**YAP/TAZ and TEAD: At the Crossroads of Cancer VII, 2023**

**Saturday 6-24-2023 |**

Arrival and hotel check-in

5:00pm – 6:30pm **Meet & Greet**

Location: The Liberty, 121 S Fir Street

A TSRC representative will hand out badges and provide information

Guests and family members welcome

**Sunday 6-25-2023 |**

8:00am – 8:30amBreakfast at TSRC Workshop Site:

Location: Telluride Intermediate School, 725 W Colorado Ave

8:30am – 8:55am Introduction & Welcome **John Lamar** and **Guy Weinberg**

8:55am – 9:15am **Guy Weinberg** (University of Illinois)

Topic: *“The TSRC YAP/TAZ and TEAD Workshop, seven years in”*

9:15am – 10:00am **Brian Rubin (Cleveland Clinic)**

Topic: “*Lessons learned from the study of Epithelioid Hemangioendothelioma, a TEAD addicted cancer*”

10:00am – 10:15am Coffee Break

10:15am – 11:00am **Bob Varelas** (Boston University)

Topic: *“Roles for YAP/TAZ in modulating immune responses in the lung”*

11:00am – 11:45am **Kun-Liang Guan** (University of California, San Diego)

Topic: *“Regulation of the Hippo pathway by phosphoinositides”*

11:45am – 12:30pm **Jianmin Zhang** (Roswell Park Cancer Institute)

Topic: “*Genome-wide dissection of TAZ binding sites in temporal and spatial manner*”

Afternoon Discussions continue - group lunch (TBD) and hike (Riverwalk)

Guests and family members welcome

Evening Free (perhaps group dinner)

**Monday 6-26-2023 |**

8:00am – 8:30amBreakfast at TSRC Workshop Site:

Location: Telluride Intermediate School, 725 W Colorado Ave

8:30am – 9:15am **Georg Halder** (University of Leuven)

Topic: *“Targeting TEAD for cancer therapy”*

9:15am – 10:00am **Tracy Tang** (Vivace Therapeutics)

Topic: *“Targeting cancer with TEAD auto-palmitoylation inhibitor”*

10:00am – 10:15am Coffee Break

10:15am – 11:00am **Kieran Harvey** (Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre)

Topic: “*Control of transcription by YAP/TAZ/TEADs in cancer”*

**Monday 6-26-2023 Continued |**

11:00am – 11:45am **Nic Tapon (**Francis Crick Institute)

Topic: *“Focal adhesions and cell junctions in mechanical control of YAP translocation”*

11:45am – 12:30pm **Munir Tanas/** **Gillian DeWane** (University of Iowa)

Topic: “*Advances in our mechanistic understanding of EHE and implications for therapy*”

Afternoon Discussions continue - group lunch (TBD) and hike (Bear Creek or Telluride Trail)

Guests and family members welcome

5:00pm **“Idea Exchange”**

Location: Rooftop, The New Sheridan Hotel, 231 W. Colorado Ave.

Guests and family members welcome

**Tuesday 6-27-2023 |**

8:00am – 8:30amBreakfast at TSRC Workshop Site:

Location: Telluride Intermediate School, 725 W Colorado Ave

8:30am – 9:15am **Ann Marie Pendergast** (Duke University)

Topic: “*TAZ- HIF1-alpha crosstalk downstream of oncogenic tyrosine kinase signaling in metastatic tumors*”

9:15am – 10:00am **Darren Yuen** (Unity Health Toronto)

Topic: “*YAP/TAZ/TEAD signaling in the kidney: a story of epithelial cells and fibroblasts*”

10:00am – 10:15am Coffee Break

10:15am – 11:00am **Kepeng Che (Cleveland Clinic)**

Topic: “*Epigenetic and transcriptional landscape of TAZ-CAMTA1 specific EHE cell line*”

11:00am – 11:45am **Andrew Aplin** (Thomas Jefferson University)

Topic: *“YAP/TAZ-TEAD in drug tolerant/resistant melanoma cells”*

11:45am – 12:30am **Vijay Yechoor** (University of Pittsburgh)

Topic: “*To βe or not to βe-proliferation vs. maturation in pancreatic β-cells*”

Afternoon Discussions continue - group lunch (TBD) and hike or whitewater rafting

Guests and family members welcome

6:00pm – 7:30pm **TSRC Town Talk**

Speaker: **Jennifer Hollingsworth** (Los Alamos National Laboratory)

Title: “*How to Make a Lightbulb That is a Million Times Smaller Than an Ant”*

Location: Telluride Conference Center, 580 Mountain Village Blvd, Mountain Village

Doors will open at 6pm, with the talk from 6:30 - 7:30pm

Group Dinner to follow (TBD)

Guests and family members welcome

**Wednesday 6-28-2023 |**

8:00am – 8:30amBreakfast at TSRC Workshop Site:

Location: Telluride Intermediate School, 725 W Colorado Ave

8:30am – 9:15am **Andras Kapus** (Keenan Research Centre)

Topic: “*Nuclear transport of YAP and TAZ: an attempt for a synthesis*”

9:15am – 10:00am **Xinwei Cao** (St. Jude Children's Research Hospital)

Topic: “*Regulation of neural progenitor cells during mammalian brain development*”

10:00am – 10:15am Coffee Break

10:15am – 11:00am **Nicholas Scalora** (University of Iowa)

Topic: “*Towards Targeted Therapy of EHE*”

11:00am – 11:45am **Zhipeng Meng** (University of Miami)

Topic: “*Roles of MAP4K-Hippo signaling in tissue injury and carcinogenesis*”

11:45am – 12:30pm **John Lamar** (Albany Medical College)

Topic: *“Targeting YAP/TAZ-TEAD in common and rare cancers”*

Afternoon Discussions continue - jeep tour (lunch delivered prior to departure)

Guests and family members welcome

5:30pm **TSRC Picnic for all workshops**

Location: Telluride Intermediate School, 725 W Colorado Ave

Guests and family members welcome

**Thursday 6-29-2023 |**

Free to enjoy Telluride

Group hikes will be organized

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