

Kennedy's Disease Association Annual Conference Preliminary Agenda 2016

Tuesday

6:00 pm Meet at hotel lobby for informal dinner across the street

Wednesday

7:30. Registration

8:30. Opening remarks - Lou Tudor KDA President

8:45. Introductions

9:30 Jameson Parker - A passion for Guitars

9:45. Karen Cecere - Overview of Acupuncture in the wellness session

10:00. Break

10:30. Men's breakout session/Caregiver's session/Carrier's session

12:00. Lunch

1:30. Ed Myertholen - Status of Research and KD 201,

3:00. Break

3:30. Tips and Tricks

4:15 Special breakout Wellness Session - Acupuncture

Dinner on your own

Thursday

7:30. Breakfast at restaurant

8:30. Robert Guber – Qualitative Study on KD patients

9:15. Chris Grunseich - Update on IGF-1 trial and Exercise trial

10:00. Break

- 10:30. Raghav Govindarajan – Managing Pain for KD Patients
- 11:00. Heather Montie – PGD-IVG
- 11:30. Open Discussion among KD patients
- 12:00. Lunch
- 1:30. Angela Kokkinis – All Things NIH for the KD Patient
- 2:15. Constanza Cortes and Helen Miranda – Cellular Molecular Mechanisms of SBMA Pathogenesis and updates from the La Spada lab
- 2:45. Bill Tudor – One patient’s experience with HGH
- 3:15. Break and open time
- 6:00. Early reception with cocktails and beverages
- 7:00. Dinner
- 8:00. Auction
- Friday
- 7:30. Breakfast at Restaurant
- 8:30. Diane Merry – Research updates at the Merry Lab
- 9:00. Cynthia Jordan – Understanding Kennedy’s Disease
- 9:30. Heather Montie – AMPing up our quest to treat Kennedy’s Disease
- 10:00. Break
- 10:30. Lim Janghoo – Signaling Pathway modulating Androgen Receptor post-translational modifications and its clearance as well as their contribution to SBMA
- 11:00. Anna Pluciennik – Role of USP7 in pathogenicity of Spinal and Bulbar Muscular Atrophy
- 11:30. Kurt Fishbeck – Therapeutics Developments for Kennedy’s Disease
- 12:00. Closing comments Lou Tudor
- 12:30. Researchers private meeting