

# 4<sup>th</sup> Rare Cancers Research Symposium

Friday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025

10:00am - 3:00pm

Pelton Auditorium, Fred Hutch Cancer Center

## AGENDA

- 9:30-10:00 AM *Coffee & Setup*
- 10:05-10:10 AM Welcome and Introduction || **Taran Gujral, PhD**
- 10:10-10:35 AM **Brooke Howitt, MD** || Associate Professor, Stanford  
❖ Topic: Gynecological cancers and biobanking
- 10:35-10:55 AM **Chris Kemp, PhD** || Professor, Fred Hutch  
❖ Topic: Ovarian cancer
- 10:55-11:15 AM **Jason Carter, MD, PhD** || Research Fellow, University of Washington  
❖ Topic: Fibrolamellar cancer
- 11:15-11:35 PM **Bob Eisenman, PhD** || Professor, Fred Hutch  
❖ Topic: Neuroendocrine cancers
- 11:35-11:50 PM *Break*
- 11:50-12:10 AM **Priya Mahajan, MD, MS** || Associate Professor, Seattle Children's  
❖ Topic: Managing rare and challenging pediatric tumors
- 12:10-12:30 PM **Soheil Meshinchi, MD, PhD** || Professor, Fred Hutch  
❖ Topic: Rare hematological malignancies
- 12:30-12:50 PM **Julia Walker, BSc** || Research Associate, Holland Lab, Fred Hutch  
❖ Topic: Fusion-driven brain cancers
- 12:50-1:15 PM **Jing Wu, MD, PhD** || Acting Deputy Chief, National Institute of Health  
❖ Topic: Hard-to-treat brain cancers and clinical trials
- \*Transition to SZE Combo\**
- 1:30-2:00 PM Lunch
- 2:00- 2:30 PM Panel Discussion  
❖ **Brooke Howitt, Jing Wu, Taran Gujral, Susanna Ray**
- 2:30-2:55 PM Poster Session
- 2:55 – 3:00 PM Closing Remarks || **Taran Gujral, PhD.**



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