

Town Hall Meeting

Introduction to Translational Medicine

Translational medicine is central to the goal of converting basic discoveries to diagnostic and therapeutic tools that can be harnessed to treat disease and improve human health. As such, the field of translational medicine is multidisciplinary, encompassing molecular medicine, intellectual property, financing, regulation, pre-clinical and clinical trial studies, among others. Given the increasing importance of translational medicine in the biomedical field, we bring you our first event from a series of six translational medicine workshops.

Aims:

- Highlight the principles guiding movement from initial investigations into “advanced” studies
- Discuss designing and managing clinical trials, including data management and interpretation
- Explore the intersection of interests between key stakeholders



Monday 15th March 2021



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zoom



11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (UAE Time)
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (Israel Time)
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (Singapore Time)



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Professor Salvatore Albani M.D., Ph.D

President of Eureka Institute for Translational Medicine

Professor with Duke-NUS Medical School Singapore, the Director of the Translational Immunology Institute, and a Senior Clinical Scientist with the Pediatrics Academic Clinical Program. His fundamental research interest is in understanding human immunity and contributing the knowledge to therapeutic and diagnostic advancements.



Dr. Walid Zaher M.D., Ph.D

Chief Research Officer, G42 Healthcare

Dr. Walid is principle investigator of the Emirati Genome Program and study Director for the Phase III Clinical Trials for the Sinopharm COVID-19 Vaccine in UAE. He is also an Adjunct Associate Professor at College of Medicine and Health Sciences, UAEU, with more than 30 ISI publications in reputed journals including Nature and Stem Cells.



Professor Rami Aqeilan Ph.D

Chairman, Institute for Medical Research - Israel-Canada (IMRIC)

Professor at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem – Faculty of Medicine. His research interest include genetic and molecular basis of cancer development; study of genes (coding and non-coding) to elucidate pathways for developing rational, effective therapeutic approaches to cancer. He is the recipient of the Youdim Family Prize for Excellence in Cancer Research.

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TIME	ITEM	PRESENTER
11:00 AM – 11:05 AM (UAE Time) 9:00 AM – 9:05 AM (Israel Time) 3:00 PM – 3:05 PM (Singapore Time)	Welcome	Dr. Rami Beiram - Moderator
11:05 AM – 11:25 AM (UAE Time) 9:05 AM – 9:25 AM (Israel Time) 3:05 PM – 3:25 PM (Singapore Time)	Introduction to Translational Medicine	Professor Salvatore Albani
11:25 AM – 11:40 AM (UAE Time) 9:25 AM – 9:40 AM (Israel Time) 3:25 PM – 3:40 PM (Singapore Time)	Translational Medicine in UAE	Dr Walid Zaher
11:40 AM – 11:55 AM (UAE Time) 9:40 AM – 9:55 AM (Israel Time) 3:40 PM – 3:55 PM (Singapore Time)	Translational Medicine in Israel	Professor Rami Aqeilan
11:55 AM – 1:00 PM (UAE Time) 9:55 AM – 11:00 AM (Israel Time) 3:55 PM – 5:00 PM (Singapore Time)	Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A	Professor Salvatore Albani Dr Walid Zaher Professor Rami Aqeilan