





2018 INTRODUCTORY COURSE IN IMMUNOLOGY

July 10-15, 2018 | UCLA Luskin Conference Center | Los Angeles, California

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Don't miss the most comprehensive introduction to immunology available!

This intensive two-part course, taught by world-renowned immunologists, provides a comprehensive overview of the basics of immunology. This course is for students new to the discipline or those seeking more information to complement general biology or science training. Part I (July 10–12) is a detailed introduction to the basic principles of immunology and is suitable for students with a general biology background. Part II (July 13–15) is a clinically oriented lecture series focusing on specialty areas.

Parts I and II may be taken independently at the discretion of the student.

Faculty

Juan Carlos Zúñiga-Pflücker, University of Toronto and Sunnybrook Research Institute Introduction to the Immune System

Lewis L. Lanier, University of California, San Francisco Innate Immunity: Introduction to the Cells

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Julie M. Jameson, California State University San Marcos

Introduction to Adaptive Immunity

David Nemazee, The Scripps Research Institute **B Cell Development and Maturation**

Nilabh Shastri, University of California, Berkeley Antigen Processing and Presentation

Juan Carlos Zúñiga-Pflücker, University of Toronto and Sunnybrook Research Institute MHC Restriction and Thymic Selection

Shannon J. Turley, Genentech, Inc.
Dendritic Cells: The Bridge Between Innate and
Adaptive Immunity

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M. Carrie Miceli, University of California Los Angeles Signaling in the Immune System Stephen M. Hedrick, University of California, San Diego Host-Pathogen Co-evolution in Human Beings: the Red Queen and the Grim Reaper

Lisa Osborne, *University of British Columbia Cytokines*

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Jonathan S. Maltzman, Stanford University Solid Organ Transplantation

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Antoni Ribas, *University of California, Los Angeles Tumor Immunology*

Jennifer Puck, University of California, San Francisco Genetic Approaches to Immune-Mediated Diseases

Nicole Frahm, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center Vaccination

Andrew C. Chan, Genentech, Inc.
Bench to Bedside to Bench: Current Issues in Immunology

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Eligibility

One of the collaborating PIs must be an AAI member in good standing. If the PI is a research immunologist, he/she must be independent. Applicants may request salary support for a maximum of one postdoctoral fellow for one year, or two postdocs for six months each.

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Award consideration is based on a combination of the qualifications of the applicant, the merit of the PI's proposed project, potential of the trainee, and the quality of the training environment.

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