

GENOMICS & BIG DATA SUMMIT

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6th Next Generation Sequencing

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ABOUT

We invite you to attend the **Genomics & Big Data Summit** 2016, which will take place **May 25 - 27, 2016** in **Boston, MA** at the Hyatt Regency. This summit has four tracks to discuss the developments and challenges in the popular omics areas listed below. Representatives from big pharma, academic institutions, and government research labs will present data on advances in new technology and case studies on therapeutic targets, molecular diagnostics, and integration of complex data.

The Genomics & Big Data Summit is comprised of these 4 conferences:

May 25-26, 2016:

[6th Next Generation Sequencing](#)

[3rd Metabolomics-Advances & Applications in Human Disease](#)

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[CRISPR & Genome Engineering](#)

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AGENDA AT-A-GLANCE

Day 1 - Wednesday, May 25, 2016

7:00	<i>Registration & Continental Breakfast</i>	
7:55	<i>Welcome & Opening Remarks</i>	
	6th Next Generation Sequencing	3rd Metabolomics - Advances & Applications in Human Disease
8:00	KEYNOTE PRESENTATION Session I Current and Emerging Sequencing Technologies	Session I Metabolite Identification - Targets and Pathways
10:00	<i>Morning Networking Break</i>	
10:45	Session II: RNA Sequencing, DNA Sequencing	Session II: Advances in Metabolite Markers - Discovery and Validation
12:30	<i>Lunch on Your Own</i>	
1:30	Session II: RNA Sequencing, DNA Sequencing (cont.)	Session III: Bioinformatics for Metabolomics: Current Status and Future Directions
3:00	<i>Afternoon Networking Break</i>	
3:30	Session II: RNA Sequencing, DNA Sequencing (cont.)	Session IV: Imaging and Computational Approaches to Assessing the Metabolome
5:00	<i>Evening Reception & Poster Session Sponsored by</i> 	

Day 2 - Thursday, May 26, 2016

7:00	<i>Continental Breakfast</i>	
	6th Next Generation Sequencing	3rd Metabolomics - Advances & Applications in Human Disease
8:00	Keynote Presentation Session III: Single Cell Analysis	Session V: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice
9:30	<i>Morning Networking Break</i>	
10:00	Session IV: Clinical Diagnostic Sequencing	Session V: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice (cont.)
12:00	<i>Registration & Lunch Provided by GTCbio</i>	
1:25	<i>Welcome & Opening Remarks</i>	
	CRISPR & Genome Engineering	Big Data Bioinformatics
1:30	Session I: Update: Current CRISPR Technologies & Techniques	Session I: Big Data Collection & Curation
2:45	<i>Afternoon Networking Break</i>	
3:20	Session I: Update: Current CRISPR Technologies & Techniques (cont.)	Session II: Bioinformatics Enabling Precision Medicine
5:00	<i>Evening Reception & Poster Session</i>	

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AGENDA AT-A-GLANCE

Day 3 - Friday, May 27, 2016

7:00

Continental Breakfast

CRISPR & Genome Engineering

Big Data Bioinformatics

8:00

Session II:
Therapeutic Applications of CRISPR & Genome Engineering

Keynote Presentation

Session III:
Big Data & Systems Pharmacology

9:40

Morning Networking Break

10:20

Session II:
Therapeutic Applications of CRISPR & Genome Engineering
(cont.)

Session IV:
Combining Large Population & Personal Data for Patient
Care, Clinical Trials and R&D

12:00

Lunch Provided by GTCbio

1:30

Session III:
CRISPR Regulation of Gene Expression

Session V:
Novel Tools and Approaches for Big Data

Session VI:
The Future of Big Data in Biomedicine

3:10

Conference Concludes

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Session: Current and Emerging Sequencing Technologies

Jeffery Schloss
National Institutes of Health

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS



The Sample Preparation Bottleneck Arrives: Why Nobody will Care About DNA Sequencers in 2018

Paul Blainey
Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard



Session: Single Cell Analysis

Kenneth Livak
Fluidigm Corporation



Novel Strategies in Single Molecule Sensing

Joshua Edel
Imperial College London



Session: Clinical Diagnostic Sequencing

Vilas Menon
Allen Institute for Brain Science



Session: Single Cell Analysis

Yanyi Huang
Biodynamic Optical Imaging Center, Peking University



Our Path to Precision Care for Kids

Patrice Milos
Claritas Genomics



Spatial Transcriptomics and Beyond

Je 'Jay' H. Lee
Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory



Session: RNA Sequencing, DNA Sequencing

Kalim Mir
Harvard University



Squeezing New Information out of DNA Using Tunable Nanoscale Confinement

Sabrina Leslie
McGill University



Session: Current and Emerging Sequencing Technologies

John Oliver
Nabsys

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS



*5' end RNA-Seq Methods – Evaluating
the Options to Annotate Neuronal
Transcriptomes*

Joshua Levin
Broad Institute



Session: Clinical Diagnostic Sequencing

Joseph Vockley
Inova Healthcare

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

Howard Federoff
University of California, Irvine

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS



Session: Metabolite Identification - Targets and Pathways

John M. Asara
Harvard Medical School



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

Evagelia (Lia) C. Laiakis
Georgetown University



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

Susan Cheng
Harvard Medical School



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Jessica Ann Lasky-Su
Brigham and Women's Hospital and Harvard Medical School



Session: Bioinformatics for Metabolomics: Current Status and Future Directions

Xiuxia Du
University of North Carolina at Charlotte



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Pierluigi Mauri
Institute for Biomedical Technologies



Session: Metabolite Identification - Targets and Pathways

Elizaveta Freinkman
Whitehead Institute



Session: Advances in Metabolite Markers - Discovery and Validation

Mike Milburn
Metabolon



Session: Imaging and Computational Approaches to Assessing the Metabolome

Timothy Garrett
University of Florida



Session: Metabolite Identification - Targets and Pathways

Deepak Nagrath
Rice University



Session: Metabolite Identification - Targets and Pathways

David Grant
University of Connecticut



Session: Advances in Metabolite Markers - Discovery and Validation

Monika Niewczas
**Joslin Diabetes Center
Harvard Medical School**

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

Stefan Kempa
Berliner Institut für Gesundheitsforschung



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

John Ryals
Metabolon



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

Richard Kibbey
Yale School of Medicine



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

Susan Sumner
RTI International



Session: Translating Metabolomics Discoveries in Clinical Practice

Alla Kloss
Sanofi



Clinical Metabolomics: Technical Developments Representing the Alpha and Omega of Drug Development

Vladimir Tolstikov
Berg



Session: Advances in Metabolite Markers - Discovery and Validation

Irwin Kurland
Albert Einstein College of Medicine

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS



Session: CRISPR Regulation of Gene Expression

Daniel Anderson
MIT



Session: Therapeutic Applications of CRISPR & Genome Engineering

Pamela Munster
UCSF



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Zheng-Yi Chen
**Massachusetts Eye & Ear Infirmary,
Harvard Medical School**



Session: Therapeutic Applications of CRISPR & Genome Engineering

Mark Osborn
University of Minnesota



Session: Update: Current CRISPR Technologies & Techniques

Jonathan D. Chesnut
Thermo Fisher Scientific



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Eric Ostertag
Poseida Therapeutics



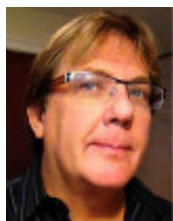
Session: Update: Current CRISPR Technologies & Techniques

John G. Doench
Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard



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Pablo Perez Pinera
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign



Functional Genomics Using CRISPR-Cas9 for the Identification & Validation of Novel Oncology Targets

Dennis France
Horizon Discovery



Session: Therapeutic Applications of CRISPR & Genome Engineering

Wenning Qin
Biogen



Session: Update: Current CRISPR Technologies & Techniques

Keith T. Gagnon
Southern Illinois University



Session: CRISPR Regulation of Gene Expression

Gaurav Varshney
National Human Genome Research Institute



Session: Therapeutic Applications of CRISPR & Genome Engineering

William Hendriks
**Massachusetts General Hospital
Harvard Medical School**



Session: CRISPR Regulation of Gene Expression

Ron Weiss
Massachusetts Institute of Technology

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS



*Lenti- and AAV Viral Delivery of CRISPR/
Cas9 - The Caveats and Successes*

Jeffrey Hung
GenScript USA



*Session: Therapeutic Applications of
CRISPR & Genome Engineering*

Guangbin Xia
University of Florida



*Session: Therapeutic Applications of
CRISPR & Genome Engineering*

Alexander Marson
University of California, San Francisco



*Delivery Technologies and Therapeutic
Genome Editing*

Hao Yin
Massachusetts Institute of Technology



*Session: Update: Current CRISPR
Technologies & Techniques*

Miguel A. Moreno-Mateos
Yale University School of Medicine

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



*New Technologies for Collecting and Interpreting
Petabytes for BRAIN and Precision Medicine Projects*

George Church
Harvard University

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*Computational Assessment of
Novel Drug-target Interactions and
Pharmacological Strategies*

Ivet Bahar
**School of Medicine, University of
Pittsburgh**



*Session: Combining Large Population &
Personal Data for Patient Care, Clinical
Trials and R&D*

Sidi Chen
Broad Institute



*Session: Combining Large Population &
Personal Data for Patient Care, Clinical
Trials and R&D*

Roberto Chiarle
**Boston Children Hospital and Harvard
Medical School**



*Session: The Future of Big Data in
Biomedicine*

Fabrício Costa
UCB



*Session: Novel Tools and Approaches for
Big Data*

Ben Gordon
MIT-Broad



Session: Big Data Collection & Curation

Michael Green
University of Nebraska Medical Center



*Session: Novel Tools and Approaches for
Big Data*

Vladimir Litvak
UMass Medical School



*Session: Bioinformatics Enabling Precision
Medicine*

Xiaole Shirley Liu
Harvard University



Session: Big Data & Systems Pharmacology

Andriy Morgun
Oregon State University



Session: Big Data Collection & Curation

Sudhakaran Prabakaran
AAAS



*Session: Bioinformatics Enabling Precision
Medicine*

John Quackenbush
Genospace



*Session: Big Data & Systems
Pharmacology*

Birgit Schoeberl
Merrimack

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS



Session: Combining Large Population & Personal Data for Patient Care, Clinical Trials and R&D

Manolis Kellis
MIT



Session: The Future of Big Data in Biomedicine

Alex Sherman
Massachusetts General Hospital



Session: Novel Tools and Approaches for Big Data

Purvesh Khatri
Stanford University

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