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STATs: Importance in Basic & Clinical Cancer Research

November 15 - 18, 2017

Abstract Deadline: September 1, 2017

Organizers:

James Darnell, *The Rockefeller University*

David Levy, *New York University Langone Medical Center*

Valeria Poli, *University of Turin, Italy*

George Stark, *Cleveland Clinic Lerner Research Institute*

We are pleased to announce a new Cold Spring Harbor winter conference on STATs: Importance in Basic & Clinical Cancer Research, which will begin at 7:30 pm on Wednesday, November 15 and run through lunch on Saturday, November 18, 2017.

Topics:

- **Jak-STAT mutations in cancer**
- **Interferon and inflammation**
- **IL-6 and related cytokines in STAT3 activation**
- **STATs and the immune system**
- **Malignancies in bone marrow derived cells**
- **STATs and cancer cell metabolism**

Session Chairs:

Richard Jove, *Nova Southeastern University*

Isabelle Marie, *NYU School of Medicine*

James Turkson, *University of Hawaii Cancer Center*

Invited Speakers:

Jeffrey Babon, Walter & Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research, Australia
 Jacqueline Bromberg, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center
 Yuan Chen, Beckman Research Institute of the City of Hope
 Thomas Decker, University of Vienna, Austria
 David Frank, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
 Jennifer Grandis, University of California San Francisco
 Patrick Gunning, University of Toronto Mississauga, Canada
 Steven Holland, National Institutes of Health, NIAID
 Curt Horvath, Northwestern University
 Stevan Hubbard, Skirball Institute & New York University School of Medicine
 Giorgio Inghirami, Weill Cornell Medical College
 Marja Jäätelä, Danish Cancer Society, Denmark
 Marcin Kortylewski, Beckman Research Institute City of Hope
 Andrew Larner, Virginia Commonwealth University
 Graziano Martello, University of Padua, Italy
 Claudia Mertens, The Rockefeller University
 Mercedes Rincon, University of Vermont
 Carla Rothlin, Yale University
 Veronica Sexl, University of Veterinary Medicine, Austria
 Kevin Struhl, Harvard Medical School
 Stephanie Watowich, University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center
 Christine Watson, University of Cambridge, UK
 Uwe Vinkemeier, University of Nottingham Medical School, UK

Abstracts are welcomed on all scientific topics related to the STAT family of proteins and cancer. They should contain only new and unpublished material and must be submitted electronically by the abstract deadline. Selection of material for oral and poster presentation will be made by the organizers and individual session chairs. Status (talk/poster) of abstracts will be posted on our web site as soon as decisions have been made by the organizers.

We are eager to have as many young people as possible to attend since they are likely to benefit most from this meeting. We have applied for funds from industry to partially support graduate students and post docs. Apply in writing to [Maureen Morrow](#) stating need for financial support - preference is given to those submitting abstracts.

We look forward to seeing you at Cold Spring Harbor in November.

Pricing:

Academic Package \$1165

Graduate/PhD Student Package \$975

Corporate Package \$1475

Academic/Student No-Housing Package \$795

Corporate No-Housing Package \$995



Regular packages are all-inclusive and cover registration, food, housing, parking, a wine-and-cheese party, cocktail reception, and lobster banquet. No-Housing packages include all costs except housing. Full payment is due four weeks prior to the meeting.

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