

PROGRAM DECEMBER 10, 2018

The Terry Fox Research Institute Ontario Node Research Symposium

THE MICROBIOME AND CANCER

7:00am - 9:00am Early Registration

7:00am – 9:00am **Poster Set Up** (*The Heritage Atrium, located on the 1st floor of the MaRS Centre*)

7:30am - 8:45am Breakfast

8:45am – 9:00am **Welcome & Opening Remarks – Robert Rottapel, MD, FRCPC**, TFRI Ontario Node, Toronto & **Mr. Darrell Fox**, Board of Directors, TFRI

SESSION I

9:00am – 10:00am **Keynote Speaker** – **Thomas F. Gajewski, MD, PhD,** AbbVie Foundation Professor of Cancer Immunotherapy, The University of Chicago Medicine, Chicago, IL

10:00am – 10:30am **Invited Speaker - Michele Ardolino, PhD,** Department of Biochemistry, Microbiology and Immunology, The Ottawa Hospital Research Institute, Ottawa, Ontario.

10:30am - 11:00am BREAK

11:00am – 11:30pm – **Invited Speaker - Carolina Ilkow, PhD,** Department of Biochemistry, Microbiology and Immunology, The Ottawa Hospital Research Institute, Ottawa, Ontario.

11:30am – 1:00pm **LUNCH & Poster Session** (*The Heritage Atrium, located on the 1st floor of the MaRS Centre*)

SESSION II

1:00pm – 1:30pm - **Invited Speaker – Madhuri Koti, PhD, Assistant Professor,** Division of Cancer Biology and Genetics, Queen's Cancer Research Institute, Kingston, Ontario.

1:30pm – 2:00pm - **Invited Speaker – Jonathan Bramson, PhD, Professor,** Department of Pathology and Molecular Medicine, McMaster University, Hamilton, ON.

2:00pm – 2:30pm **Rapid Fire Postdoc Talks** – 10 X 3 min



2:30pm – 2:50pm **BREAK**

2:50pm – 3:20pm - Invited Speakers – Geoffrey Woods, PhD, Associate Professor, Department of Pathobiology, Ontario Veterinary College, University of Guelph & Dr. Anthony Mutsaers, Associate Professor, Clinical Studies, Biomedical Studies, Ontario Veterinary College University of Guelph

3:20pm - 3:50pm Invited Speaker - TBA

3:50pm – 4:50pm **Keynote Speaker – Christian Jobin, PhD,** Program Leader, Cancer Microbiota and Host Response, University of Florida.

4:50pm – 5:00pm **Closing Remarks – Dr. Victor Ling, OC, OBC, PhD**, TFRI President & Scientific Director

5:00pm – 6:30pm **RECEPTION & Poster Session** (The Heritage Atrium, located on the 1st floor of the MaRS Centre)