Duke University and Duke Clinical Research Institute Presentations at 2018 Digestive Diseases Week (DDW) Meeting
June 2-5, 2018 | Walter E. Washington Convention Center, Washington, DC

Saturday, June 2

8:22 AM to 8:44 AM  Ziad F. Gellad, M.D., “Colorectal Cancer Quality Measures”
Location: Room 144

8:45 AM to 9:00 AM  Jeongeun Hyun, Ph.D., “YAP1-Dependent Induction of IGF2BP3 Reprograms Hepatocytes into Stem-Like Cells during Liver Regeneration”
Location: Room 103

10:00 AM to 11:30 AM  Committee Sponsored Symposium, “Tales from the Front Lines: What Defines a ‘Quality’ Gastroenterologist?”
Location: 145 B

Location: Room 207

12:00 PM to 2:00 PM  POSTER SESSION
Ziad F. Gellad, M.D., “Genetic Association Analysis of Advanced Neoplasia in a Colon Cancer Screening Cohort”
Location: Hall C

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Alyson McGhan Johnson, M.D., Duke GI Fellow, (Authors: Alyson McGhan-Johnson, Frederick Friedman, Arif Kamal, Deborah Fisher) “Palliative Care Assessments of Patients with Pancreatic Cancer Across a Multi- Site Collaborative”
Location: Hall C

Talisha Ramchal, M.D., M.S., Duke Internal Medicine Resident (Authors: Talisha Ramchal, Cristal Brown, Julius Wilder) “Navigating the Intersection of End Stage Liver Disease and Palliative Care: Defining Symptoms and Experiences of Liver Patients at the End of Life”
Location: Hall C
Julius Wilder, M.D., Andrew Muir, M.D. (Authors: Julius Wilder, Jia Yao, Makarushka Christina, Donna Evon, Michael Fried, Susanna Naggie, Andrew Muir, Rae Jean Proeschold-Bell) “Associations of Alcohol Consumption Motives with Depression and Pain among Individuals with Hepatitis C”
*Location: Hall C*

3:25 PM to 3:45 PM
Andrew Muir, M.D., “Practical Management of DAAs for Hepatitis C”
*Location: Hall E*

4:00 PM to 5:30 PM
Manal Abdelmalek, M.D., Ph.D., M.Sc., (with Naga Chalasani, M.D., Indiana University School of Medicine) “Treatment of NAFLD: Is There Anything Better than Weight Loss?”
*Location: 204*

4:00 PM to 5:30 PM
Amit Patel, M.D., GI Fellow (with Ronnie Fass, M.D. of Metro Health MC and Case Western Reserve University) “NERD, Functional Heartburn and Reflux Hypersensitivity all Cause Heartburn—How to Separate Them in Clinical Practice”
*Location: 208*

6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Duke GI Alumni Cocktail Party
Acadiana Restaurant – Bayou Room
901 New York Avenue, NW

Sunday, June 3

8:45 AM to 9:00 AM
*Location: 140*

10:00 AM to 10:15 AM
Andrew Muir, M.D., (Authors: Andrew Muir, Alessandra Mangia, Eric Lawitz, Edward Gane, Brian Conway, Peter Ruane, Armando Abergel, Nelson Cheinquer, Brian McNabb, Anu Osinusi, Frances Chen, Hadas Dvory-Sobol, Diana Brainard, Mani Subramanian, Barbara Leggett, Jose Calleja, Kosh Agarwal, Ziad Younes) “Long-Term Follow-up of Patients with Chronic HCV Infection and Compensated or Decompensated Cirrhosis Following Treatment with Sofosbuvir-Based Regimens”
*Location: Room 206*

10:48 AM to 11:00 AM
Sandip Swain, Ph.D., Rodger Liddle, M.D., (Authors: Sandip Swain, Rodger Liddle, Joelle Romac, Rafiq Shahid, Stephen Pandol,) Research Forum--“The Pressure Sensitive Ion Channel, Piezo1, Induces Enzyme Activation Through Sustained Cytosolic Calcium Elevation In Pancreatic Acinar Cells”
*Location: 151 B*

12:00 PM to 2:00 PM
POSTER SESSION
*Location: Hall C*
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Ziad F. Gellad, M.D., “Esophageal Baseline Impedance from High-Resolution Impedance Manometry (BIHRIM) Correlates with Mean Nocturnal Baseline Impedance (MNBI) from PH Impedance Monitoring On and Off Proton Pump Inhibiter Therapy”
*Location: Hall C*

3:00 PM to 3:15 PM
Manal Abdelmalek, M.D., Ph.D., M.Sc., (Authors: Andrew Bae, Ricardo Henao, Ayako Suzuki, Cynthia Moylan, Cynthia Guy, Anna Mae Diehl, Manal Abdelmalek) “Statin Use and Liver Injury in Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease: Results of a Paired Clinical and Gene Expression Profile Analysis”
*Location: Room 207*

5:00 PM
Ziad F. Gellad, M.D., “Characterization of Conditions Underlying Heartburn Refractory to Proton Pump Inhibitors (PPIS) in a VA Cooperative Study of Medical and Surgical Treatments for PPI-Refractory Heartburn”
*Location: Room 151A*

Monday, June 4

6:45 AM to 7:45 AM
*Location: Liberty Ballroom IJKL (Marriott Marquis)*

10:22 AM
Ziad F. Gellad, M.D., A VA Cooperative Randomized Trial of Medical and Surgical Treatments for Patients with Heartburn That is Refractory to Proton Pump Inhibitors”
*Location: Room Ballroom A*

12:00 PM to 2:00 PM
POSTER SESSION
Tvisha Dola, Andrew Muir, M.D., (Authors: Tvisha Dola, Brenna Hughes, Carla Brady, Julius Wilder, Andrew Muir), “Hepatitis C Infection Knowledge and Awareness among Women of Childbearing Age”
*Location: Hall C*

Raymond Finn, M.D., Duke GI Fellow, “Endoscopic Ultrasound Does not Provide Added Yield in the Evaluation of Esophagogastric Junction Outflow Obstruction (EGJOO)”
*Location: Hall C*

Ziad F. Gellad, M.D., “Genetic Association Analysis of Advanced Neoplasia in a Colon Cancer Screening Cohort”
*Location: Hall C*

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**Zac Spiritos, M.D., Incoming Duke GI Fellow**, “Esophageal Adenocarcinoma and National Obesity in the United States”  
*Location: Hall C*

4:29 PM to 4:35 PM  
**Ziad F. Gellad, M.D., Raymond Finn III, M.D., Duke GI Fellow**, (Authors: Raymond Finn, Benjamin Lloyd, Yuval Patel, Jennifer Cornejo, Thasha McIntosh, James Allen, Andrea Davis, Stephanie Macy, Kellie Sims, Nicholas Burr, Javad Taheri, Shawn Sudaj, Ziad Gellad) Committee Sponsored Symposium— “Improving Endoscopy Access for Veterans: A Lean Performance Improvement Project Decreases Endoscopy No-Show Rates at a Veterans Affairs Hospital”  
*Location: Room 151 A*

4:30 PM  
*Location: Room 207*

4:34 PM to 4:48 PM  
**Melanie Kaelberer, Duke Postdoctoral Fellow**, (Authors: Melanie Kaelberer, Kelly Buchanan, Marguerita Klein, Marcia Montoya, Bradley Barth, Xiling Shen, Diego Bohorquez) “Sensory Synaptic Transduction from Gut to Brain”  
*Location: Room 102 A*

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**Tuesday, June 5**

8:00 AM to 8:15 AM  
**Richard T. Premont, Ph.D.**, (Authors: Richard Premont, Mark Jewell, David Hsu, Cynthia Guy, Anna Mae Diehl) “Epithelial-Stromal Signaling in Fibrolamellar Hepatocellular Carcinoma”  
*Location: Room 101*

8:15 AM to 8:30 AM  
**George Dalton, Ph.D.**, (Authors: George Dalton, Seh Hoon Oh, Richard Premont, Madlen Matz, Bianca Loeffler, Rolf Gebhardt, Anna Mae Diehl) “Hedgehog Signaling Directly Regulates Metabolism and Proliferation in Hepatocytes and is Critical for Normal Liver Regeneration Following Partial Hepatectomy in Mice”  
*Location: Room 151 B*

10:20 AM to 10:40 AM  
**Deborah Fisher, M.D.**, “How to Create Your Branding and Manage Your Reputation to Attract Patients”  
*Location: Room 145 A*

11:00 AM to 11:30 AM  
**Deborah Fisher, M.D.**, (with Simon Mathews and Anantachai Panjamapirom) Panel Discussion, “How to Create Your Branding and Manage Your Reputation to Attract Patients”  
*Location: Room 145 A*

11:09 AM to 11:17 AM  
**Daniel Guerron, M.D.**, (Authors: Camila Ortega, Sugong Chen, Dana Portenier, Daniel Guerron) “Endoscopic Abscess Septotomy for Sleeve Gastrectomy Chronic Leak”  
*Location: Ballroom C*

12:00 PM to 2:00 PM  
**POSTER SESSION**  
**Kuo Du, Ph.D.**, (Authors: Kuo Du, Ph.D., Richard Premont, Jeongeun Hyun, Mariana Machado, Cynthia Moylan, Manal Abdelmalek, Cynthia Guy, Anna Mae Diehl) “Pathophysiological Role of Glutaminolysis in Human NAFLD Progression”  
*Location: Hall C*
Pranab Barman, M.D., Incoming Duke Transplant Hepatology Fellow, “The Continued Challenge of Hepatocellular Carcinoma Screening: Better Than We Thought”

Location: Hall C

12:30 PM to 1:45 PM

Deborah Fisher, M.D., (with Brennan Spiegel) Meet-the-Professor Luncheons--“Information Technology for the Gastroenterologist: Making Apps Work for You”

Location: 102 B

2:14 PM to 2:28 PM

Rebecca Burbridge, M.D., “Diseases of the Biliary Tract”

Location: Room 207

4:45 PM to 5:00 PM


Location: Room 151 A