

"Precision Oncology Powered by Data Intelligence"

Welcome to the 24th Cancer Center Workshop: *Precision Oncology Powered by Data Intelligence*—a dynamic forum bringing together the nation's leading designated and community cancer centers. This strategic convening unites clinicians, researchers, translational scientists, executive leaders, technologists, and some of the most advanced data scientists in oncology, all collectively committed to transforming the future of cancer care.

As precision oncology continues to evolve, the integration of high-quality real-world data and advanced analytics is becoming essential to driving smarter, faster, and more personalized treatment decisions. This workshop will explore how data intelligence—spanning genomics, proteomics, translational clinical data, AI, and predictive modeling—is unlocking new opportunities to improve outcomes, streamline care delivery, and accelerate research across both community-based and academic settings.

Together, we'll examine strategic frameworks, real-world applications, digital platforms, and the infrastructure required to scale data-powered innovation in oncology. Let's chart the path forward—from data to impact.

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Travel Day: Thursday November 6th

Friday November 7 (Day One)		
7:00 am	Breakfast	
8:00 am	Chairs Introductions & Symposium Kickoff	
	Suresh S. Ramalingam, M.D., FACP, FASCO – Executive Director Winship Cancer Institute, Emory Health	
8:05 am	Chairs Welcome, Opening Remarks & Conference Overview	
	Chair: Stephen D. Nimer, M.D., - Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center	
	Co-Chair: Antonio Iavarone, M.D., - Deputy Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center	
8:15 am	Session 1: AI in Childhood and AYA Cancers	
	Session Chair: Aditi Dhir, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center	
	 Adam Resnick, Ph.D., - Children's Hospital of Philadelphia 	
	Jonathan Metts, M.D., - Moffitt Comprehensive Cancer Center	
9:15 am	SU2C-Ci4CC Distinguished Keynote: "Digital Tumors for Precision Oncology"	
	Trey Ideker, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Medicine, University of California San Diego	
	 Director ARPA-H ADAPT, Dynamic Digital Tumors for Precision Oncology Project 	
	 Director Bridge2Al Cell Maps for Al (CM4Al) Data Generation Project 	
	Co-Director, Cancer Cell Map Initiative (CCMI)	
9:45 am	Distinguished Keynote & Fireside Chat with Oracle Health: "Healthcare AI in Action"	
	Seema Verma, EVP and GM of Oracle Health & Life Sciences	
	Oracle Health and Ci4CC Society Joint Initiative Announcement	
10:15 am	Networking Break	
11:00 am	Session 2: Data Infrastructure & Clinical Trial Matching	
	• Session Chairs: Stephan Schürer, Ph.D., - Director Data Science / Vasileios Stathias, Ph.D., - Assistant	
	Director, Data Science / Erin Kobetz, Ph.D., MPH Assistant Director, Associate Director for Community	
	Outreach and Engagement / Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center	
	Daniel Fabbri, Ph.D., FAMIA, - Vanderbilt University Medical Center	
	Patrick Mergler, MBA, PMP, CPHIMS, - VP of Connectivity, Tempus AI	
	 Joseff Schulin, MSN, RN – Head of Provider Al Solutions, Tempus Al 	



12:00 pm	Lunch Networking Event
1:00 pm	24th Cancer Center Director's Keynote:
	Stephen D. Nimer, M.D., - Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center
1:30 pm	Session 3: Precision Medicine and AI
	 Co-Chairs: Antonio lavarone, M.D., - Deputy Director / Carl Ola Landgren, M.D., Ph.D., - Director, Sylvester Myeloma Institute / Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center Sanjay Juneja, M.D., - VP of Clinical Al Applications, Tempus Al Enrique Velazquez-Villarreal, M.D., Ph.D., MPH, MS - City of Hope Comprehensive Cancer Center Keli Rasmussen, MS, Associate Director, Project Genie, AACR Marco Magistri, Ph.D Senior Molecular Science Liaison - Caris Life Sciences
2:30 pm	Distinguished Keynote & Fireside Chat with Guardant Health: "Conquering Cancer with Data"
	 Helmy Eltoukhy, Ph.D., Chairman and co-CEO Guardant Health Craig Eagle, M.D., Chief Medical Officer Guardant Health Mathew Ellis, Ph.D., SVP of Clinical Development Precision Oncology at Guardant Health Jason Porter, M.D., VP Clinical Education
3:15 pm	Networking Break
3:45 pm	"Inside the Director's Office" – A Fireside Chat on Strategic Priorities and Cancer Center Initiatives
	 Session Chair & Moderator - Steve Rosen, MD, FACP, FASCO – EVP & Director Emeritus COH CCC Stephen D. Nimer, M.D., – Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center Antonio Iavarone, M.D., - Deputy Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center Suresh S. Ramalingam, M.D., FACP, FASCO – Executive Director, Winship Cancer Institute Seema Verma, EVP and GM, Oracle Health Helmy Eltoukhy, Ph.D., Chairman and co-CEO Guardant Health Warren Kibbe, PhD., Deputy Director for Data Science, National Cancer Institute Sorena Nadaf-Rahrov, MS, MMI, President Ci4CC & Director, Cancer Centers Initiatives Program
5:00 pm	Adjourn Day One
6:30 pm	Chairs' Reception, Cancer Center Directors' Induction Ceremony, and Society Dinner – All Attendees
8:00 pm	The Ci4CC Brady Davis Networking Event - Miami Beach



	Saturday, November 8 (Day Two)		
7:00 am	Breakfast		
8:00 am	Day 2 Kickoff: Chairs Introductions & General Announcements		
	Steve Rosen, MD, FACP, FASCO – EVP & Director Emeritus COH Comprehensive Cancer Center		
8:05 am	Chairs Welcome, Day 2 Overview and Introduction		
	Chair: Stephen D. Nimer, M.D., - Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
	Co-Chair: Antonio Iavarone, M.D., - Deputy Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
8:15 am	Session 4: Leveraging AI/ML and LLM Technologies to Develop and Deliver Risk-Stratified Survivorship Care		
	• Session Chair: Frank Penedo, Ph.D., – Center Associate Director for Population Sciences, and Director,		
	Cancer Survivorship and Supportive Care, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
	 Jerry Bonnel, Ph.D., - Frost Institute for Data Science and Computing, University of Miami 		
	 Mitsunori Ogihara, Ph.D.,- Institute for Data Science and Computing, University of Miami 		
	 Ravi Vadapalli, Ph.D., - Institute for Data Science and Computing, University of Miami 		
	 Akina Natori, M.D., - Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, University of Miami 		
	 Molly Bryant, Vice President for Precision Health, Vibrent Health (tbd) 		
9:00 am	Session 5: Leveraging ctDNA Technologies Towards Diagnostics and Therapeutics Management		
	 Session Chair: Jonathan C. Trent, M.D., Ph.D. – Associate Director, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center 		
	• Emily Jonczak, M.D., – Assistant Professor of Clinical Medicine, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
	Nicholas Borja, M.D., – Assistant Professor of Clinical Genetics, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
9:30 am	Session 6: Population Science: Wearables and Precision Medicine Session		
	Session Chair: Tracy Crane, Ph.D., – Director of Digital Health and Lifestyle Medicine for Cancer		
	Survivorship, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
	Vasileios Stathias, Ph.D., - Assistant Director, Data Science, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
	Harleen Kaur, Ph.D. – Post-Doctoral Research Fellow, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center		
	Ghulam Rasool, PhD., – Moffit Comprehensive Cancer Center		
10:00 am	Networking Break		



10:45 am	Distinguished Keynote & Fireside Chat with Caris Life Sciences – "Revolutionizing Cancer Care"
	Where Molecular Science Meets Artificial Intelligence – Improving the Human Condition
	Precision Oncology Alliance - Optimizing Clinical Care and Outcomes
	Caris Life Sciences and Ci4CC Society Initiative Announcement
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11:30 am	Session 7: Metabolomics, Proteomics and Al Applications
	• Session Chair: David Lombard, M.D., Ph.D. – Co-Leader of Cancer Epigenetics, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center
	Katie Thoren, Ph.D Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center
	Kojo S.J. Elenitoba - Johnson, MD, - Memorial Sloan Kettering Comprehensive Cancer Center
	Chris Beecher, Ph.D IROA Technologies, LLC
12:30 am	Lunch Networking Event
1:30 pm	Distinguished Keynote: "Advancing the Future of Population-Based Cancer Registries"
	Dr. Eric Durbin, DrPH, MS - Associate Professor & Interim Chief, Division of Biomedical Informatics,
	College of Medicine, University of Kentucky
	 President – North American Association of Central Cancer Registries
	 Director- Cancer Center Informatics Shared Resource Facility
	 Director, Kentucky Cancer Registry
2:00 pm	National Alliance on Cancer Center Shared Resources Initiative
	Session Chair: George S. Grills, – Associate Director for Shared Resources, Sylvester Comprehensive
	Cancer Center
	Alliance Overview, Updates, and Working Group Announcements
	Alliance Membership Panel
2:30 pm	Networking Break
3:00 pm	Session 8: Precision Medicine and Genomic Variability in Solid Tumors
	Session Chair: Sophia George, Ph.D. – Associate Professor, Gynecological Oncology
	 Jasmine Plummer, Ph.D. – St. Jude Children's Cancer Research Hospital
	Sara Linker, Ph.D. – Pfizer
4:00 pm	Late Breaking Data Platform Incubator Panel
4:30 pm	Adjourn Day Two: Ci4CC Leadership Steering Committee (Invitation Only)
8:00 pm	Networking Social
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	Sunday, November 9 (Day Three)
7:00 am	Breakfast
8:00 am	Day Three Welcome & Introductions
8:05 am	Session 9: Tech Spotlight Case Studies: "Data as a Strategic Compass for Cancer Center Executives"
	Cancer Center #1
	Cancer Center #2
8:30 am	CCSG Shared Resources Spotlight
	Laboratory Management Information Systems (LIMS) - Evaluation & Operations Criteria Review
	Issues of Common Interest for Biomedical Informatics Shared Resources
	Panel on Services / Support Structure / Best Practices
	CCSG Informatics and Data Science Digital Posters
9:30 am	Life Sciences Keynote
10:00 am	Session 10: National Alliances and Initiatives Roundup
	24 th Cancer Center Informatics Workshop Abstract Highlights
	2025 – 2026 National Alliance Initiative Announcements and Sign Up
	Initiative #1 with Oracle Health
	Initiative #2 with Caris Life Sciences
	Initiative #3 with Guardant Health
	Initiative #4: with NCI-Designated Cancer Centers: Embedded EMR CTMS Alliance
11:00 am	Health Universe AI Collaborative Initiative & Hackathon Round 2: AI for Everyone
	Next Generation Cancer Registries
12:00 pm	Closing Remarks & Society Updates:
	Sorena Nadaf-Rahrov, MS, MMI –
	o Fall Chairs Announcement
	 Al Educational Workshops Alliance Announcement
	o Golf for Cancer Informatics (Golf4CI) Announcement
12:30 pm	Meeting Adjourned