MSTP Virtual Spring 2021 Retreat // Saturday, May 1, 2021
“Physician Scientist Networking with Horizontal Peer and Vertical Mentoring”
Event Agenda

Retreat Goals

• Discuss your career topics of interest with physician scientists who span career stages from trainee to international leader, and have diverse backgrounds, specialties, experiences and career paths.
• Define key opportunities and potential threats you are likely to face at specific stages of your physician scientist career.
• List top characteristics you seek in a mentor and network members.
• Identify at least 1 person with potential to positively impact your physician scientist career based upon key concepts learned at the retreat.
• Reach out to at least 1 person after the retreat with potential to positively impact your physician scientist career as a mentor or network member.

9:00 AM: Welcome and Agenda
Kathryn Wikenheiser-Brokamp, MD, PhD – Associate Director of MSTP

9:05 AM: Guest Speaker Presentation: Andrew Chan, MD, PhD
Senior Vice President, Research Biology, Genentech

Description: Introduction by Rohit Rao (G5), 20-minute guest speaker presentation by Dr. Chan, followed by 10 minutes of Q&A moderated by Dr. Wikenheiser-Brokamp

9:40 AM: Break

9:50 AM: Alumni Introductions

Description: Brief explanation of next activity, followed by 5-minute presentations per alumni

Alumni:

• Margie Balfour, MD, PhD
  o Chief of Quality & Clinical Innovation, Connections Health Solutions
  o Associate Professor of Psychiatry, University of Arizona
• Norris Hollie, II, MD, PhD
  o Assistant Professor, Department of Pathology, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
• Joshua Schaffzin, MD, PhD
  o Director, Infection Prevention & Control, Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center
  o Associate Professor, UCCOM Department of Pediatrics
• Stephanie Ware, MD, PhD
  o Vice Chair of Clinical Affairs, Department of Medical and Molecular Genetics, Indiana University School of Medicine
  o Professor of Pediatrics and Medical & Molecular Genetics, Indiana University
  o Director, Cardiovascular Genetics, Herman B. Wells Center for Pediatric Research
10:15 AM: Small Group Discussions with Alumni

**Description:** Q&A with alumni to discuss trainee questions and topics of interest – four different 10-minute sessions in breakout groups, followed by Alumni Final Words of Advice

**Alumni:** Margie Balfour, MD, PhD; Norris Hollie, II, MD, PhD; Joshua Schaffzin, MD, PhD; Stephanie Ware, MD, PhD

**Student Discussion Moderators:** Keisuke Sawada (M2), Jake Stevens (G1), Rohit Rao (G5), Amanda McGann (G1)

11:10 AM: Guest Speaker Presentation: Lily Peng, MD, PhD
Product Manager, Google Research, Co-Founder, NanoPrecision Medical

**Description:** Introduction by Ben Wissel (G3), 20-minute guest speaker presentation by Dr. Peng, followed by 10 minutes of Q&A moderated by Dr. Wikenheiser-Brokamp

11:45 AM: Break

12:00 PM: M4 Pearls of Wisdom

**Description:** M4-led discussions/advice in various breakout groups – two different 10-minute sessions, followed by M4 Final Words of Advice

**M4s:** Calvin Chan, Courtney Giannini, Andy Kim, Marshall Lukacs, Katelyn Melgar, Seth Reighard
12:40 PM: Wrap-up  
Kathryn Wikenheiser-Brokamp, MD, PhD – Associate Director of MSTP

12:45 PM: Survey  
Amanda McGann (G1)

12:50 PM: Adjourn

Event Virtual Hosts/Administrators:  
- Sara Cohen, Program Coordinator of MSTP (primary event host & point-of-contact)  
- Jennifer Rindler Fridrich, MBA, Administrative Program Director of MSTP