

Conference Program and Schedule-At-A-Glance



Tuesday, February 3, 2009

1:00 PM-3:00 PM Educational Workshops 1-2

Issues in the Measurement of Disparities in Populations

Chairperson: Marianne Berwick, Saguaro Ballroom, p. 14

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Chairperson: Barbara B. Kavanagh, Cholla I, p. 14

3:15 PM-5:15 PM Educational Workshops 3-4

Next Generation Technologies and Their Use to Address Cancer Related Disparities

Chairperson: Patricia A. Thompson, Saguaro Ballroom, p. 15

Methods for Community-based Interventions

Chairperson: Moon S. Chen, Cholla I, p. 15

7:00 PM-8:00 PM Opening Plenary Session

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Welcome and Remarks

Elena Martínez

John D. Carpten

Keynote Address

Genomic Medicine in Mexico: New Opportunities and Challenges on the Horizon

Gerardo Jimenez-Sanchez

8:00 PM-10:00 PM Opening Reception

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Wednesday, February 4, 2009

7:00 AM-8:00 AM Breakfast Forum 1

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Transdisciplinary Science in the Centers for Population Health and Health Disparities (CPHHD) Initiative

Chairperson: Sarah Gehlert

8:00 AM-10:00 AM Plenary Session 1

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Genetic Determinants of Cancer: Soup to Nuts

Chairperson: Matthew L. Freedman

10:30 AM-12:30 PM Plenary Session 2

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Raising Culture as a Priority in Cancer Intervention Research

Chairperson: Amelie G. Ramirez

2:00 PM-4:00 PM Concurrent Sessions 1-2

Challenges and Opportunities in Reducing Disparities from Cancers of Infectious Origins

Chairperson: Moon S. Chen, Saguaro Ballroom, p. 20

Early Detection and Screening,

Co-Chairpersons: Lucile L. Adams-Campbell and Marcia R. Cruz-Correa, Cholla I, p. 21



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4:00 PM-6:30 PM

Poster Session A

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Analytical Methods

Administration and Large-Scale Database Methods
Multilevel Analysis

Biomarkers

Biomarkers in Cancer Surveillance and Screening
Biomarkers in Intervention Studies
Biomarkers of Premalignant Lesions

Behavioral and Social Science

Alcohol, Tobacco, and Substance Abuse
Cancer Communications
Community-based Interventions
Community-based Participatory Research
Decision Making

Cancer Treatment and Outcomes

Late Effects/Survivorship
Pharmacology, Pharmacogenetics, and Pharmacogenomics
Quality of Life
Second Cancers
Other Cancer Treatment and Outcomes Studies

Epidemiology, Lifestyle, and Genetics

Behavioral Epidemiology
Diet and Nutrition
Exercise and Prevention
Familial and Genetic Epidemiology
General Epidemiology and Biostatistics
Molecular Epidemiology
Neighborhood Factors

Organ Site Research

Breast Cancer
Colorectal Cancer
Gastrointestinal Cancers
Genitourinary Cancers
Other Organ Sites

Thursday, February 5, 2009

7:00 AM-8:00 AM

Breakfast Forum 2

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**Secondary Data Analysis of National and State Health
Survey Data: Access, Analysis and Funding**

Chairperson: Richard P. Moser

8:00 AM-10:00 AM

Plenary Session 3

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**Racial and Ethnic Variations in the Molecular Profiles of
Cancer: The Foundation for Classification and
Therapeutic Targeting**

Chairperson: Cheryl L. Willman

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10:00 AM-12:30 PM **Poster Session B**
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Behavioral and Social Science

Diffusion and Dissemination Research
Genetic Testing and Counseling
Health Education
Recruitment/Retention/Adherence Research
Socioeconomic Influences
Stress
Other Behavioral and Social Science Studies

Cell, Molecular, and Tumor Biology

Cancer Genetics/Gene Expression
Cell Growth Signaling Pathways
Other Cell, Tumor, and Molecular Biology Studies

Carcinogenesis

Mutagenesis, Oxidative Stress, and Biology Studies
Stress Response and Allostatic Load

Epidemiology, Lifestyle, and Genetics

Obesity, Metabolism, and Cancer
Physical Activity and Energy Balance
Race, Admixture, and Ethnicity
Stress
Tobacco and Cancer
Other Risk Factors
Other Epidemiology Studies

Health Economics, Outcomes, and Policy Research

Healthcare Systems
Health Economics, Policy, and Outcomes
Treatment Factors and Outcomes

Prevention Research

Clinical Prevention Trials
Prevention Behaviors
Screening and Early Detection

2:00 PM-4:00 PM **Plenary Session 4**
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**Biology, Behavior, and the Physical Environment:
Exploring Interactions to Address Health Disparities,**
Chairperson: Electra D. Paskett

4:15 PM-6:15 PM **Concurrent Sessions 3-4**

**A Sampling of Cancer Survivorship Research:
New Findings and Future Directions**
Chairperson: Diana D. Jeffery, Saguaro Ballroom, p. 37

**New Approaches to Understanding Biology and the
Environment in Health Disparities**
Chairperson: Timothy R. Rebbeck, Cholla I, p. 38

Friday, February 6, 2009

8:00 AM-10:00 AM **Plenary Session 5**
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The Science Behind Cervical Cancer Disparities
Chairperson: Francisco A. R. Garcia

10:30 AM-12:30 PM **Plenary Session 6**
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**The Science of Recruitment of Underrepresented
Populations to Clinical Trials**
Chairperson: Jean G. Ford

12:30 PM **Closing Remarks**
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Cheryl L. Willman