



5th International Neonatal & Maternal Immunization Symposium
September 15-17, 2019, Vancouver (Canada)

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW
Securing Protection for the Next Generation

	DAY 1: SEPTEMBER 15, 2019
0800-0900	Registration and Breakfast
0900-0930	Welcome and opening address: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Nations Territorial Welcome: Syexwaliya Ann Whonnock, Squamish Nation • BC Ministry of Health: Bonnie Henry
0930-1015	Opening Keynote: Protecting the next generation through neonatal and maternal immunization Dr. Shabir Madhi
1015-1115	Protecting newborns and infants through maternal immunization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maternal tetanus vaccination as a platform for the implementation of maternal immunization in LMICs Dr. Philipp Lambach • Linking mothers and infants to assess the safety and effectiveness of maternal immunization Dr. Deshayne Fell
1115-1145	BREAK, POSTER VIEWING & NETWORKING
1145-1245	Abstracts related to maternal immunization programmatic issues
1245-1330	LUNCH, POSTER VIEWING & NETWORKING
1330-1430	Multi-disciplinary approach to improve maternal vaccine uptake <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Translating research findings into government policy on maternal and neonatal immunization Dr. Maria Aliva-Aguero
1430-1530	Abstracts related maternal vaccine hesitancy
1530-1600	BREAK, POSTER VIEWING & NETWORKING
1600-1700	Panel & audience discussion: Overcoming hurdles to increase maternal vaccination uptake
1700-1830	OPENING RECEPTION, POSTER VIEWING
	DAY 2: SEPTEMBER 16, 2019
0700-0830	Trainees Meet the Expert Breakfast (Registration required)
0730-0830	Breakfast & Networking for meeting delegates
0830-0930	The mechanistic underpinnings of maternal and neonatal immunization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Systems immunology of the mother-infant dyad Dr. John Tsang • Molecular and cellular basis of maternal antibody transfer Madeleine Jennewein
0930-1010	Abstracts related to the mechanisms of maternal and neonatal immunization and transplacental transfer of immunity
1010-1040	BREAK, POSTER VIEWING & NETWORKING
1040-1120	Abstracts related to the mechanisms of maternal and neonatal immunization and transplacental transfer of immunity
1120-1220	Panel & audience discussion: How does the maternal-newborn immune dyad communicate?
1220-1330	LUNCH, POSTER VIEWING & NETWORKING
1330-1430	Rapid poster oral abstracts
1430-1530	Promoting healthy infant life through optimizing neonatal immunization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neonatal immunization: well begun is half done Dr. David Goldblatt • Vaccinating preterm infants Dr. Paul Heath
1530-1600	BREAK, POSTER VIEWING & NETWORKING
1600-1700	Abstracts related to neonatal immunization
1700-1730	Late breaker oral abstracts
1730-1930	EVENING RECEPTION & NETWORKING
	DAY 3: SEPTEMBER 17, 2019
0730-0830	Breakfast & Networking for meeting delegates
0830-0930	The next generation of neonatal and maternal immunization research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research needs for the next generation of maternal and neonatal vaccines: Lessons learned from the case study of maternal group B streptococcal disease Dr. Stephanie Schrag • Tackling AMR through maternal and neonatal immunization Dr. Padmini Srikantiah
0930-1030	Abstracts related to maternal/neonatal targets for possible vaccine interventions, including vaccine pipeline work
1030-1100	BREAK & NETWORKING
1100-1145	Closing Keynote: The presumption of inclusion: lessons learned from maternal immunization against emerging infectious diseases Dr. Ruth Karron
1145-1245	Audience discussion: Is the field on the right path? What are we missing?
1245-1300	Closing Remarks and Adjournment