Agenda
Markey Cancer Center Research Day
May 9, 2018
Singletary Center for the Arts

Morning
7:45 Check-In/Onsite Registration begins (Lobby)
8:40 Welcome Session (Recital Hall)
8:45 – 9:00 Nathalia Araujo, BS, Graduate Student Oral Presentation Awardee
   “Uncoupling the Effect of Par-4 Loss and Obesity on Breast Tumor Growth and Metastasis”
9:00 – 9:15 Naser Jafari, PhD, Post-Doctoral Fellow Oral Presentation Awardee
   “De Novo Fatty Acid Synthesis Driven Sphingolipid Metabolism Promotes Metastatic Potential of Colorectal Cancer”
9:15 – 9:30 Shilpa Larkin, MD, Medical Fellow Oral Presentation Awardee
   “Replacing the Syed: Initial Safety Results of a New Interstitial Template Technique using Cesium-131 Permanent Interstitial Brachytherapy (PIB) for Advanced Gynecologic Cancers”
9:30 – 9:45 Aman Chauhan, MD, Medical Fellow Oral Presentation Awardee
   “Impact of Ga-68 DOTATATE Scan on Clinical Management of Neuroendocrine Tumor Patients: A Single Center Review of 250 Scans”
9:45 – 10:00 Ramon Sun, PhD, Junior Faculty Oral Presentation Awardee
   “Ubiquitin-Dependent Nuclear Glycogenolysis Results in Transcriptional Activation”
10:00 – 11:30 Poster Presentation #1 (Mezzanine and Main Lobbies)
11:00 – 12:30* Lunch – provided for pre-registered attendees
   Pick up lunch in President’s Room and dine on Concert Hall Stage
*10:30 – 1:00 Exhibit Hall Hours (Concert Hall Stage)

Afternoon
12:00 – 1:30 Poster Presentation #2 (Mezzanine and Main Lobbies)
1:30 – 2:30 Faculty Oral Presentations, Research Program Overviews
   Robin Vanderpool, DrPH, Community Outreach and Engagement
   Chunyan He, ScD, Cancer Prevention and Control
   Rina Plattner, PhD, Cancer Cell Biology and Signaling
   John D’Orazio, MD, PhD, Genomic Instability, Epigenetics and Metabolism
   Jill Kolesar, PhD, Drug Discovery, Delivery and Translational Therapeutics
   Kathleen O’Connor, PhD, Cancer Research Career Enhancement
2:30 – 2:40 Break
2:40 – 3:00 State of the Cancer Center Address
   B. Mark Evers, MD, Director of the Markey Cancer Center
   Introduction by Sally Humphrey, Chair, UK Markey Cancer Foundation
3:00 – 3:05 Markey Women Strong Research Award Presentation
   Michael Delzotti, President, UK Markey Cancer Foundation
3:05 – 4:05 Susan B. Lester Memorial Lecture
   Nancy E. Davidson, MD, Senior Vice President and Director of the Clinical Research Division, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center
   “Tackling Epigenetic Changes in Breast Cancer”
4:05 – 4:10 Awards Presentation (Recital Hall)
4:10 – 5:30 Reception and Door Prize Distribution (President’s Room)