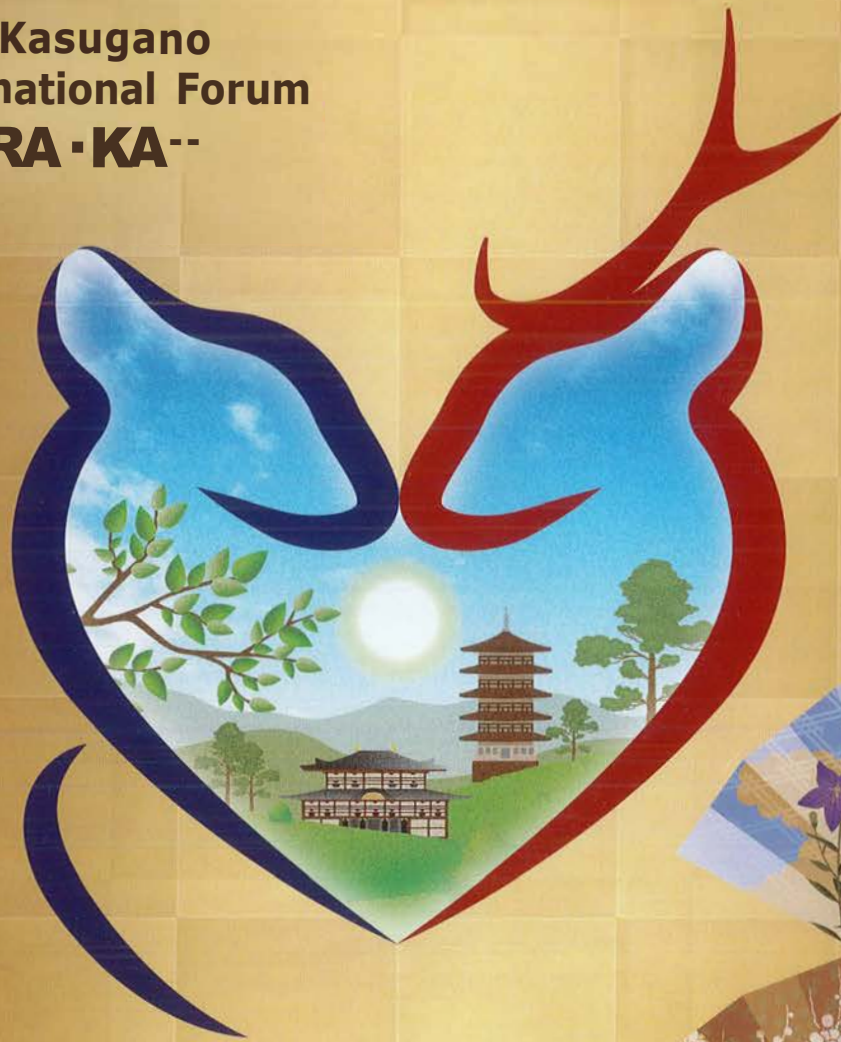


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# KEYNOTE LECTURE 1

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## SHINYA YAMANAKA, MD, PhD

Professor. Shinya Yamanaka is most recognized for his discovery of induced pluripotent stem (iPS) cells, which are differentiated cells that have been reprogrammed to the pluripotent state. He is the Director of the Center for iPS Cell Research and Application (CiRA) and a Principal Investigator at the Institute for Integrated Cell-Material Sciences, both at Kyoto University. Dr. Yamanaka is also a Professor of Anatomy at the University of California, San Francisco, as well as a Senior Investigator and the L.K. Whittier Foundation Investigator in Stem Cell Biology at the Gladstone Institutes. Dr. Yamanaka studied for his medical degree at Kobe University and later earned his PhD from Osaka City University. He took his current position as a professor at Kyoto University in 2004 and was appointed as a Senior Investigator at the Gladstone Institutes in 2007. Since 2008, he has directed CiRA. In 2012, Dr. Yamanaka was awarded the Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for his discovery that adult somatic cells can be reprogrammed into pluripotent cells. By introducing the genes for four factors that turn genes on and off, he induced the skin cells of adult mice to become like embryonic stem cells, which he called induced pluripotent stem (iPS) cells. This iPS cell technology represents an entirely new platform for fundamental studies of developmental biology. In addition to the Nobel Prize, Dr. Yamanaka has received many awards and honors, including the Albert Lasker Basic Medical Research Award, the Wolf Prize in Medicine, the Millennium Technology Award, the Shaw Prize, the Kyoto Prize for Advanced Technology, the Gairdner International Award, the Robert Koch Award and the March of Dimes Prize.

## RECENT PROGRESS IN iPS CELL RESEARCH AND APPLICATION

### SHINYA YAMANAKA, MD, PhD

Induced pluripotent stem cells (iPSCs) can proliferate almost indefinitely and differentiate into multiple cell lineages, giving them wide medical application. As a result, they are being used for new cell-based therapies, disease models and drug development around the world.

We are establishing technologies for the efficient generation of safe iPSCs. The original iPSCs were made from the retroviral transduction of four genes, Oct3/4, Sox2, c-Myc and Klf4. We have since reported an integration-free method using episomal vectors that does not cause chromosomal damage and proposed using L-Myc as an alternative to oncogenic c-Myc to reduce the risk of tumorigenicity. We have also developed a recombinant laminin-based matrix and developed a culture medium free of animal-derived constituents (xeno-free) to generate iPS cells that satisfy regulatory requirements for medical practice.

In 2014, the world's first clinical study using iPSCs began for the treatment of age-related macular degeneration. One year after the surgery, the patient's vision in the treated eye had stabilized and even showed improvement. The results of this clinical study indicate that the use of iPSCs as a source for cell-based therapy. To push these efforts, we are proceeding with an iPSC stock project. The building of an iPS cell stock for regenerative medicine involves the collection of cells from healthy donors with homozygous HLA (human leukocyte antigen) haplotypes. Homozygous HLA haplotypes

# KEYNOTE LECTURE 2

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## MITINORI SAITOU, MD, PhD

Professor Mitinori Saitou focusing on understanding the mechanism of germ cell development in mice, primates, and humans, and reconstituting the process of their development in vitro with pluripotent stem cells. He is a leader of the Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology, Graduate School of Medicine, Kyoto University. He was an undergraduate student in School of Medicine, Kyoto University and received an MD. After graduating in 1995, he pursued a PhD under the late professor Shoichiro Tsukita who was the pioneer of tight junction research at Kyoto University. Dr. Saitou next moved to Cambridge to join professor Azim Surani's lab in the Gurdon Institute where he met the study of germ cell development. Since then, his research

over the last two decades has focused on understanding mechanisms to regulate specification, proliferation, development, and function of germ cells and he has been at the forefront of this field. After completion of his postdoctoral work in Cambridge, Dr. Saitou moved back to Japan as a group leader in the RIKEN Centre for Developmental Biology (Kobe) and then took up a professorship at Kyoto University in 2009.

Dr. Saitou's lab first succeeded in the reconstitution of the mouse germ cell specification in vitro and production of functional sperms as well as oocytes from embryonic stem (ES) cells and induced pluripotent stem (iPS) cells in mice. More importantly, he has expanded these groundbreaking achievements to primates and humans. In addition, Dr. Saitou now explores where human and primate germ cells originate in vivo and the difference in pluripotency between mice and primates (including humans).

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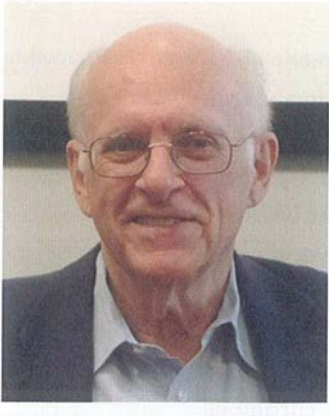
## MECHANISM AND RECONSTITUTION IN VITRO OF GERM CELL DEVELOPMENT IN MICE, MONKEYS, AND HUMANS

MITINORI SAITOU, MD, PhD

The germ cell lineage ensures the creation of new individuals, perpetuating/diversifying the genetic and epigenetic information across the generations. We have been investigating the mechanism for germ cell development, and have shown that mouse embryonic stem cells (mESCs)/induced pluripotent stem cells (miPSCs) are induced into primordial germ cell-like cells (mPGCLCs) with a robust capacity both for spermatogenesis and oogenesis. We have also shown that human iPSCs (hiPSCs) with a primed pluripotency robustly generates human PGCLCs (hPGCLCs) with a property of human early PGCs. Moreover, by investigating the development of cynomolgus monkeys, we have defined a developmental coordinate of the spectrum of pluripotency among mice, monkeys, and humans, and have made an unexpected finding that the germ cell lineage in primates is specified in the amnion. I would here discuss our efforts towards understanding the mechanism of and reconstituting in vitro of germ cell development in mice, monkeys, and humans.

# THE 25TH MEMORIAL LECTURE

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## ROGER R. MARKWALD, PhD

Dr. Roger Markwald is the Distinguished University Professor of the Medical University of South Carolina and Professor of Regenerative Medicine and Cell Biology. In 1994, Dr. Markwald organized the first independent meeting at MUSC in Charleston, one year before this meeting was formally named the "Weinstein Cardiovascular Development Conference".

Dr. Markwald's laboratory has pioneered cell and molecular mechanisms of heart development and their relationship to pediatric and adult onset of cardiovascular diseases. A major focus has been to apply the principles of developmental biology to cell and tissue signaling, regulation and bioengineering in combination with generating animal genetic models or 3D bioprinted complex tissues to study disease mechanisms. After his discoveries during the 1970's that the valve and septal mesenchyme progenitor cells that serve to divide a simple tubular heart into a 4-chambered organ were derived from the endocardium following an inductive interaction with the myocardium, Dr. Markwald has continued to contribute to the cardiovascular field of science, including recognition of the novel anterior (secondary) heart forming field, and published over 230 papers to date. Dr. Markwald has had 33 years of experience in departmental chair administration including working with multiple NIH programmatic and center grants including directing an NIGMS COBRE Center in Cardiovascular Developmental Biology and serving as the institutional PI for an NIGMS Bioengineering COBRE in Regenerative Medicine. Dr. Markwald is also a recipient of Henry Gray Lifetime Research Achievement Award.

## WEINSTEIN CONFERENCES: "25 YEARS OF DISCOVERY IN HEART DEVELOPMENT & DISEASE: WHAT'S NEXT?"

# CONDENSED CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

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14:50-15:10	Break
15:10-16:30	Platform Session 2: Heart Fields
16:30-16:40	Break
16:40-17:25	Hot Topics Pick Up
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18:00-19:00	Keynote Lecture 1: Shinya Yamanaka, MD, PhD
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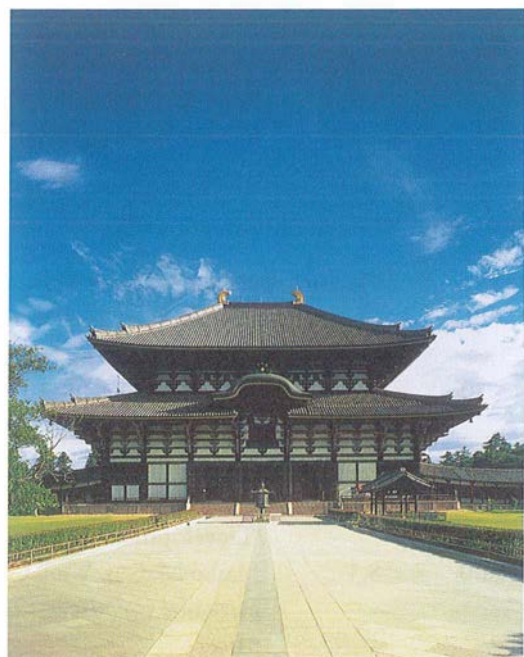
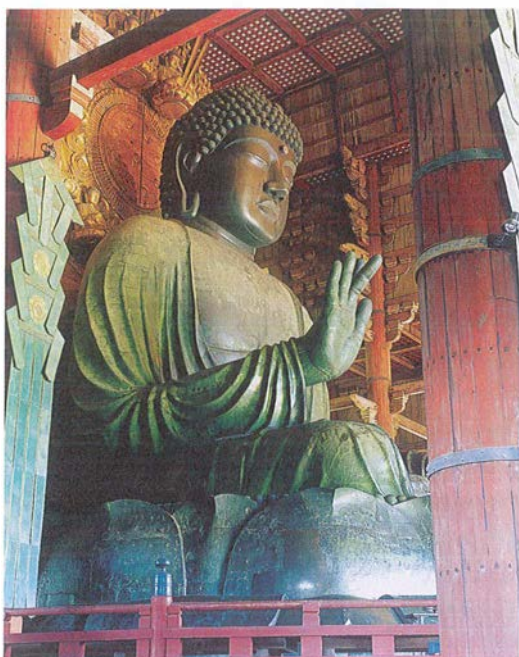
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- 13:30-14:50** **Platform Session 1: Cardiac Progenitors**  
Moderators: Nicole Dubois (Mount Sinai, USA),  
Kenta Yashiro (Osaka University, JPN)
- 13:30-13:50 2.1 Richard Tyser, University of Oxford  
*Defining Cardiac Progenitor Cell Types Genetically and Anatomically at the Single Cell Level during Cardiac Crescent Development*
- 13:50-14:10 2.2 Tarja Yvanka de Soysa, University of California, San Francisco/ J. David Gladstone Institutes  
*Single Cell Analysis of Early Mouse Cardiac Progenitors and Perturbation upon Hand2 Loss*
- 14:10-14:30 2.3 Xuefei Yuan, University of Toronto  
*Gata6 Regulates the Early Specification of Diverse Mesoderm Lineages*
- 14:30-14:50 2.4 Clayton Elliott Friedman, University of Queensland, Institute for Molecular Bioscience  
*Single Cell Transcriptomic Landscape of Cardiac Differentiation*
- 14:50-15:10** Break
- 15:10-16:30** **Platform Session 2: Heart Fields**  
Moderators: Robert Kelly (Aix Marseille Univ, France),  
Deborah Yelon (University of California San Diego, USA)
- 15:10-15:30 2.1 Aibin He, Peking University  
*Single-Cell Transcriptomics Reveals Lineage Hierarchies and Interlineage Communication for TUB Heart Fields*
- 15:30-15:50 2.2 Peter Andersen, Johns Hopkins University  
*Heart Fields Are Induced by Coordinated Activities of Wnt and Bmp Signaling and Identified by Cxcr4 Expression*
- 15:50-16:10 2.3 Yuntao Charlie Song, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center  
*HDACJ-Mediated Repression of the Retinoic Acid-Responsive Gene Ripply3 Promotes Second Heart Field Development*
- 16:10-16:30 2.4 Hiroko Nomaru, Albert Einstein College of Medicine  
*Tbx1 Cell Lineage Analysis in the Second Heart Field*
- 16:30-16:40** Break
- 16:40-17:25** **Hot Topics Pick Up**  
Moderator: Bin Zhou (Chinese Academy of Sciences, China)
- 16:40-16:55 HT.1 Wataru Kimura, RIKEN BDR  
*Hypoxia and Cardiac Regeneration*
- 16:55-17:10 HT.2 Guo Huang, University of California San Francisco  
*Hormonal Control of Cardiac Regenerative Potential in Development and Evolution*
- 17:10-17:25 HT.3 Gonzalo del Monte, Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute  
*NO TCHI/NRGI Control of Cardiac Jelly Dynamics Defines the Building Plan for Trabeculation*

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- 17:25-17:50**      **Special Lecture 1**  
Moderator: Margaret Buckingham (Pasteur Institute, France)  
SL.1      James F. Martin, Baylor College of Medicine  
              *Induction of Cardiogenesis in Jy mammals*
- 17:50-18:00**      Break
- 18:00-19:00**      **Keynote Lecture 1**  
Moderator: Deepak Srivastava (Gladstone Institutes, USA)  
KL.1      Shinya Yamanaka, MD, PhD, CiRA, Kyoto University, Gladstone Institute  
              *Recent Progress in iPS Cell Research and Application*
- 19:00-21:00**      **Poster Session I (Odd numbers), Cocktail Reception**



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Moderators: Henry Sucov (University of Southern California, USA),  
Michiko Watanabe (Case Western Reserve Univ, USA)

- 8:40-9:00 3.1 Sigolene Meilhac, Imagine-Institut Pasteur  
*Left-Right Asymmetry of the Heart: From the Regulation of the Embryonic Loop Shape to Congenital Heart Defects*
- 9:00-9:20 3.2 Kelly Smith, University of Queensland  
*Myosin Vb-Mediated Endosomal Trafficking of N-Cadherin is Required for Cardiac Chamber Ballooning*
- 9:20-9:40 3.3 Mingfu Wu, Albany Medical College  
*Numb Modulates Cardiac Morphogenesis by Regulating N-Cadherin Endocytic Trafficking to Membrane*
- 9:40-10:00 3.4 Yusuke Watanabe, National Cerebral and Cardiovascular Center Research Institute  
*Significance of Hey1 Transcription Factor in Pharyngeal Arch Artery Formation and Regulatory Mechanisms of its Expression during Embryonic Development*

10:00-10:20

Break

10:20-11:20

### Platform Session 4: Ductus and Pulmonary Artery

Moderators: Sophie Astrof (Thomas Jefferson University, USA),  
Utako Yokoyama (Yokohama City University, JPN)

- 10:20-10:40 4.1 Satoko Ito, Cardiovascular Research Institute, Yokohama City University  
*Prostaglandin E-EP4 Signaling-Mediated Fibulin-1 Integrates Extra-Cellular Matrices to Promote Smooth Muscle Cell Migration of the Ductus Arteriosus*
- 10:40-11:00 4.2 Adriana Gittenberger-de Groot, Leiden University Medical Center  
*Contribution of Neural Crest and Second Heart Field to Ductus Arteriosus and Pulmonary Arteries: Clinical Implications*
- 11:00-11:20 4.3 Takashi Shimizu, University of Tokyo  
*PERK Inhibition Improves Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension with BMPR2 Mutation in Mice*

11:20-11:25

Break

11:25-11:55

### 25<sup>th</sup> Memorial Lecture

Moderator: Adriana Gittenberger-de Groot (Leiden University Medical Center, Netherland)

- ML.1 Roger R. Markwald, PhD, Medical University of South Carolina  
*Weinstein Conferences: 25 Years of Discovery in Heart Development & Disease: What's Next?*

11:55-13:00

### Lunch & Poster Viewing

13:00-14:00

### Platform Session 5: Heart Valve

Moderators: Andy Wessels (Medical University of South Carolina, USA),  
Hiroki Kokubo (Hiroshima University, JPN)

- 13:00-13:20 5.1 Salim Abdelilah-Seyfried, Potsdam University  
*Biomechanics of Zebrafish Cardiac Valve Morphogenesis*
- 13:20-13:40 5.2 Ayako Shigeta, University of California, Los Angeles  
*Endocardially-Derived Macrophages are Essential for Valvular Remodeling "Developmental Dynamics Sponsored Speakers"*
- 13:40-14:00 5.3 Maiko Matsui, Weill Cornell Medicine  
*Increased Ca<sup>2+</sup> Influx Through Ca<sub>v</sub>1c Promotes Progressive Aortic Valve Stenosis in Mice*



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<b>14:00-14:05</b>	Break
<b>14:05-15:05</b>	<b>Platform Session 6: Epicardium and Conduction</b> Moderators: Takashi Mikawa (University of California San Francisco, USA), Vincent Christoffels (University of Amsterdam, Netherland)
14:05-14:25	6.1 Marina Peralta, IGBMC <i>Intraflagellar Transport Proteins Modulate the Activity of the Hippo Pathway Effector Yap1 during Proepicardium Development</i>
14:25-14:45	6.2 Laurence Celine Garric, Hubrecht Institute <i>Islet-J is the Key Regulator in Pacemaker Cells Development and Function</i>
14:45-15:05	6.3 Martina Gregorovicova, Institute of Physiology, the Czech Academy of Science <i>Evolutionary Origin of the Ventricular Septum and Conduction System in Squamate Reptiles</i>
<b>15:05-15:20</b>	Break
<b>15:20-16:20</b>	<b>Keynote Lecture 2</b> Moderator: Hiroki Kurihara (University of Tokyo, JPN) KL.2 Mitinori Saitou, MD, <b>PhD</b> , Graduate School of Medicine and Faculty of Medicine, Kyoto University <i>Mechanism and Reconstitution In Vitro of Germ Cell Development in Mice, Monkeys, and Humans</i>
<b>16:20-18:20</b>	<b>Poster Session II (Even numbers)</b>
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- 8:40-9:00	7.1 Yahui Lan, Weill Cornell Medicine <i>Epigenetic Regulation of Cardiogenesis by Tissue-Specific Tet-Dependent Demethylation of Target Genes Controlling A VC and Epicardial Morphogenesis</i>
9:00-9:20	7.2 Karl Degenhardt, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia <i>Acetylation by NAT10 Protects against Cardiac Defects in the Setting of Maternal Diabetes</i>
9:20-9:40	7.3 Lauren Wasson, Harvard Medical School <i>Modeling Chromatin Modifying Congenital Heart Disease Patient Mutations in iPSCs Using CRISPR</i>
<b>9:40-9:45</b>	Break
<b>9:45-11:05</b>	<b>Platform Session 8: Genetic Technology for CHD</b>
	Moderators: Rolf Bodmer (SBP Medical Discovery Institute, USA), Vidu Garg (Nationwide Children's Hospital, USA)
9:45-10:05	8.1 Min-Su Kim, Medical College of Wisconsin <i>CRISPR/Cas9-Mediated Genome Editing in Patient Derived iPSC-Cardiomyocytes Recapitulate MYH6-R443P Phenotype in HLHS Family</i>
10:05-10:25	8.2 Eva Lana-Elola, Francis Crick Institute, London <i>Genetic Dissection and Transcriptomic Profiling of Congenital Heart Defects in Down Syndrome Identifies a Minimal Causative Genetic Region and Implicates a Pathological Mechanism</i>
10:25-10:45	8.3 Georg Vogler, Sanford Burnham Prebys Medical Discovery Institute <i>High-Throughput Cardiac in Vivo Platform to Functionally Validate Genome-Wide Candidate Genes for Congenital Heart Disease</i>
10:45-11:05	8.4 Anne M Moon, Geisinger Clinic and The University of Utah <i>Swine Models of Congenital Heart Disease for Basic and Translational Research</i>
<b>11:05-11:25</b>	Break
<b>11:25-12:25</b>	<b>Special Lecture 2</b>
	Moderator: Naoki Mochizuki (National Cerebral and Cardiovascular Center, JPN)
11:25-11:55	SL2.1 Didier Stainier, Max Planck Institute <i>Cardiomyocyte Behavior during Development and Regeneration</i>
11:55-12:25	SL2.2 Paul Riley, University of Oxford <i>Lymphatic-Macrophage Interactions during Heart Development and Repair</i>
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	Moderators: Brian L. Black (University of California San Francisco, USA), Jose Luis de la Pompa (Centro Nacional de Investigaciones Cardiovasculares Carlos III, Spain)
14:30-14:50	9.1 Estelle Jullian, Institut de Biologie de Développement, Marseille <i>Investigating Myogenic Cell Fate Choice between Heart and Head Muscles in Murine Cardiopharyngeal Mesoderm</i>

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14:50-15:10	9.2	Wei Wang, New York University <i>A Single Cell Transcriptional Roadmap for Cardiopharyngeal Fate Diversification</i> "Developmental Dynamics Sponsored Speakers"
15:10-15:30	9.3	Jun Takeuchi, TMDU <i>Conversion of the Heart Cells from the Ectoderm/Endoderm Lineage</i>
15:30-15:50	9.4	Antonio Fernandez-Perez, U T Southwestern Medical Center <i>Dissecting Mechanisms for Hand2-Dependent Pacemaker Cell Reprogramming</i>
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