

Barts Centre for Squamous Cancer annual symposium 2024

Wednesday 24th April, 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Clark-Kennedy Lecture Theatre, Queen Mary Innovation Centre, Walden Street,
Whitechapel, London

Also live online

Please register for free at www.qmul.ac.uk/bcsc.

1pm: UK keynote session, introduced by Joanne Martin, Deputy Vice Principal for Health, QMUL.

Nitzan Rosenfeld, QMUL. 'Cancer Liquid Biopsies: Concepts, Methods and Applications'.

1:40pm: Session 1, Chair Gernot Walko

Barbara Fountain, Young Tongues. 'The Young Tongues, a peer-to-peer support group for young tongue cancer patients'.

Suzanne Scott, QMUL. 'Future cancer risk after urgent suspected cancer referral when cancer is not found'.

Carlos Lopez-Garcia, Manchester. 'Building a novel human model to deconvolve genotype-phenotype causations in lung squamous cell carcinoma'.

2x ECR talks: **Kevin Augustsson** and **John Macken**, QMUL.

20 mins coffee break

3:20pm: International keynote session, introduced by Irene Leigh, QMUL.

Sabine Werner, ETH Zurich. 'Stromal-epithelial cross-talk in wound healing and cancer'.

4:00pm: Session 2, Chair Ana Caetano

Adrian Biddle, QMUL. 'Hybrid cancer stem cells driving oral cancer metastasis'.

Gareth Thomas, Southampton. 'Single cell analysis of fibroblasts in head & neck cancer: opportunities for therapeutic targeting'.

Clare Schilling, UCLH. 'Individualised surgical treatments for head and neck cancer'.

Networking reception until 7pm

Barts Centre for Squamous Cancer is a centre of excellence dedicated to improving detection, treatment, and quality of life for patients with squamous cancer.

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