



PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

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Developing RNA based approaches for the treatment of Pompe Disease and neurodegenerative conditions

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Breast cancer transcriptomics at the bulk, single cell and spatial levels

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Utilizing Machine Learning to Unlock RNA Delivery

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Ultra-conserved poison exons in SR protein splicing regulator genes: do these operate as tumour suppressors or protect the functions of specific cell types?

David Elliott

Principal Investigator, **University of Newcastle**, UK



DELiveri: Massive throughput screens to identify conjugates that promote cell delivery of nucleic acid therapeutics

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RNA-binding proteins in melanoma progression

Fátima Gebauer

President of the **RNA Society** and Principal Investigator, **Center for Genomic Regulation (CRG)**, Spain



A novel regulatory circuit required for tumor angiogenesis and cancer growth

Claudia Ghigna

Scientist, **Institute of Molecular Genetics**, Italy



AI-Driven Design: Unlocking Novel Mechanisms in RNA Therapeutics

Tamar Grossman

CEO, **La Jolla Labs**, USA



Nucleic Acid Therapeutic Unlabeled Reporter Assay (NATURA): A novel platform for high-throughput quantification of NATs' functional delivery and potency

Ernesto Guccione

Principal Investigator, The Guccione Lab, **Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai**, USA



Targeting RNA processing to induce neoantigens in cancer cells

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Principal Investigator

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Bispecific siRNA to Reduce Cardiometabolic Risk

Michael Khan

CEO, **Argonaute RNA**, UK



SpliSense – A transformative RNA (ASOs) based company for the treatment of Pulmonary diseases

Gili Hart

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SRSF1-regulated alternative splicing controls on oncogenic circuit in pancreatic cancer

Adrian Krainer

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Dual-function oligonucleotide strategies for immunotherapy of acute myeloid leukemia

Marcin Kortylewski

Principal Investigator, **The Kortylewski Lab City of Hope**, USA



Exploiting the dark genome to target drug-tolerant cells and improve anticancer immune therapies

Eleonora Leucci

Principal Investigator – RNA Cancer Biology Lab, **KU Leuven**, Belgium



Rewriting the Message: RNA Splice Disruption Unmasks New Cancer Immunotherapy Targets

Michal Lotem

Head of The Hadassah Cancer Research Institute (HCRI),
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Targeting m6A-RNA Biology in FTO-Dependent Cancers

Amir Mor

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Improved Delivery of RNAs for Extra-Hepatic Delivery

Ruben Postel

CSO & Scientific Founder, **Sapreme Technologies**, The Netherlands



Harnessing RNA-Driven Intelligence to Revolutionize Personalized Cancer Therapy

Aron Popovtzer

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Therapeutic approaches for HNRNPH2-Related Neurodevelopmental Disorder, an ultra-rare neurogenetic disorder

Christopher Ricupero

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Exploiting RNA translation control to fight cancer resistance

Caroline Robert

Head of Dermatology, **Gustave Roussy Institute**, France



Translation dysregulation in cancer as a source for targetable antigens

Yardena Samuels

Director, Moross Integrated Cancer Center, Samuels Lab, **Weizmann Institute of Science**, IL



Modeling and modulating antitumor immunity with RNA nanoparticles in 3D-bioprinted tumoroids

Ronit Satchi-Fainaro

Director, Cancer Biology Research Center, and Director, TAU Kahn 3D BioPrinting Initiative, **TAU**, IL



Splicing dysregulation: hallmark and therapeutic opportunity in cancer

Claudio Sette

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Pseudoexon activation as a therapeutic approach

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Aberrantly spliced cancer proteoforms: if you can't beat them, eat them!

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Director of Experimental Pathology, **Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, USA**



Targeting noncoding elements to boost haploinsufficient gene expression

Igor Ulitsky

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miRNA-based logic circuits encoded on self-amplifying RNA for highly specific cancer cell classification

Ron Weiss

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Targeting RNA splicing in immuno-oncology and beyond

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