

UCLA-Kyoto University-Academia Sinica, Pan Pacific Meeting  
**New Developments in Biomedical Sciences**

May 14–16, 2025 @ UCLA

## Speakers

(Tentative as of February 4, 2025)

### Keynote Lecture Speakers

- **Tasuku Honjo** - Nobel Laureate in Physiology or Medicine 2018, Deputy Director-General and Distinguished Professor, KUIAS
- **Owen Witte** - Plenary Lecturer, Professor, Molecular and Medical Pharmacology
- **Shinya Yamanaka** - Nobel Laureate in Life Science and Medicine 2008, Director, Director Emeritus, Center for iPS Cell Research and Application (CiRA)

### UCLA Speakers

- **Jeff F. Miller** - Director, California NanoSystems Institute (CNSI)
- **Gay Crooks** - Professor, Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
- **Lily Yang** - Professor, Microbiology, Immunology and Molecular Genetics (MIMG)
- **Christina Puig-Saus** - Assistant Professor, Microbiology, Immunology and Molecular Genetics (MIMG)
- **Caius Radu** - Professor, Departments of Molecular and Medical Pharmacology and Surgery
- **Alex Hoffman** - Professor, Microbiology, Immunology and Molecular Genetics (MIMG)
- **Dino Di Carlo** - Professor and Chair, Department of Bioengineering
- **Stuart Conway** - Professor, Michael and Alice Jung Endowed Chair in Medicinal Chemistry and Drug Discovery
- **Corey Arnold** - Professor and Vice Chair of Research, Department of Radiological Sciences
- **Alex Spokoyny** - Professor and Chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

### Academia Sinica Speakers

- **Kuo-I Lin** - Distinguished Professor, Genomics Research Center
- **Shih-Yu Chen** - Associate Research Fellow
- **Hsung-Lin Tu** - Associate Research Fellow
- **Yijuang Chern** - Director, Institute of Biomedical Sciences
- **Sheng-Hong Chen** - Associate Research Fellow, Institute of Molecular Biology

### Kyoto University Speakers

- **Shin Kaneko** - Professor, CiRA
- **Yoko Hamazaki** - Professor, CiRA
- **Kenji Chamoto** - Professor, Graduate School of Medicine
- **Sidonia Fagarasan** - Professor and Vice-Director, Center for Cancer Immunology and Cancer Immunotherapy
- **Motonari Uesugi** - Professor and Director, iCeMS
- **Jun Suzuki** - Professor and Deputy Director, iCeMS
- **Minoru Suzuki** - Professor, Institute for Integrated Radiation and Nuclear Science
- **Fuyuhiko Tamanoi** - Professor, iCeMS
- **Hiroshi Harada** - Professor, Graduate School of Biostudies
- **Ganesh Pandian Namasivayam** - Junior Associate Professor, iCeMS
- **Masatoshi Hagiwara** - Professor, Center for Cancer Immunology and Cancer Immunotherapy

### Nagoya University Speaker

- **Wooseok Seo** - Professor, Graduate School of Medicine

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### Organizing Chairs

- **Fuyuhiko Tamanoi** - Professor, iCeMS
- **Jerome Zack** - Chair, Department of MIMG
- **Jeff F. Miller** - Director, California NanoSystems Institute (CNSI)