Miami Winter Symposium 2019
Evolving Concepts in HIV and Emerging Viral Infections
January 27-30, 2019 | Hyatt Regency Miami, FL, USA

REGISTER NOW: Join international delegates and our distinguished line-up of expert speakers.

The Miami Winter Symposium 2019 is dedicated to HIV and Emerging Viral Infections.

- An international line-up of renowned speakers – selected to provide delegates with a unique opportunity to meet with and hear from representatives leading research centers on basic research, translational issues and potential or actual clinical applications in HIV and emerging viral infections.
- Award lectures by the ‘stars’ of HIV and viral research including: Robert Gallo, Bob Siliciano, Nora Volkow, Anthony Fauci, Michel Nussenzweig and Raymond Schinazi
- Focused sessions on hot topics in HIV and viral research: the face of HIV/AIDS today, immune mechanisms and interventions, HIV reservoirs and cure strategies, HIV antibodies for prevention and treatment, the opioid crisis and its intersection with HIV, emerging infections and therapeutic advances.
- The latest international research: 10 contributed ‘spotlight’ talks and poster sessions feature the latest research findings from around the world.
- Networking opportunities with key research teams from around the world: at the opening drinks reception, conference dinner and during the poster sessions.

Speakers

**Timothy Ray Brown** (Berlin Patient)

**Ethel Cesarman**, Weill Cornell Medicine, USA

**Myron Cohen**, University of North Carolina, USA

**Shane Crotty**, La Jolla Institute for Allergy & Immunology, USA

**Ronald Desrosiers**, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, USA

**Michael Farzan**, Scripps Research Institute, USA

**Anthony Fauci**, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, USA

**Robert Gallo**, Institute of Human Virology, University of Maryland School of Medicine, USA

**Matthias Gotte**, University of Alberta, Canada

**Barton Haynes**, Duke University, USA

**Daria Hazuda**, Merck & Co., Inc., USA

**Nagalingesawaran Kumarasamy**, YRG CARE,
Welcome from the Program Chairs

The Miami Winter Symposia have been running for 51 consecutive years and have a rich history. Each meeting takes as its theme a topic of current research and/or clinical interest, and aims to broadly cover both basic research, translational issues and potential or actual clinical applications. This year’s Miami Winter Symposium 2019 is dedicated to “HIV and Emerging Viral Infections” that will showcase exceptional individuals who have made a mark in this field. The goal of this distinctive and outstanding symposium is to provide the most current knowledge of relevant topics: the face of HIV/AIDS today, immune mechanisms and interventions, HIV reservoirs and cure strategies, HIV antibodies for prevention and treatment, the opioid crisis and its intersection with HIV, emerging infections and therapeutic advances.

We are excited to have among us several luminaries who will be honored at this year’s program: Drs Robert Gallo, Bob Siliciano, Nora Volkow, Anthony Fauci, Michel Nussenzweig and Raymond Schinazi. Other distinguished faculty hail from major universities within US and globally. Selected abstracts will be presented in oral and poster sessions.

The Miami Winter Symposium 2019 will be an exclusive opportunity for scientists and researchers to broaden their horizons in an arena of cutting edge science. Pharmaceutical and industry participants interested in advising and participating in research collaborations will find the Symposium to be an opportune interactive platform. Scholarships and travel awards will be given to selected abstracts.

We look forward to welcoming you to Miami,

Savita Pahwa, University of Miami, USA
Scientific (Program) Chair

Mario Stevenson, University of Miami, USA
Scientific (Program) Co-Chair
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