

Virtual Conference Schedule

All times listed in Pacific Time. Specific presentation times may vary slightly.

Presentations by CFRI-funded researchers are listed in blue.

Friday, July 30, 2021

- 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Mix & Mingle Event
- 5:00 pm – 5:10 pm Welcome and Opening Remarks — Siri Vaeth, MSW, CFRI Executive Director
- 5:10 pm – 6:00 pm **Breath from Salt** — Bijal Trivedi, MSc, MA
- 6:00 pm – 6:10 pm Break
- 6:10 pm – 7:15 pm **Breath from Salt Panel** — Moderated by Jeanie Hanley, MD
(Isabel Stenzel Byrnes, LCSW, MPH; Paul Quinton, PhD; Jeffrey Wine, PhD)

Saturday, July 31, 2021

- 8:45 am – 9:00 am **Kick-Off** — Siri Vaeth, MSW / Introduction of Emcee Jim Hampton
- 9:00 am – 9:05 am **Welcome** — Francis Collins, MD, PhD, Director, National Institutes of Health
- 9:05 am – 9:35 am **Getting to the After Times – CF and COVID in Year 2** — Richard Moss, MD
- 9:40 am – 10:25 am **Advances in Phage Therapy as a Treatment for Cystic Fibrosis**
— Benjamin Chan, PhD; Jonathan Koff, MD
- 10:25 am – 10:35 am 10-Minute Break
- 10:35 am - 11:20 am **mRNA Therapy as a Treatment for CF** — Deepika Polineni, MD, MPH
- 11:20 am – 11:35 am 15-Minute Stretch
- 11:35 am – 12:20 pm **Pulmonary Exacerbations in the Era of Highly Effective CFTR Modulators**
— D. B. Sanders, MD, MS
- 12:20 pm – 1:15 pm Break (Optional Breakout Yoga / Exhibitor Hall / Lounge)
- 1:15 pm – 2:00 pm **Advancing the GI Frontier for People with CF**
— Steven Freedman, MD, PhD
- OR** **Regional Regulation of CFTR and Ionocyte Expression in Airways**
— Kenichi Okuda, MD, PhD
- 2:05 pm – 2:50 pm **Three Perspectives, One Purpose: Why Medicine Needs Memoir**
— Diane Shader Smith; Maryanne O’Hara; David Weill, MD
- OR** **Personalized Phage-based Therapies** — Forest Rohwer, PhD
- 2:55 pm – 3:25 pm **Strength-Building with CF** — Taylor Lewis, MA, CSCS
- OR** **CFRD Management Through Technology**
— Amir Moheet, MBBS
- 3:25 pm – 3:40 pm 15-Minute Break
- 3:40 pm – 4:30 pm **Until It’s Done for Everyone: Diversity, Inclusion and Equity in CF Care and Research** — Jennifer Taylor-Cousar, MD, MSCS
- 4:30 pm – 5:15 pm Exhibitor Hall / Lounge Activities / Break
- 5:15 pm – 6:30 pm CFRI Awards Celebration with Special Guests
- 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm Dance Party

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Sunday, August 1, 2021

- 9:00 am – 9:15 am Welcome
- 9:15 am – 10:00 am **Hearing is Believing: Hearing Health in Persons with Cystic Fibrosis**
— Angela Garinis, PhD, CCC-A; Ahmet Uluer, DO, MPH
- OR**
- A Multi-Omic Approach to Evaluate Concurrent Sinus and Pulmonary Disease in Cystic Fibrosis** — Keehoon Lee, PhD
- 10:00 am – 10:45 am **Advances in Gene Therapy and Animal Models for Cystic Fibrosis**
— John Engelhardt, PhD
- 10:45 am – 11:00 am 15-Minute Break
- 11:00 am – 11:45 am **Reproductive Health in Men and Women with CF: What Do We Know and What Do We Need to Know?** — Raksha Jain, MD, MSc
- OR**
- Role of Disrupted Airway-Surface Liquid (ASL) pH Regulation in Small Airways in CF Lung Disease Pathogenesis** — Xiaopeng Li, PhD
- 11:45 am – 12:30 pm **CF and Body Image** — Panel moderated by Meg Dvorak, LCSW; Georgia Brown, MLA; Danielle Mandella; Dominic Quagliozzi, MFA
- 12:30 pm – 12:45 pm 15-Minute Stretch
- 12:45 pm – 1:30 pm **My Life with Cystic Fibrosis, Our Unlocked Futures, and Breaking Down Barriers for the Continued Success of the CF Community**
— Gunnar Esiason, MBA
- 1:30 pm – 1:40 pm Event Gamification Prize Winners Announced
- 1:40 pm – 1:45 pm Closing Remarks – Siri Vaeth, MSW, CFRI Executive Director
- 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm Discussion / Support Groups (See page 36 for listing)

Activity Lounge

Visit with friends, discover resources, join in Yoga and stretch sessions, and participate in Support and Discussion Groups. Come and say hello.

Networking: Find your friends and make new ones using our chat feature.

Saturday Wellness Activities – Led by Stacie Reveles:

- 11:20 am – 11:35 am PT: 15-Minute Guided Stretch
- 12:20 pm – 12:50 pm PT: 30-Minute Yoga Session
- 3:25 pm – 3:40 pm PT: 15-Minute Guided Stretch

Sunday Wellness Activities – Led by Stacie Reveles:

- 10:45 am – 10:55 am PT: 10-Minute Guided Stretch
- 12:30 am – 12:45 am PT: 15-Minute Guided Stretch

Support/Discussion Groups – Sunday, 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm PT

See page 36 for listing of groups.

Wellness Activities Generously Hosted by Vertex Pharmaceuticals