

Agenda

THURSDAY, MAY 16 Eastern Daylight Time

7:00–8:00 AM	Breakfast and Registration
8:00–11:20 AM	Spondyloarthritis Review Course
11:20–12:15 PM	Lunch (for Spondyloarthritis Review Course and Ultrasound Workshop attendees only)
12:15–3:15 PM	Ultrasound Imaging Workshop
5:30–7:00 PM	Welcome Reception and Poster Session
7:00–9:00 PM	Sponsor Forum (by invitation)

FRIDAY, MAY 17 Eastern Daylight Time

7:00–8:00 AM	Breakfast for Annual Meeting attendees REFRESH Breakfast for interested early career investigators, trainees, or spondy newbies
8:00–8:10 AM	Welcome <i>Joerg Ermann, MD, Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts</i>
8:10–8:20 AM	SPARTAN Research Career Achievement Award <i>Jürgen Braun, MD, Ruhr University Bochum, Bochum, Germany</i>
8:20–9:50 AM	SESSION I: Year in Review <i>Moderators: Marina Magrey, MD and Jean Liew, MD, MS</i> Basic Science — <i>Akihiro Nakamura, MD, PhD, Queen's University, Ontario, Canada</i> Clinical Trials — <i>Jonathan Kay, MD, UMass Memorial Health, Worcester, Massachusetts</i> Clinical Research (Non-clinical Trial) and Imaging — <i>Mohamad Bittar, MD, OHSU, Portland, Oregon</i>
9:50–10:10 AM	BREAK
10:10–12:00 PM	SESSION II: Spondyloarthritis Classification, Sub- and Endotypes <i>Moderators: Nigil Haroon, MD, PhD and Mark Hwang, MD</i> Past, Present and Future of the SpA Concept — <i>Jürgen Braun, MD, Ruhr University Bochum, Bochum, Germany</i> Big Data: Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning to Help Identify Endotypes and Study Outcomes <i>Bo Wang, PhD, University Health Network, Toronto, Canada</i> Essential Concepts for the Development of Classification Criteria <i>Sindhu Johnson, MD, PhD, FRCPC, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada</i>
12:00–12:45 PM	LUNCH
12:45–2:30 PM	SESSION III: Spondyloarthritis Management 2024 and Beyond <i>Moderators: Matt Stoll, MD, PhD and Vikas Majithia, MD</i> Unraveling the Challenges of Difficult-to-Treat Spondyloarthritis <i>Fabian Proft, MD, Charité Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Berlin, Germany</i> Rationale, Indications and Safety of Dual Biologic Therapy (e.g. IBD/SpA) <i>Simon Hong, MD, NYU Langone Health, New York, New York</i>

Spondyloarthritis in Focus: Pediatric Developments and Cutting-Edge Treatment Modalities
Hemalatha Srinivasalu, MD, Children's National, Washington DC

2:30–3:10 PM	Breakout Sessions
3:10–3:30 AM	BREAK
3:30–4:30 PM	Abstracts and Grants Moderators: John Reveille, MD and Ruth Napier, PhD Transcriptional and Epigenetic Analysis of Gut-Joint Trafficked T cells Suggest Regulatory Functions during Homeostasis <i>Sarah Danielson, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado</i> Nonsteroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drug Use and Incident Hypertension among Patients with Axial Spondyloarthritis: Insights from the DESIR Cohort <i>Jose A. Meade-Aguilar, MD, Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts</i> The Added Utility of Hybrid Positron Emission Tomography-Magnetic Resonance (PET-MR) Imaging over Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Alone in Diagnosing Axial Spondyloarthritis <i>Patricia Remalante-Rayco, MD, Schroeder Arthritis Institute, University Health Network, Toronto, Canada</i> Clarifying the Toolkit for Pain Control in Spondyloarthritis with IBD: Association of Prescription NSAID use with IBD-related Hospitalization, a Retrospective Analysis across the Age Spectrum <i>Adam Mayer, MD, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia/University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania</i>
4:30–6:00 PM	SPARTAN Projects Moderators: Maureen Dubreuil, MD, MSc and Jessica Walsh, MD BASIS <i>Sibel Aydin, MD, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada</i> Referral Recommendations—Abhijeet Danve, MBBS, MD, MHS, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut ACR/SPARTAN/SAA Guidelines—Liron Caplan, MD, PhD, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado SpA Screening in IBD—GRASp-IBD Study—Reem Jan, MD, MBBS, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois Sex Differences in axSpA—Lihi Eder MD, PhD, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada
7:00–9:30 PM	Dinner at the Cleveland Museum of Natural History (buses leave at 6:30 pm from hotel lobby)

SATURDAY, MAY 18 Eastern Daylight Time

7:00–8:00 AM	Breakfast
8:00–9:00 AM	Keynote Address Moderators: Judith Smith, MD, PhD and Siba Raychaudhuri, MD Discovery of the JAK/STAT Pathway and Development of Therapies Targeting This Pathway <i>John O'Shea, MD, National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases (NIAMS), Bethesda, Maryland</i>
9:00–11:15 AM	CLASSIC Moderator: Lianne Gensler, MD <i>Walter Maksymowych, MD, FRCP, FACP, University of Alberta, Alberta, Canada</i>
11:15–11:35 AM	BREAK
11:35–12:00 PM	Breakout Session Report
12:00–1:00 PM	The Great Debate Moderator: Maureen Dubreuil, MD, MSc Is axSpA an Autoimmune Disease? <i>Robert Colbert, MD, PhD, National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases (NIAMS), Bethesda, Maryland</i> <i>Kristi Kuhn, MD, PhD, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado</i>
1:00 PM	LUNCH