



PROGRAM – RNA 2021 ON-LINE
The 26th Annual Meeting of the RNA Society
May 25 through June 4, 2021

Posters will be viewable on demand from May 25 to June 18. Oral sessions will be recorded and viewable on demand following the session until June 18. Posted meeting time is EDT - east coast of North America.

Tuesday, 25 May

- 08:00-09:15 Opening Remarks: RNA 2021 Organizers
Keynote Lecture 1: Xiang-dong Fu, Univ of California San Diego
- 09:15-09:30 Break
- 09:30-12:45 **Concurrent Session 1:** Alternative Splicing and Regulation
Sponsored by Locanabio
- 09:30-12:45 **Concurrent Session 2:** RNA Structure, Folding and Regulation

Wednesday, 26 May

- 07:45-08:45 **Poster Session 1**
Sponsored by Moderna
- 08:45-11:15 **Concurrent Session 3:** High Throughput Discovery
- 09:00-11:15 **Concurrent Session 4:** Non-coding RNA Biogenesis and Modifications
- 11:15-11:30 Break
- 11:30-12:30 **Keynote Lecture 2:** Jennifer Doudna, Univ of California Berkeley
Sponsored by Locanabio

Thursday, 27 May

- 08:00-09:00 **Sponsored Seminar: Locanabio**
- 09:15-10:45 **Concurrent Session 5:** CRISPR-Cas Biology and Applications
- 09:15-11:15 **Concurrent Session 7/8:** Ribozymes and Riboswitches
- 11:00-13:45 **Concurrent Session 6A:** RNA in Disease
Sponsored by Locanabio
- 13:45-14:45 **Junior Scientists Networking and Job Jamboree**

Friday, 28 May

- 08:00-10:00 **Concurrent Session 9:** Long Non-coding RNA Biology
- 08:00-10:00 **Concurrent Session 10A:** Small RNAs
- 10:00-10:15 Break
- 10:15-12:15 **Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Panel**

Saturday, 29 May

- 08:00-10:00 **Concurrent Session 11:** RNP Assembly
- 08:00-10:00 **Concurrent Session 12:** Subcellular RNA Localization and Spatial Transcriptomics
- 10:00-10:15 Break
- 10:15-12:15 **Bioinformatics Grand Challenges** (*day/time subject to change*)
Sponsored by Eclipse Bioinnovations
- 12:15-12:30 Break
- 12:30-13:30 **Poster Session 2**
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Sunday, 30 May

08:00-09:00 **Junior Scientists Social**
09:00-11:00 **Concurrent Session 13:** Bioinformatics and Genomics
09:00-11:15 **Concurrent Session 14A:** Mechanisms and Regulation of Translation
11:15-11:30 Break
11:30-13:30 **Entrepreneurship Panel**

Monday, 31 May

08:00-09:00 **2020 Lifetime Achievement Award Lecture:** Matthias Hentze, EMBL
09:00-09:15 Break
09:15-10:30 **Concurrent Session 15:** Interconnected Processes
09:15-10:45 **Concurrent Session 16:** RNA-based Therapeutics and Small-Molecule Interactions
10:45-11:00 Break
11:00-12:00 **Poster Session 3**
Sponsored by Moderna

Tuesday, 1 June

08:00-09:00 **2021 Lifetime Achievement Award Lecture:** Melissa Moore, Moderna
09:00-09:15 Break
09:15-11:00 **Concurrent Session 17:** RNA Modifications
Sponsored by Locanabio
09:15-11:15 **Concurrent Session 18:** RNP Granules and Phase Transitions
11:15-11:30 Break
11:30-12:30 **Poster Session 4**
Sponsored by Moderna

Wednesday, 2 June

08:00-10:45 **Concurrent Session 6B:** RNA in Disease
Sponsored by Locanabio
08:00-11:00 **Concurrent Session 19:** Viral RNA and Innate Immune Response
11:00-11:15 Break
11:15-12:45 **Biotechnology Career Panel**
12:45-13:00 Break
13:00-14:00 **Junior Scientists Social**
Sponsored by Locanabio

Thursday, 3 June

08:00-09:00 **Poster Session 5**
Sponsored by Moderna
09:00-10:00 **Keynote Lecture 3:** Irene Bozzoni, Sapienza Univ of Rome and Italian Inst of Technology
10:00-10:15 Break
10:15-12:15 **Concurrent Session 20:** Synthesis and Processing of RNA
10:15-12:30 **Concurrent Session 21:** RNA Turnover

Friday, 4 June

08:00-09:00 **Keynote Lecture 4:** Sarah Woodson, Johns Hopkins Univ
09:00-09:15 Break
09:15-11:15 **Concurrent Session 10B:** Small RNAs
09:15-11:45 **Concurrent Session 14B:** Mechanisms and Regulation of Translation
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