

2021 PLRC ANNUAL RETREAT
BUILDING COMMUNITY, FIXING LIVERS!
Tuesday, 9/28/2021; UNIVERSITY CLUB, BALLROOM B

- 10:30-11:00 am- Registration
- **11:00 am – Welcome: Drs. Kari Nejak-Bowen and Paul Monga**
- **11:05-11:55 am- P&F-midyear presentations (2021 recipients; 10 minutes each)**
Moderator: Dr. Gavin Arteel
 - 11:05-11:15 am- Dr. Bharat Bhushan
 - 11:15-11:25 am- Dr. Silvia Liu
 - 11:25-11:35 am- Dr. Amanda Clark
 - 11:35-11:45 am- Dr. Hamza Yazdani***11:45-11:55 am- 10-minute discussion***
- **11:55- Collect Lunch boxes**
- **12:00-1:00 pm- Lunch and Keynote Presentation, Dr. Sonya MacParland**
“Multi-Omic approaches to understanding liver disease”
Moderator: Dr. Kari Nejak-Bowen
- **1:10-2:20 pm- Regenerative Medicine SIG: Targeting hepato-biliary differentiation and function in liver health and disease (10 min each)**
Moderator: Dr. George Michalopoulos
 - 1:10-1:20 pm- Dr. Rakesh Sindhi
 - 1:20-1:30 pm- Dr. Ramon Bataller
 - 1:30-1:40 pm- Dr. George Michalopoulos***1:40-1:45 pm- 5-minute discussion***
- **1:45-2:00 pm- Dr. Anantha Shekhar, Senior Vice Chancellor of Health Sciences and Dean of School of Medicine**
“Commercialization and relations with industry: Renewed Vision”
Moderator: Dr. Paul Monga
- ***Regenerative Medicine SIG continued; Moderator Dr. George Michalopoulos***
 - 2:00-2:10 pm- Dr. Donghun Shin
 - 2:10-2:20 pm- Dr. Zachary Freyberg (P&F)
 - 2:20-2:30 pm- Dr. Sungjin Ko (P&F)***2:30-2:35 pm- 5-minute discussion***

- 2:35-2:50 pm- Tea and Coffee Break
- **2:50-4:00 pm *Chronic liver injury SIG: Investigating and fixing metabolic perturbations and complications***
Moderator: Dr. Wen Xie
 - 2:50-3:00 pm- Dr. Nils Haep
 - 3:00-3:10 pm- Dr. Henry Dong
 - 3:10-3:20 pm- Dr. Eric Goetzman
 - 3:20-3:30 pm- Dr. Sadeesh Ramakrishnan (P&F)
 - 3:30-3:40 pm- Dr. Jaideep Behari (P&F)
 - 3:40-3:50 pm- Dr. Bokai Zhu (P&F)**3:50-4:00 pm- 10-minute discussion**
- **4:00-4:45 pm- Bar opens; get first drinks, appetizers and networking.**
- **4:45 pm- Membership updates: Dr. Drew Feranchak**
- **5:00-6:10 pm- *Tumorigenesis SIG: Infections, wound healing and cancer***
Moderator: Dr. Melanie Scott
 - 5:00-5:10 pm- Dr. Timothy Billiar
 - 5:10-5:20 pm- Dr. Andy Duncan
 - 5:20-5:30 pm- Dr. Anita McElroy (P&F)
 - 5:30-5:40 pm- Dr. Reben Raeman (P&F)
 - 5:40-5:50 pm- Dr. Stacy Wendell (P&F)
 - 5:50-6:00 pm- Dr. Marlies Meisel (P&F)**6:00-6:10 pm- 10-minute discussion**
- 6:10-6:30 pm- Break and networking
- **6:30-8:00 pm- Dinner**
- **7:00-7:30 pm- State of Living Donor Liver Transplantation and Unmet Needs, Drs. Abhi Humar and Chris Hughes**
Moderator: Dr. Paul Monga
- **7:30-7:45 pm- New Initiatives, Dr. Clapton Dias “UPMC Enterprises and Opportunities for Commercialization”**
Moderator: Dr. Paul Monga
- **7:45 pm- State of PLRC and Future Direction, Dr. Paul Monga**