Lurie Cancer Center Prostate Cancer Symposium
New Discoveries in Prostate Cancer Research
April 10, 2019 • 7:45 AM – 3:00 PM
Robert H. Lurie Medical Research Center • Baldwin Auditorium

7:45 AM  Check-in & Breakfast

8:15 AM  Welcome

8:20 AM  Transcriptomic Heterogeneity of Androgen Receptor Activity in Treatment Naïve Primary Prostate Cancer: Identification of an Aggressive de Novo Low AR-active Subclass
Edward Schaeffer, MD, PhD
Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University

8:50 AM  Q&A Session

9:00 AM  Therapeutic Vulnerabilities in MAP3K7 (Tak1) Deficient Prostate Cancer
Scott Cramer, PhD
University of Colorado, Anschutz Medical Campus

9:30 AM  Q&A Session

9:40 AM  A Novel HMT-independent Function of EZH2 in Prostate Cancer
Qi Cao, PhD
Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University

10:10 AM  Q&A Session

10:20 AM  Break

10:35 AM  Novel Approaches to DNA Damage Response— Targeting Therapy for Prostate Cancer
Timothy Thompson, PhD
University of Texas, MD Anderson Cancer Center

11:05 AM  Q&A Session

11:15 AM  Principles of Epigenetics and Chromatin in Development and Human Disease
Ali Shilatifard, PhD
Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University

11:45 AM  Q&A Session

11:55 AM  Prostate Cancer Discussion Panel
Sarki Abdulkadir, MD, PhD; Qi Cao, PhD; Scott Cramer, PhD; Maha Hussain, MD; Carl June, MD; Edward Schaeffer, MD, PhD; Ali Shilatifard, PhD; Tim Thompson, PhD

12:30 PM  Lunch

1:30 PM  KEYNOTE ADDRESS
CAR-T Cells for Cancer: New Kid on the Block
Carl June, MD
Abramson Cancer Center at the University of Pennsylvania

2:30 PM  Wrap-up Summary

3:00 PM  Adjourn