UC Davis 6th Annual Lung Research Day

“Asthma: Signals for the Future”

Friday, June 19, 2015

8:00 AM - 4:30 PM (followed by reception)
GBSF Auditorium, 1st Floor, Davis campus

8:00-8:45 AM  Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:45-8:55 AM  Welcome by Dr. Amir Zeki

Session I
9:00 AM  Impact of Stress, Behavior, and Environment on Asthma Immunological Responses, Dr. Amir Zeki
9:00-9:25 AM  “Stress and the Allergic Airway Response,” Dr. Angela Haczku
9:25-9:50 AM  “DC Migration in Asthma: Ozone- vs Allergen-Induced Effects,” Dr. Moyar Qing Ge
9:50-10:15 AM  “Postnatal Exposures to PM2.5 Air Pollution and Asthma,” Dr. Laura Van Winkle
10:15-10:30 Coffee Break

Session II
10:35 AM  Novel Interventions for the Treatment of Asthma, Dr. Brian Morrissey
10:35-11:00 AM  “Dietary Treatments for Asthma: A Case for Nutrition,” Dr. Charles Stephensen
11:00-11:25 AM  “Novel Biologics in the Treatment of Asthma,” Dr. Nicholas Kenyon
11:25-11:50 AM  “The Development of a Novel Statin Inhaler,” Dr. Amir Zeki
11:50-12:15 PM  “Bronchial Thermoplasty in the Treatment of Severe Asthma: The UC Davis Experience,” Dr. Ken Yoneda
12:15-12:25 PM  Phil Thai Memorial and Benjamin Davis Memorial Abstract Awards
12:25-2:00 PM  Lunch and Poster Viewing (Poster Facilitators: Drs. Last, Cross, Miller, Galli)

Session III
2:05 PM  Asthma Mechanisms of Disease – What’s New? Drs. Haczku and Zeki
2:05-3:05 PM  “The Role of Mast Cells in Asthma Pathology: Insights from Mouse Models of Asthma,”
Dr. Stephen J. Galli, Stanford University, Department of Pathology (keynote speaker)
3:05-3:30 PM  “The Role of MARCKS Protein in Asthma,” Dr. Reen Wu
3:30-3:55 PM  “Interactions of Microbes and Mucosal Innate Immunity: Implications for Asthma,” Dr. Charles Bevins
4:00-4:15 PM  Closing Remarks and Adjourn by Dr. Angela Haczku
4:15-6:30 PM  Wine & Cheese Reception

Registration, abstract submission & information visit: http://www.ucdmc.ucdavis.edu/internalmedicine/pulmonary/LungResearchDay.html
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