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PROGRAM



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Day 1 (April 13, 2026)	
MainHall	
08:30-09:30	Registrations
09:30-09:35	Introduction
09:35-10:00	Opening Ceremony
Plenary session	
10:00-10:45	Title: Exploring the heterogeneity of rare ovarian cancer Ignace Vergote , <i>University of Leuven, Belgium</i>
10:45-11:30	Title: Integrative analysis of lung adenocarcinoma across diverse ethnicities and exposures Daniel W Chan , <i>Johns Hopkins University, USA</i>
11:30-11:50	Refreshments Break@ Foyer
Keynote Session	
11:50-12:25	Title: Toward a New Era in Palliative Care in Cancer Kunihiko Ishitani , <i>Higashi Sapporo Hospital, Japan</i>
12:25-12:55	Title: Machine-learning driven strategies for adapting immunotherapy in metastatic NSCLC Don L. Gibbons , <i>University of Texas, USA</i>
12:55-13:55	Group Photo & Lunch Break
13:55-14:30	Title: BSBM-02 WNT5A MEDIATES MELANOMA BRAIN METASTASIS Charles G. Eberhart , <i>Johns Hopkins University, USA</i>
14:30-15:05	Title: Autonomous B-cell Receptor Signaling in Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia Paolo Ghia , <i>Life-Health San Raffaele University, Italy</i>

Featured Talks	
15:05-15:25	<p>Title: Advancing Bladder Cancer Management: The Role of Neoadjuvant and Adjuvant Therapies and Biomarkers in Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer</p> <hr/> <p>Lingbin Meng, <i>Ohio State University, USA</i></p>
15:25-15:35	Refreshments Break@ Foyer
15:35-16:00	<p>Title: Single-Cell Multi-Omics: Insights into Therapeutic Innovations to Advance Treatment in Cancer</p> <hr/> <p>Camelia Quek, <i>The University of Sydney, Australia</i></p>
16:00-16:25	<p>Title: New Perspectives and State of the Art in Interventional Radiotherapy (Brachytherapy) for Head and Neck Tumors</p> <hr/> <p>Elisa Placidi, <i>Gemelli University Hospital Foundation, Italy</i></p>
Speaker Slots Available	
Day 2 (April 14, 2026)	
MainHall	
08:30-09:30	Registrations in Main Hall
09:30-09:35	Introduction
09:35-10:00	Opening Ceremony
Plenary session	
10:00-10:45	<p>Title: Bmp9 modulates cell proliferation and intercellular junctions in HERS during tooth root development</p> <hr/> <p>T.-C. He, <i>The University of Chicago, USA</i></p>
10:45-11:30	<p>Title: Development of anti-cancer medicines in the current era</p> <hr/> <p>Bradley Monk, <i>University of Arizona, USA</i></p>

11:30-11:50		Refreshments Break@ Foyer
Keynote session		
11:50-12:25	Title: Tracking clonal evolution during treatment in ovarian cancer using cell-free DNA	
	Carol Aghajanian , <i>Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, USA</i>	
12:25-12:55	Title: Programmed cell death 1 blockade in the setting of severe ocular sarcoidosis: Cancer immunotherapy in a patient with autoimmunity	
	Shailender Bhatia , <i>University of Washington, USA</i>	
12:55-13:55		Group Photo & Lunch Break
13:55-14:30	Title: Human Adipose-Derived Stem Cells Promote Migration of Papillary Thyroid Cancer Cells via the Leptin Pathway	
	Botao Zhang , <i>Affiliated Hospital of Southwest Medical University, China</i>	
14:30-15:05	Title: Targeted inhibition of NBCn1 (SLC4A7) by antibodies prevents net acid extrusion, causing reduced proliferation and apoptosis in breast cancer in a pHdependent manner	
	Ali Mohammadi , <i>Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark</i>	
Featured Talks		
15:05-15:25	Title: Advancing cancer data collection: ICD-11 implementation in European oncology and cancer registries	
	Irmina Maria Michalek , <i>National Research Institute of Oncology, Poland</i>	
15:25-15:35		Refreshments Break@ Foyer
15:35-16:00	Title: Materials and methods for treating cancer	
	Evanthia Galanis , <i>Mayo College of Medicine, USA</i>	
16:00-16:25	Title: A spatiotemporal cancer cell trajectory underlies glioblastoma heterogeneity	
	Oliver Stegle , <i>German Cancer Research Center (DKFZ), Germany</i>	
Speaker Slots Available		

Day 3 (April 15, 2026)	
08:30-09:30	Registrations in Main Hall
09:30-09:35	Introduction
09:35-10:00	Opening Ceremony
Plenary session	
10:00-10:45	<p>Title: Integrating Pathology and CT Imaging for Personalized Recurrence Risk Prediction in Renal Cancer</p> <hr/> <p>Regina Beets-Tan, <i>Maastricht Universit, Netherlands</i></p>
10:45-11:30	<p>Title: Abstract B072: Plasma whole-genome sequencing to monitor pancreatic cancer</p> <hr/> <p>Jennifer Knox, <i>University of Toronto, Canada</i></p>
11:30-11:50	Refreshments Break@ Foyer
Keynote session	
11:50-12:25	<p>Title: Phosphorylated p27 transcriptionally co-regulates p65 and STAT3 to activate pro-oncogenic tumor inflammation</p> <hr/> <p>Joyce Slingerland, <i>Georgetown University, USA</i></p>
12:25-12:55	<p>Title: Genomic distinctions in adolescent and young adult cancer: A comprehensive review</p> <hr/> <p>Giacomo Zanello, <i>University in Reading Berkshire, England</i></p>
12:55-13:55	Group Photo & Lunch Break
13:55-14:30	<p>Title: Optimizing Palliative Radiotherapy: Analysis of Workflow and Efficiency of a Dedicated Rapid-Access Palliative and Oligometastatic Radiotherapy Program</p> <hr/> <p>Laura Dawson, <i>University of Toronto, Canada</i></p>
14:30-15:05	<p>Title: Ossifying Spindled and Epithelioid Tumor: A Novel Soft Tissue Tumor</p> <hr/> <p>Pedram Argani, <i>Johns Hopkins University, USA</i></p>
Featured Talks	

Title: Phase 2 Study of Zilovertamab Vedotin in Participants With Metastatic Solid Tumors

15:05-15:25

Funda Meric-Bernstam, *Department of Investigational Cancer Therapeutics, USA*

15:25-15:35

Refreshments Break@ Foyer

15:35-16:00

Title: Robust discovery of mutational signatures using power posteriors

Scott L. Carter, *Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, USA*

16:00-16:25

Title: Fox Chase Cancer Center Researcher Helps Find Key Resistance Mechanism in Breast Cancer That Could Lead to More Effective Treatment.

Lorenzo Galluzzi, *Fox Chase Cancer Center, USA*

16:25-16:50

Title: AI cancer driver mutation predictions are valid in real-world data

Ronglai Shen, *Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, USA*

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