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## Opening Ceremony

### Keynote Forum

**10:00-10:45** Title: **Developing therapy-responsive prognostic biomarkers, and conquering undruggable oncogenic k-ras-driven pancreatic cancer by attacking its major k-ras vulnerability and the k-ras signaling gatekeeper – the siah proteolysis machinery**  
Amy H Tang, Eastern Virginia Medical School, USA

### Group Photo

Networking & Refreshment Break 10:45-11:15 @ Atrium

### Special Session

**11:15-12:00** Title: **Targeted therapeutics in pancreatic cancer for precision medicine**  
Sorah Yoon, Beckman Research Institute of City of Hope, USA

Sessions: **Pancreatic Cancer Treatment | Pancreatic Diseases & Disorders**

Session Chair: **Dong Tang**, Clinical Medical College of Yangzhou University, China

### Session Introduction

**12:00-12:30** Title: **Targeting senescence associated inflammation to prevent pancreatic cancer progression**  
Gregory David, New York University School of Medicine, USA

**12:30-13:00** Title: **High expression of galectin-1 in pancreatic stellate cells increases the progression of pancreatic cancer**  
Dong Tang, Clinical Medical College of Yangzhou University, China

### Panel Discussion

Lunch Break 13:00-14:00 @ Atrium

**14:00-14:30** Title: **Pancreatic cancer, the most lethal cancer today**  
Sally Hodges, University of Kentucky Markey Cancer Center, USA

Sessions: **Pancreas | IPMN pancreas | Pancreas Transplantation | Advanced Pancreatitis Treatment**

Session Chair: **Pradeep Kumar Vaitla**, University of Mississippi Medical Center, USA

Session Co-chair: **Jose R. Torrealba**, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, USA

**14:30-15:00** Title: **Pancreas Transplantation**  
Pradeep Kumar Vaitla, University of Mississippi Medical Center, USA

**15:00-15:30** Title: **Circulating biomarkers for early detection of pancreatic cancer**  
Pamela L Paris, University of California San Francisco, USA

**15:30-16:00** Title: **Acute cellular and antibody-mediated rejection of the pancreas allograft: Pathology, risk factors and outcomes**  
Jose R. Torrealba, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, USA

### Panel Discussion

Networking & Refreshment Break 16:00-16:30 @ Atrium

### Special Session

**16:30-17:15** Title: **Critical acute pancreatitis**  
Filipa Ribeiro Crespo Lucas, Hospital de Cascais, Portugal

Keynote Forum

10:00-10:45 Title: Human iPS cells are an alternative source of pancreatic beta cells  
Nicholas Zavazava, University of Iowa, USA

Networking & Refreshment Break 10:45-11:15 @ Atrium

Sessions: Pancreatic Tumors & Cancers | Pancreatic Prognosis | Pancreatic Surgery | Pancreatitis

Session Chair: Huocong Huang, UT Southwestern Medical Center, USA

Session Co-chair: Haitao Shen, Shengjing Hospital of China Medical University, China

Session Introduction

11:15-11:45 Title: DDR1 inhibition as a strategy enhancing chemoresponse in pancreatic cancer  
Huocong Huang, UT Southwestern Medical Center, USA

11:45-12:15 Title: Transition from an open to a robotic pancreas surgery center  
Vichin C Puri, The Liver Institute at Methodist Dallas, USA

12:15-12:45 Title: Pancreatic Neuroendocrine Tumor diagnosis in the age of precision medicine  
Deepthi Rao, ProPath, USA

Panel Discussion

Lunch Break 12:45-13:45 @ Atrium

13:45-14:15 Title: Observation on the therapeutic effects of somatostatin injected in different rates on the fat-derived severe acute pancreatitis during hemoperfusion  
Haitao Shen, Shengjing Hospital of China Medical University, China

14:15-14:45 Title: High expression of galectin-1 in pancreatic stellate cells induced T cell apoptosis and skewed Th1/Th2 balance  
Dong Tang, Clinical Medical College of Yangzhou University, China

14:45-15:15 Title: Epidemiology of pancreatic carcinoma in Guinean population a multicentric and retrospective study  
Soriba Naby Camara, Gamal Abdel Nasser University of Conakry, Guinea

Special Session

15:15-16:15 Title: Is chronic pancreatitis an unsolved enigma of pancreatic milestone? An observation  
Purujit Choudhury, Gauhati Medical College, India

Networking & Refreshment Break @ Atrium

Panel Discussion

Award & Closing Ceremony

