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Tuesday, April 4th  
7:30am-5:00pm

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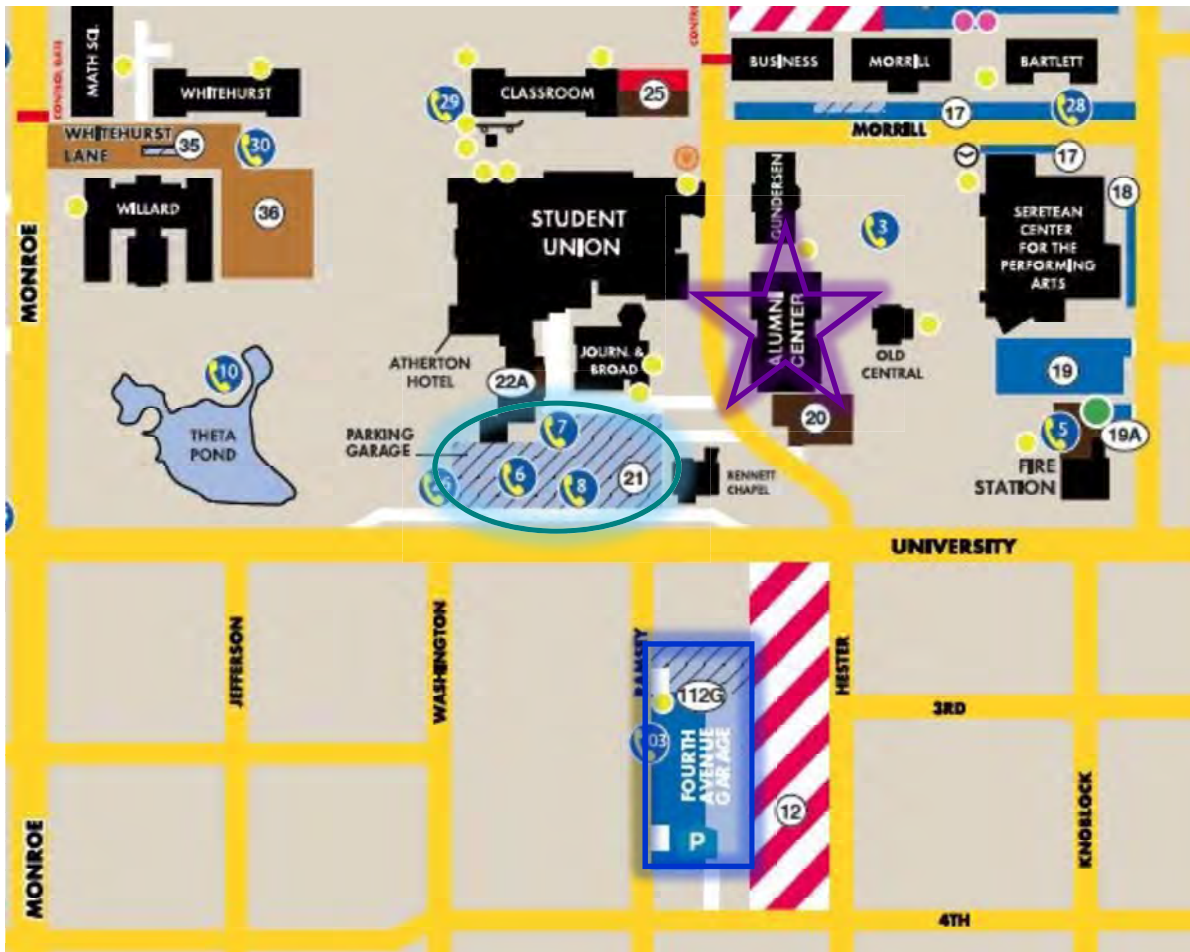
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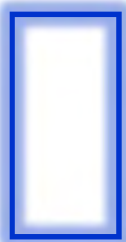
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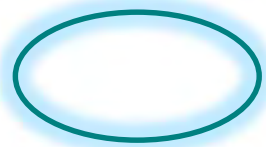
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- 07:30-08:30 Registration and Breakfast; Please drop off posters at the registration table.  
08:30-08:50 Welcome Remarks by **Kenneth Sewell, Ph.D.**, Vice President for Research, Oklahoma State University & **Chris Ross, Ph.D.**, Interim Dean of Veterinary Medicine, followed by Director's Report by **Lin Liu, Ph.D.**, Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University

**Session I (Session Chair: Lin Liu, Ph.D., Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University)**

- 08:50-09:25 Keynote Address #1  
**Susan Kovats, Ph.D.**, Associate Member, Arthritis & Clinical Immunology Research Program, Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation  
*IRF4-dependent DCs regulate T cell effector and memory responses in influenza infection*
- 09:25-09:50 Project Presentation #1  
**Tom Oomens, Ph.D.**, Veterinary Pathobiology, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University  
*Developing vaccines for respiratory syncytial virus*
- 09:50-10:05 Pilot Project Presentation #1  
**Shitao Li, Ph.D.**, Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University  
*Plakophilin 2 Controls Polymerase Assembly of Influenza A Virus*
- 10:05-10:20 Pilot Project Presentation #2  
**Veronique Lacombe, Ph.D.**, Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University  
*Regulation of Glucose Transport in the Diabetic Lung: Novel Targets*
- 10:20-10:35 Pilot Project Presentation #3  
**Dianne McFarlane, Ph.D.**, Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University  
*The role of cytomegalovirus infection in immunosenescence*
- 10:35-10:50 Coffee Break

**Session II (Session Chair: Jordan Metcalf, M.D., University of Oklahoma Health Science Center)**

- 10:50-11:15 Project Presentation #2  
**Heather Gappa-Fahlenkamp, Ph.D.**, Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering and Architecture Technology, Oklahoma State University  
*Differential Immunophenotype of Small Airway Epithelial Cells in a Human Tissue-Engineered Lung Model in Response to H1N1 and H3N2 Influenza A Virus Infections*
- 11:15-11:30 Pilot Project Presentation #4  
**Yu Feng, Ph.D.**, Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering and Architecture Technology, Oklahoma State University  
*Multi-scale Dosimetry Modeling of Influenza Virus-Laden Droplets through the Pulmonary Route*
- 11:30-11:40 Core Report #1  
Immunopathology Core, **Jerry Ritchey, DVM, Ph.D.**, Veterinary Pathobiology, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University

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- 11:40-11:55 Pilot Project Presentation #5  
**Ashlee Ford Versypt, Ph.D.**, Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering and Architecture Technology, Oklahoma State University  
*Computational Modeling of the Transition from Latent to Active Tuberculosis*
- 11:55-12:05 Abstract Presentation #1  
**Santosh Adhikari**, Graduate Student, Chemistry, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University  
*Designing Eumelanin-inspired Antimicrobials that Target Drug Resistant Bacteria*
- 12:05-12:30 Group Photo
- 12:30-01:30 Lunch

**Session III (Session Chair: Tom Oomens, Ph.D., Veterinary Pathobiology, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University)**

- 01:30-02:05 Keynote Address #2  
**Bethany Moore, Ph.D.**, Professor of Internal Medicine and Microbiology and Immunology & Director of Program Immunology, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan  
*Innate and Adaptive Immunity and Lung Complications post-Stem Cell Transplant*
- 02:05-02:30 Project Presentation #3  
**Shanjana Awasthi, Ph.D.**, Pharmaceutical Sciences, College of Pharmacy, University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center  
*Control of lung inflammation by a TLR4-interacting SP-A-derived peptide*
- 02:30-02:40 Pilot Project Presentation #6  
**William Michael McShan, Ph.D.**, Pharmaceutical Sciences, College of Pharmacy, University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center  
*Phage-like Chromosomal Islands and Global Transcription in Streptococcus pneumoniae*
- 02:40-02:50 Abstract Presentation #2  
**William Starr**, Undergraduate Student, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, Oklahoma State University  
*Antibiotic Resistance of Pseudomonas aeruginosa Recovered From Cystic Fibrosis Patients*
- 02:50-03:00 Core Report #2  
Animal Model Core , **Myron Hinsdale, DVM, Ph.D.**, Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University
- 03:00-03:15 Pilot Project Presentation #7  
**Kevin Wilson, Ph.D.**, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, Oklahoma State University  
*Ribosome Analysis of Pseudomonas Biofilms*
- 03:15-03:40 Project Presentation #4  
**Raju Teluguakula, Ph.D.**, Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University  
*Role of neutrophils in influenza virus pneumonia*
- 03:40-03:50 Core Report #3  
Molecular Biology Core Report, **Lin Liu, Ph.D.**, Physiological Sciences, Center for Veterinary and Health Sciences, Oklahoma State University
- 03:50-04:00 Refreshment Break
- 04:00-04:55 Poster Session
- 04:55-05:00 Announcement of Poster Competition Winners

<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Abstract No.</b>	<b>Abstract Title</b>
Adhikari, S.	101	Designing Eumelanin-inspired Antimicrobials that Target Drug Resistant Bacteria
Ainsua-Enrich, E.	102	IRF4-dependent DCs regulate T cell effector and memory responses in influenza infection
Anderson, Michael	103	3-Dimensional Evaluation of the Glutamatergic Sensory Innervation of Rat Visceral Pleura
Bamunuarachchi, G.	104	miR-206 Inhibits Influenza A Virus Replication by Targeting Tankyrase 2
Bhowmick, R.	105	Differential Immunophenotype of Small Airway Epithelial Cells in a Tissue Equivalent Respiratory Model in Response to H1N1 and H3N2 Influenza A Virus Infections
Blair, A.	106	An analytics approach to the study of COPD drug therapies on 30-day readmissions
Campolo, A.	107	Diabetes Alters the Translocation of the Insulin-Sensitive Glucose Transporters in the Lung
Derakhshan, M.	108	A Three-dimensional Tissue Model for the Study of Mast Cell Response in Inflammatory Reactions
Eleshy, R.	109	Detection and Characterization of Antibiotic Resistant <i>S. aureus</i> from Cystic Fibrosis Patient Isolates
Feng, Y.	110	A New Pulmonary Drug Targeted Delivery Method for Lung Diseases Treatment: An In-Silico Study
Gallaway, E.	111	Antimicrobial Properties of Novel Silver(I) Cyanoximates
Gujar, V.	112	Utility of Attenuated Mycobacteria in Creation of Robust Inflammatory Rat Model for Determining the Expression of Nerve Growth Factor in Epithelial Cells
Gupta, A.	113	Comparison of mortality prediction in septic patients using SIRS and qSOFA screening criteria
Hatipoglu, I.	114	A dual role of IRF4 in DC differentiation and function during influenza virus infection
Hatipoglu, S.	115	Inhalable Microparticulate SHetA2 Nanocrystals for Lung Cancer Treatment
Huang, C.	116	A role of iron in the pathogenesis of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis
Kadel, S.	117	Regulation of lung resident type II innate lymphoid cells (ILC2s) by ER $\alpha$
Kayastha, B.	118	A Calmodulin-like Calcium Binding Protein, EfhP, Plays Role in Virulence of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>

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Khanam, S.	119	Intracellular Calcium Regulates Antibiotic Resistance and Virulence in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>
King, M.	120	A $\beta$ Propeller Protein, CarP, Plays Role in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> Response to Calcium
Mahjabeen, S.	121	Comparative Analysis of the Immunogenicity Elicited after Pulmonary or Subcutaneous Immunization with BCG in Mice
McCullor, K.	122	Genomic Characterization of the High Efficiency Transducing <i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i> Bacteriophage A25 Reveals an Escape from Lysogeny and Resistance Mechanism
McLeod, D.	123	Generating mutations for functional studies of the putative Ca <sup>2+</sup> -binding protein CarP
Meshram, C.	124	Mapping of the Phosphoprotein Domains Involved in RSV Particle Assembly
Munteanu, C.	125	Long Non-coding RNA FENDRR Enhances IFN $\gamma$ -Induced Inflammatory Phenotype in Human Macrophages
Nelson, N.	126	Recruitment of Protein Kinase C and Protein Kinase C substrates to the <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> inclusion
Ochoa Corona, F.	127	Alternatives to Biomedical Research You Can Use From Plants in Animals & Humans
Pande, R.	128	The role of miR23b and let-7a in glutamatergic myenteric innervation in trinitro-benzene-sulphonic acid-induced colitis in rats
Patil, G.	129	Ubiquitin E3 ligase TRIM41 targets nucleoprotein of influenza A virus and limits viral replication
Pilvankar, M.	130	Computational Modeling of Tuberculosis Granuloma Activation
Pushparaj, S.	131	Identification of novel cellular lnc-PINK1-2 transcripts during influenza infection
Rahman, M.	132	Comparative Genome Analysis of <i>Streptococcus anginosus</i> J4206: Daptomycin Resistant strain responsible for Break-through Bacteremia
Roberts, B.	133	Exploring the anti-viral properties of the natural product OSW-1 through long term OSBP depletion
Roberts, B.	134	Broad Spectrum Anti-Enteroviral Prophylaxis and Drug Treatment Through Targeting the Oxysterol-binding Protein (OSBP)
Rogers, R.	135	Calcium Binding in the EF-Hand Protein, EfhP, Regulating Calcium-Dependent Virulence in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>
Rudd, J.	136	Novel Combination Therapy for Dual Infection Pneumonia

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Sah, P.	137	<i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> Manipulation of Protein Kinase C
Sathiaseelan, R.	138	IL-21 enhances TGF $\beta$ -mediated differentiation of pulmonary fibroblasts to myofibroblasts
Sawant, L.	139	Identification of sequences in the bovine herpesvirus 1 (BoHV-1) genome that are transcriptionally activated by stress and stress-induced transcription factors.
Senavirathna, L.	140	Hypoxia promotes human pulmonary fibroblast proliferation by activating NFAT signaling
Seshadri, S.	141	Anthrax lethal toxin suppresses MAP kinase pathway to decrease IL-22 production in the type 3 innate lymphoid cells
Starr, C.	142	Antibiotic Resistance of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> Recovered From Cystic Fibrosis Patients
Stewart, S.	143	Tissue and developmental expression patterns of claudin-1 and claudin-2, two major tight junction proteins, in chickens
Truelock, M.	144	Elevated levels of Calcium increases rhamnolipid production in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>
Wang, L.	145	Comparative Influenza Protein Interactomes Identify the Role of Plakophilin 2 in Virus Restriction
Whitworth, L.	146	Oklahoma State University Microscopy Laboratory
Willis, E.	147	The effects of the chronic herpesvirus cytomegalovirus on lymphocyte populations and on markers of inflammation in a baboon model of immunosenescence
Yang, X.	148	miR-193b suppresses influenza virus infection via the Wnt/ $\beta$ -catenin signaling by targeting $\beta$ -catenin
Zhu, L.	149	A potential role for a $\beta$ -catenin coactivator (high mobility group AT-hook 1 protein) during the latency-reactivation cycle of bovine herpesvirus 1



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