



MEETING AGENDA

Harnessing Protein Quality Control in Spinal and Bulbar Muscular Atrophy (Kennedy's Disease)

September 8-10, 2024

The Banbury Center, Lloyd Harbor, New York

This meeting was generously funded by the [Kennedy's Disease Association](#).

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

Afternoon Arrivals and check-in at Robertson House

6:00 pm Reception and dinner

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2024

7:15 am Breakfast

8:30 am **Welcoming Remarks**
Rebecca Leshan, Banbury Center

8:40 am **SESSION 1: Clinical Overview and Living with Kennedy's Disease**
Chairpersons: Kurt Fischbeck, NINDS (Ret.); and Christopher Grunseich, NINDS
Kurt Fischbeck, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (Ret.)
Christopher Grunseich, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke
Ed Meyertholen, Kennedy's Disease Association
Nick Holdgate, Kennedy's Disease Association

11:00 am **SESSION 2: PolyQ-AR Proteostasis**
Chairperson: Andrew Lieberman, University of Michigan
Diane Merry, Thomas Jefferson University
Angelo Poletti, Università degli Studi di Milano
Andrew Lieberman, University of Michigan
Al La Spada, University of California, Irvine
Zhou Wang, University of Pittsburgh
Sokol Todi, Wayne State University
Xavier Salvatella, ICREA and IRB Barcelona
Christopher Grunseich, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke
and other speakers



12:30 pm Luncheon

2:00 pm **SESSION 2 (continued): PolyQ-AR Proteostasis**

3:30 pm **SESSION 3: Protein Quality Control Pathways**

Chairperson: Diane Merry, Thomas Jefferson University

Steven Finkbeiner, Gladstone Institutes; University of California, San Francisco

Sami Barmada, University of Michigan

Anne Bertolotti, MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology

Mervyn Monteiro, University of Maryland School of Medicine

Laura Bott, Northwestern University

Yuyu Song, Massachusetts General Hospital; Harvard Medical School
and other speakers

5:15 pm **End-of-Day Wrap-up**

6:00 pm Reception and dinner

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2024

7:15 am Breakfast

8:30 am **SESSION 4: Proteostasis – Translational Approaches**

Chairperson: Al La Spada, University of California, Irvine

Ai Yamamoto, Columbia University

Matt Scaglione, Duke University

Linda Greensmith, Institute of Neurology, University College London

Andrew Lieberman, University of Michigan

Diane Merry, Thomas Jefferson University

Sokol Todi, Wayne State University

Angelo Poletti, Università degli Studi di Milano

Al La Spada, University of California, Irvine

and other speakers

10:30 am **SESSION 5: What Have We Learned?**

Chairpersons: Andrew Lieberman, University of Michigan; and Diane Merry, Thomas Jefferson University

Summary and Group Discussion: key discussions, experimental strategies, possibilities for collaboration

11:30 am **Closing Remarks, Next Steps**

12:00 pm Luncheon; Participant Departures



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