



Tuesday, September 15, 2021

Start Time –
9:00 AM Beijing Standard Time

8:30 am	DOORS OPEN	
9:00 am	WELCOME / INTRODUCTION <i>Margaret Hoang, Ph.D., NanoString Technologies</i>	
9:05 am	Technology Update <i>Joseph Beechem, Ph.D., NanoString Technologies</i>	
9:25 am	PLENARY SESSION <i>Chris Mason, Ph.D., Weill Cornell Medicine</i>	
9:50 am	Concurrent Global Panel Discussions	
	Global Infectious Disease Panel: Has COVID-19 given us a new perspective on infectious disease research?	Global Organ Transplant Panel: Signatures, Cellular Therapy, & Tissue Engineering for Organ Transplant: What Lies Ahead?
	Moderator: Miles O'Brien Panelist 1: <i>Peter Mombaerts, M.D., Ph.D., Max Planck Institute</i> Panelist 2: <i>Chris Mason, Ph.D., Weill Cornell Medicine</i> Panelist 3: <i>Jim Heath, Ph.D., Institute for Systems Biology</i>	Moderator: Neil Canavan Panelist 1: <i>Michael Mengel, M.D., University of Alberta</i> Panelist 2: <i>Fadi Issa, Ph.D., University of Oxford</i> Panelist 3: <i>Richard Danger, Ph.D., University of Nantes</i>
10:10 am	LIVE Regional Infectious Disease Panel: Opportunities for Infectious Disease Research	Regional Organ Transplant Panel: Overcoming the Challenge of Rejection
	Moderator: Arutha Kulasinghe, Ph.D., Queensland University of Technology Panelist 1: <i>Fan Xing, Department of Infectious Diseases, China</i> Panelist 2: <i>Joe Yeong PohSheng, MBBS, Ph.D., Mmed (Path), A*STAR</i> Panelist 3: <i>Zhang Xiaoyong</i>	Adoptive Cellular Immunotherapy for Virus-Associated Diseases <i>Prof. Rajiv Khanna, M.D., Queensland Institute of Medical Research (QIMR)</i>

10:50 am	BREAK	
11:00 am	Concurrent Bioinformatics Session	
	GeoMx® Tools / GeoScript Hub <i>Prajan Divakar, Ph.D., NanoString Technologies</i>	The ROSALIND Platform for nCounter® Data Analysis <i>Jean Lozach, CSO, Rosalind.Bio</i>
11:30 am	CLOSING REMARKS <i>Margaret Hoang, Ph.D., NanoString Technologies</i>	