD,** Associate Professor, Division of Blood and Marrow Transplantation, Department of Medicine, Moores Cancer Center, UC San Diego
- 10:45 Leveraging T cell adaptions to tissue residency to enhance anti-tumor immunity
 Ananda Goldrath, PhD, Tata Chancellor's Professor, Division of Biological Sciences, Molecular Biology, UC San Diego
- 11:00 *Q&A and Discussion*

11:15-11:30 Break

11:30 **Keynote Presentation**

CAR T Cells – From Spark to Fire

Kristen Hege, MD, Senior Vice President, Early Clinical Development, Oncology/Hematology and Cell Therapy, Bristol Myers Squibb

12:00-12:15 Duane Roth Award Presentation

12:15-1:30 Lunch

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1:30-3:15 **Session III**

Moderator: Ezra Cohen, MD, FRCPSC, FASCO, Chief, Division of Hematology/Oncology, Department of Medicine, Moores Cancer Center, Co-Director, Hanna and Mark Glieberman Head and Neck Cancer Center, UC San Diego

Moderator: J. Silvio Gutkind, PhD, Distinguished Professor and Chief, Department of Pharmacology, Associate Director of Basic Science, Moores Cancer Center, UC San Diego

- 1:30 Development of INBRX-109, a best in class tetravalent DR5 agonist, for the treatment of cancer Brendan Eckelman, PhD, Chief Scientific Officer, EVP Corporate Strategy, INHIBRX
- 1:45 Targeting cellular mechanotransduction to inhibit tumor invasion and metastasis
 Jing Yang, PhD, Professor of Pharmacology and Pediatrics, Moores Cancer Center, UC San Diego
- 2:00 Development of a Subcutaneous Checkpoint Inhibitor in Sarcoma—a Disease Whose Most Effective Drug was Approved 30 Years Ago
 Charles Theuer, MD, PhD, President, Chief Executive Officer, TRACON Pharmaceuticals
- 2:15 The role of the sentinel node in response to immunoradiotherapy
 Joseph Califano, MD, Physician in Chief, Moores Cancer Center, Director, Hanna and Mark Gleiberman
 Head and Neck Cancer Center, Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, UC San Diego
- 2:30 MRTX1719: a selective PRMT5/MTA complex inhibitor being developed as a synthetic lethal precision medicine for MTAP/CDKN2A deleted cancers
 Peter Olson, PhD, Executive Director of Research, Mirati Therapeutics
- 2:45 DRP-104 (Sirpiglenastat), A Broad Glutamine Antagonist, Induces Anti-Tumor Activity by Directly Inhibiting Glutamine Metabolism and Stimulating the Innate & Adaptive Immune Systems Robert Wild, PhD, Chief Scientific Officer, Dracen Pharmaceuticals
- 3:00 *Q&A and Discussion*
- 3:15-3:30 **Break**
- 3:30-5:15 **Session IV**

Moderator: Catriona Jamieson, MD, PhD, Professor of Medicine, Deputy Director, Moores Cancer Center, Chief, Division of Regenerative Medicine, Director, Sanford Stem Cell Clinical Center, UC San Diego

- 3:30 Activation of Latent Oncogenic Viruses as a Form of Targeted Cancer Therapy Ayman El-Guindy, PhD, Chief Scientific Officer, Viracta Therapeutics
- 3:45 Engineering Human iPSCs to Produce Immune Cells with Improved Anti-Tumor Activity
 Dan Kaufman, MD, PhD, Professor of Medicine, Division of Regenerative Medicine, Director of Cell
 Therapy, UC San Diego
- 4:00 *Understanding Human Genetic Variation with Precision Genome Editing Tools*Alexis Komor, PhD, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, UC San Diego
- 4:15 *Q&A and Discussion*
- 4:30 **Keynote Presentation**

Next Generation CAR T Cells for cancer and beyond
Carl June, MD, Richard W. Vague Professor in Immunotherapy, Department of Pathology and
Laboratory Medicine, Director, Center for Cellular Immunotherapies, Perelman School of Medicine,
Director, Parker Institute for Cancer Immunotherapy, University of Pennsylvania

5:15 Networking Reception