

# The Ben May Symposium

# Cancer Immunotherapy

Monday, April 6, 2015

Reva and David Logan Center for the Arts – Performance Hall  
915 East 60th St., Chicago, Illinois 60637

8:00 AM	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Geoffrey L. Greene, PhD</i> <i>Michelle M. LeBeau, PhD</i>	Virginia and D.K. Ludwig Professor & Chair, Ben May Department for Cancer Research Arthur and Marian Edelstein Professor of Medicine & Director, University of Chicago Medicine Comprehensive Cancer Center, Ben May Department for Cancer Research
	<b>Opening Remarks</b> <i>Thomas F. Gajewski, MD, PhD</i>	Professor, Department of Medicine, Hematology/Oncology, Pathology, Ben May Department for Cancer Research
	<b>Session I:</b> Chair - Thomas F. Gajewski, MD, PhD	
8:15 – 9:00 AM	<i>Alexander Rudensky, PhD</i>	Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center <b>“Regulatory T Cells and Cancer”</b>
9:00 – 9:45 AM	<i>Peter A. Savage, PhD</i>	The University of Chicago <b>“Development and Specificity of Tumor-Associated Regulatory T Cells”</b>
9:45 – 10:00 AM	<b>Break</b>	
	<b>Session II:</b> Chair - Thomas F. Gajewski, MD, PhD	
10:00 – 10:45 AM	<i>Robert D. Schreiber, PhD</i>	Washington University School of Medicine <b>“Personalizing Cancer Immunotherapy”</b>
10:45 – 11:30 AM	<i>Melody A. Swartz, PhD</i>	The University of Chicago <b>“Tumor-Associated Lymphatic Vessels Modulate the Stromal Microenvironment to Promote Tumor Invasion”</b>
11:30 – 1:00 PM	<b>Lunch</b>	
	<b>Session III:</b> Chair - Peter A. Savage, PhD	
1:00 – 1:45 PM	<i>Nicholas P. Restifo, MD</i>	National Cancer Institute <b>“Developing Curative Cancer Treatments Using Adoptive Cell Transfer-Based Immunotherapies”</b>
1:45 – 2:30 PM	<i>Michel Sadelain, MD, PhD</i>	Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center <b>“CAR T Cell Therapy and the Promise of T Cell Engineering”</b>
2:30 – 2:45 PM	<b>Break</b>	
	<b>Session IV:</b> Chair - Peter A. Savage, PhD	
2:45 – 3:30 PM	<i>James P. Allison, PhD</i>	The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center <b>Keynote Address: “Immune Checkpoint Blockade in Cancer Therapy”</b>
3:30 – 4:15 PM	<i>Thomas F. Gajewski, MD, PhD</i>	The University of Chicago <b>“Molecular Mechanisms of the T Cell-Inflamed Tumor Microenvironment: Implications for Immunotherapy”</b>
4:15 – 5:00 PM	<i>Antoni Ribas, MD, PhD</i>	University of California, Los Angeles <b>“T Cell and Melanoma Cell Interactions Leading to Response with PD-1 Blockade”</b>



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