

# Global Diversity in Oncology

## GLOBAL ONCOLOGY SYMPOSIUM

**October 21, 2022 | 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. PDT**

City of Hope would like to invite you to the inaugural Global Oncology Symposium. The symposium includes six sessions with expert panelists. Each session consists of presentations from our panelists, followed by a Q&A.

**8:30 to 9:30 a.m.**

### SESSION 1

Introduction and Keynote Address

**Moderator: Lesley Taylor, M.D.**

**8:30 to 8:35 a.m.** | Javier Gordon Ogembo, Ph.D. — Welcome Remarks

**8:35 to 8:50 a.m.** | Joseph Mikhael, M.D. — Opening Address

**8:50 to 9:15 a.m.** | Benjamin O. Anderson, M.D. — Keynote Address — “Global Breast Cancer Initiative (GBCI): Breast cancer as a bridge to global cancer control”

**9:15 to 9:30 a.m.** | Q&A Session

**9:30 to 10:30 a.m.**

### SESSION 2

City of Hope Center for International Medicine: Elevating Global Oncology Capabilities Through Direct Patient Services and Provider Collaborations

**Chair: Edwin McCarthy, M.S., M.P.A**

**9:30 to 10 a.m.** | Linda Bosserman, M.D., and Roxanna Man, M.H.A., B.S.N., R.N. — “Extending COH Expertise: Education, care, and collaboration through the Center for International Medicine”

**10 to 10:15 a.m.** | Sergio Eduardo Alonso Araujo, M.D. — “The Albert Einstein Hospital Perspective on International Collaboration”

**10:15 to 10:30 a.m.** | Q&A Session

**10:30 to 11:30 a.m.**

### SESSION 3

Addressing Challenges and Unmet Needs in Global Cancer Care and Capacity Building

**Chair: Benjamin Paz, M.D.**

**10:30 to 10:50 a.m.** | Vijay Trisal, M.D. — “Second Opinion for Cancer Without Boundaries”

**10:50 to 11:10 a.m.** | Lesley Taylor, M.D. — “The COH-Ethiopia Breast Cancer Initiative: Strengthening global oncology research, education, and care”

**11:10 to 11:25 a.m.** | Q&A Session

**Break — 15 minutes**

**11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

### SESSION 4

Emergent Molecular Mechanisms and Therapies in Cancer and Graft versus Host Disease

**Chair: Charles Brenner, Ph.D.**

**11:45 a.m. to 12:05 p.m.** | Dustin Schones, Ph.D. — “Epigenome Dynamics in Cancer”

**12:05 to 12:25 p.m.** | Binghui Shen, Ph.D. — “Discovery of Pathways That Allows Cancer to Bypass Oncology Treatments”

**12:25 to 12:45 p.m.** | Xi Zhang, Ph.D. — “Mesenchymal Stem Cell therapy in Graft versus Host Disease”

**12:45 to 1 p.m.** | Q&A Session

**1 to 2 p.m.**

### SESSION 5

Advancing Global Psycho-Oncology Care

**Chair: Jaroslava Salman, M.D.**

**1 to 1:20 p.m.** | Xiomara Rocha-Cadman, M.D. — “Practice and Approach of Psycho-Oncology With Latinx Community and Latin America”

**1:20 to 1:40 p.m.** | Cristiane Bergerot, Ph.D. — “Psycho-Oncology & Renal Cell Carcinoma: Charting new paths through international collaboration”

**1:40 to 1:55 p.m.** | Q&A Session

**2 to 2:55 p.m.**

### SESSION 6

Expanding Training and Integration of Palliative Care Globally

**Chair: Kimlin Ashing, Ph.D.**

**2 to 2:20 p.m.** | Jeannine M. Brant, Ph.D., A.P.R.N., A.O.C.N., F.A.A.N. — “Building Oncology and Palliative Care Ambassadors in the Middle East: Promoting Change From Within”

**2:20 to 2:40 p.m.** | Betty Ferrell, Ph.D., M.A., R.N., C.H.P.N., F.A.A.N., F.P.C.N. — “The Global Need for Palliative Care”

**2:40 to 2:55 p.m.** | Q&A Session

**2:55 to 3 p.m.**

### CLOSING REMARKS

Javier Gordon Ogembo, Ph.D.

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