# OREGON BIOENGINEERING SYMPOSIUM 2024: SEEING IS BELIEVING



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Knight Cancer Research Building, Oregon Health & Science University

# **OBS2024**

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### LETTER FROM CONFERENCE ORGANIZERS

Welcome to the 6th Annual Oregon Bioengineering Symposium! The 2024 OBS planning committee is pleased to present a day of activities around this year's theme: Seeing is Believing. With the initial discovery of x-rays in 1895, the field of medical imaging has revolutionized the way that diseases are diagnosed, treated, and understood. Today, imaging accelerates research and innovation and has profoundly transformed the landscape of healthcare and clinical practice.

This symposium marks six years of collaboration between Oregon Health & Science University, Oregon State University, and the University of Oregon, bringing together scientists, clinicians, and industry partners from across the state to engage over research advancements in the field of bioengineering. We are grateful for this continued partnership and are looking forward to an exciting event that showcases the outstanding achievements and impact of bioengineering research in Oregon.

Our program features a keynote address by Dr. David Huang, a recipient of the National Medal of Technology and Innovation in 2023, awarded by President Biden for pioneering the field of optical coherence tomography (OCT). You can read more about Dr. Huang on page 13 of this program. We are also excited highlight the cutting-edge technology of OHSU's Biofabrication hub through a tour led by Dr. Luiz Bertassoni, as well as introduce a new networking and career development opportunity through afternoon Thematic Working Groups. Finally, we conclude our day with a BMES reception and research roundtable led by our trainees to facilitate discussions on shared research interests and jumpstart new collaborative ventures in science and beyond.

We are honored to host the 6th Annual Oregon Bioengineering Symposium and look forward to an inspiring day of innovation, collaboration, and impactful discussions that advance the future of bioengineering.

On behalf of the 2024 OBS Organizing Committee, Karina Nakayama, Ph.D.



Karina Nakayama, Ph.D. Assistant Professor Biomedical Engineering Co-Director BME Graduate Program Oregon Health & Science University

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE | MORNING SESSIONS

Time	Activity	Location				
8:30-9:00am	Registration and Breakfast	P1 Regis In front o	stration Table f KCRB 1011			
9:00-9:30am	Opening Ceremony	Auditorium Lecture Hall	, KCRB 1015 , KCRB 1011			
	Welcome from OBS Chair Karina Nakayama Danielle Benoit, Ph.D., Lorry Lokey Department Chair and Professor, Department of Bioengineering, University of Oregon					
	Elain Fu, Ph.D., Bioengineering Graduate Program Director; Professor School of Chemical, Biological, and Environmental Engineering, Orego University	in the n State				
	Owen McCarty, Ph.D., Gordon Moore Professor and Department Cha Department of Biomedical Engineering, Oregon Health & Science Unive	ir, ersity				
0:30am-10:30am	Morning Sassion: Scientific Sassion 1	Auditorium	KCBB 1015			
		Lecture Hall	, KCRB 1011			
12 min talk	Moderators: Lei Wang, OHSU and Natalija Shchotkina, UO					
+ 3 min Q&A	Young Hwan Chang, Ph.D., "Staining by Numbers"					
	Binata Joddar, Ph.D., "A pathway towards 3D bio/advanced-manufact up and benchmarking tools for in vitro engineered tissues"	turing, scale-				
	Raghu Parthasarathy, Ph.D, "Gut Microbes and their Physical Concern	ns"				
	Summer Gibbs, Ph.D., "NIR Contrast Agents to Improve Clinical Media	cine"				
10:30-11:15am	Break and Poster Session A	Lounge, F	Poster Annex, Poster Hall			
	Poster Session located throughout the first floor.					
11:15am-12:00pm	Concurrent Session 1A	Auditorium	, KCRB 1015			
7 min talk	Abstract Session 1A: Moderators - Sha Cao, OHSU and Binata Joo	ldar, OSU				
+ 3 min Q&A	Kira Lynch, "A 3D Biofabricated Vascular Model for Elucidating Endoth Roles in Breast Cancer Progression Following Cardiovascular Disease"	nelial Cell				
	Adam Rauff, "Composite Microfiber-Hydrogel Scaffolds for Muscle Tis Engineering Results in Structural Organization, and Mechanical Tailoral	sue bility"				
	Molly Jenne, "Replicating Endometriosis and Healthy Cellular Behavior Engineered 3D In Vitro Hydrogel Model"	' with				
5 min talk	Lightning Talks 1A: Moderators - Sha Cao, OHSU and Binata Jodd for anti-seizure medication titration: electrochemical signal quantification using multivariate and machine learning methods"	l <b>ar, OSU</b> on in saliva				
	Rachel Thompson, "Cryopreservation of Intact Intervertebral Discs"					
	Nikita Sehgal, "Ultrasound-responsive dendrimer-microbubble comple delivery vectors for precision cancer gene therapy"	ixes as gene				

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11:15am-12:00pm	Concurrent Session 1B Lect	ure H	all, KCRB 1011		
7 min talk + 3 min Q&A	Abstract Session 1B: Moderators - Sayandeep Gupta, UO and Hillary Le, OHSU				
	Valeriia Stepanova, "Hippocampal Synaptic Changes in a Preclinical Mouse Iv of Chronic Inflammatory Joint Pain"	1odel			
	Austin Ricci, "Fatigue Reduces Passive Elastic Modulus In an Age and Sex- Dependent Manner"				
	Samantha Moellmer, "Development and characterization of plasma prekallikre monoclonal antibodies to study the role of contact activation in thromboinflammation"	in			
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	Valentina Roquemen-Echeverri, "A physiology-guided artificial intelligence dig twin framework for replicating glucose dynamics in type 2 diabetes"	gital			
	Ajay Ratty, "Effects of Incremental Scaphoid Proximal Pole Excision on Carpa Kinematics"	1			
11:50-12:10pm	Poster Change		KCRB 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor		
12:00-2:00pm	Lunch and Poster Session B Lun	ch: Ea	st Lobby		
	Poster Session located throughout the floor. Pos Boxed Lunches available for pick-up at the East Lobby.	ters: L Anne	ounge, Poster ex, Poster Hall		
1.00-2.00nm	Biofabrication Hub Tour		KCBB 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor		
1.00 2.00pm	Distribution rates for a court of the Precision Biofabrication				
	The Precision Biofabrication Hub of the OHSU Knight Cancer Institute uses precision engineering and the tools of biofabrication (automated generation of 3D structurally organized and functional living tissues) to build complex models of cancer.				
1:00-2:00pm	Thematic Working Groups	KCł	RB 1000, 1015,		
	Paul Dalton: International Superstars: How to use your education to experience the world! (KCRB 1015)		1016, 1011		
	Karina Nakayama: Fellowsnips and Career Transitions (KCHB 1000) Clara Mosquera-Lopez & Neville Mehta: Al & Machine Learning (KCRB 101	1)			
2:00-3:00pm	Concurrent Session 2A Auto	ditoriu	m, KCRB 1015		
7 min talk + 3 min Q&A	Abstract Session 2A: Moderators - Andre Lira Da Silva, OHSU and Calin Plesa,	uo			
l o min quit	Xun Yu, "Skin Phototype Classification with Machine Learning based on Broadband Optical Measurements"				
	Jade White, "Chemical Characterization of Nanoplastics Shed from Feminine Hygiene Products"				
	Sarah Mitchell, "Immunofluorescent Quantification of Tumor-derived Cellular Material Isolated from Biological Fluids Using High Conductance Dielectropho	resis"			
	Kelly Leguineche, "Longitudinal Immune Profiling in Patients with Severe Tibia Fracture"	2	5		

# CONFERENCE SCHEDULE | AFTERNOON SESSIONS

Time	Activity	Location	Time	Activity	Location	
5 min talk	Lightning Talks 2A: Moderators - Andre Lira Da Silva, OHSU and Calin Plesa, UO		4:00-5:30pm	Keynote, Awards, and Closing Session	Auditorium	, KCRB 1015
	Caleb Nejely, "3D Printed Microneedle Arrays for Accessible Precision Health Applications"			Keynote Speech by Dr. David Huang, M.D., Ph.D.		
	Johnathan Pang, "Development of A Rapid Laser Assisted Bioprinting Method to Pattern Cells of The Breast Tumor Microenvironment"			Yali Jia, Ph.D. – Introduction and Moderator	Clara Mosquera-Lopez	
	Marina Nimmo, "Hemodynamic force analysis to quantify clinical outcomes in obstructive hypertrophic cardiomyopathy following treatment with myosin inhibitors"			Closing Remarks: Owen McCarty and Karina Nakaya	ma	
	Sophie Biegel, "Nanoparticles co-loaded with siRNA and small molecule drugs for osteoarthritis therapeutic delivery"		5:30-7:00pm	BMES Reception and Networking Social	Lounge	, KCRB 6120
2:00-3:00pm	Concurrent Session 2B Lecture	Hall, KCRB 1011	Join us on the 6 <sup>th</sup> Floor Terrace for a "Let's Taco Bout Science" networking social, hosted by our BMES student chapter. This event will			
7 min talk + 3 min Q&A	Abstract Session 2B: Moderators - Jason Ware, OHSU and David Johnson, U	D		teature a taco bar reception and two small-group where participants can join conversations facilitat OHSU, the University of Oregon, and Oregon Sta	discussion sessions ed by leaders from te University	
	Gobinath Chithiravelu, "Mapping the Proteomics Landscape of the Cardiac Extracellular Matrix: Unraveling Molecular Changes through Bottom-Up Proteomic in Type-II Diabetes."	5				
	Gourav Kumar, "Nerve-targeted near-infrared fluorophores for fluorescence- guided surgery"					
	Ander Switalla, "Multi-region Microelectrode Array for Studying Alterations in Neural Oscillatory Activity"			LUMEN X		
	Michael Henderson, "Precise Control of Antibody Binding through Activatable Protein L-Linked Blocking Peptides"			Bringing a new degree	of	
5 min talk	Lightning Talks 2B: Moderators - Jason Ware, OHSU and David Johnson, UO			precision. utility and ea	se of use	
	Ifra Ilyas Ansari, "Investigating In-Vitro Performance of Nafion as a Capping Layer on PEDOT:PSS for Thin-Film Microelectrode Array"			to the light-based biop	rinter space	
	Karly Fear, "Orthogonal heterodimers for geometric assembly and interaction specificity"					
	Kenneth Riley, "Developing a Novel Label-free Technology for Epigenetic Landscape Reconstruction from Isolated Mononucleosomes"				•	
	Eve Elwood and Cassidy Harn, "Determining the Effects of Progesterone on the Barrier Integrity of an in vitro Vaginal Epithelial Model"					
3:00-3:45pm	Afternoon Session: Scientific Session 2					
cice of lopin	Lecture I	all, KCRB 1015				
12 min talk	Moderators - Adam Higgins, OSU and Grace Privett, UO			LUMENX		
+ 3 min Q&A	Ryan Mehl, Ph.D., "Protein Engineering with GCE"					
	Chi Zhang, Ph.D., "Advancing Data Driven and AI empowered Systems Biology Approaches"					
	Jake Searcy, Ph.D., "Interpretable Attention in Multi-Instance Learning for Cancer Histopathology"				CELLANK	
3:45-4:00pm	Break with Small Bites In from	t of KCRB 1011				
				See it in action at o	ur booth	

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## **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

# David Huang, M.D., Ph.D.,

Associate Director and Director of Research of Casey Eye Institute, the Wold Family Endowed Chair in Ophthalmic Imaging, and Professor of Ophthalmology and Biomedical Engineering at the Oregon Health & Science University



The Oregon Bioengineering Symposium is pleased to welcome Dr. David Huang, M.D., Ph.D., Wold Family Endowed Chair in Ophthalmic Imaging and Professor of Biomedical Engineering at OHSU, as as the 2024 keynote speaker.

Dr. Huang was awarded the United States' highest honor for technological achievement, the National Medal of Technology and Innovation, in

2023 by President Biden along with two collaborators for inventing optical coherence tomography (OCT), which routinely helps prevent blindness. He is Associate Director and Director of Research at Casey Eye Institute at OHSU and leads the Center for Ophthalmic Optics and Lasers centered at Casey Eye.

The keynote address will be held at 4:00 p.m. in the Auditorium and Live-Streamed to the Lecture Hall and Classrooms 1000 and 1016.

Audience Q & A will follow, moderated by Yoli Jia, Professor of Ophthalmology and Biomedical Engineering, Jennie P. Weeks Professor of Ophthalmology, and associate director of the Center for Ophthalmic Optics & Lasers at **Oregon Health & Science Univer**sity and co-founder of International Ocular Circulation Society.



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Chair of the Biomedical Engineering Department, School of Medicine, Oregon Health & Science University

Owen McCarty's research focuses on developing narrow mechanism-specific agents targeting the intrinsic pathway of coagulation and demonstrated that experimental thrombosis and platelet production in primates is interrupted by selective inhibition of activation of coagulation factor (F)XI by FXIIa. His current studies are focused on defining the role of the endothelium in inactivating FXI, as well as studies on whether inhibiting FXI is beneficial in a non-human primate model of sepsis. He received a Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from Johns Hopkins University and is a fellow of the American Heart Association.

Owen McCarty's talk will be during the Opening Session from 9:00-9:30am in the Auditorium, and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.

# **Danielle Benoit**

Lorry Lokey Chair of the Department of Bioengineering, University of Oregon

Danielle Benoit's research specializes in the rational design of polymeric materials for regenerative medicine and drug delivery applications. Her work has provided insights into the translation of tissue engineering strategies for bone allograft repair, development of pH-responsive nanoparticles for nucleic acid and small molecule delivery, and novel targeting strategies for bone-specific delivery of therapeutics. An award-winning researcher, teacher, and mentor, she is a fellow of the National Academy of Inventors, American Institute of Medical and Biological Engineering, and the Biomedical Engineering Society, as well as an Associate Editor for Science Advances and the Journal of Biomedical Materials Research Part B.

Danielle Benoit's talk will be during the Opening Session from 9:00-9:30am in the Auditorium (KCRB 1015), and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.

# Elain Fu

Professor in Bioengineering, Warwick Family Faculty Scholar, Director of the Bioengineering Graduate Program, Oregon State University

Her lab develops field-use sensors with the aim of empowering patients in their healthcare via personalized biomarker monitoring.

Elain Fu's talk will be during the Opening Session from 9:00-9:30am in the Auditorium, and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.

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# Young Hwan Chang

Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Computational Biology and Co-Leader of the Quantitative Oncology Program, Oregon Health & Science University

Young Hwan Chang, Ph.D, earned his Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering and completed postdoctoral training in EECS at UC Berkeley. His research focuses on developing algorithms and deep learning models for multiplex tissue imaging (MTI) and investigating how tumor immune microenvironments impact therapeutic outcomes.

Through the integration of computational and data-driven approaches, Dr. Chang advances cancer research and precision medicine, emphasizing quantitative image analysis, multi-modal integration, and computational modeling to better understand the tumor ecosystem.

Young Hwan Chang's talk will be during the Morning Scientific Session 1 from 9:30-9:45am in the Auditorium (KCRB 1015), and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.



# **Summer Gibbs**

Douglas Strain Endowed Professor of Biomedical Engineering, School of Medicine, Oregon Health & Science University

Dr. Summer Gibbs has more than 20 years of experience in the field of in vivo fluorescence imaging with expertise in fluorescent contrast agent development and its clinical translation. She completed my Ph.D. in Biomedical Engineering under the direction of Brian Pogue, Ph.D. at the Thayer School of Engineering at Dartmouth College in 2008. She joined Dr. John Frangioni's

Laboratory for her postdoctoral training where she completed three years of postdoctoral training and was promoted to Instructor in Medicine. She joined the faculty in the Biomedical Engineering Department at Oregon Health

and Science University (OHSU) as an Assistant Professor in June 2012 and was promoted to Professor in July 2022, where she is currently the Douglas Strain Endowed Professor. The current focus of her laboratory is on the development of novel fluorescent probes to improved macroscopic and microscopic patient-specific imaging. Over the past ten years she has worked towards the development of a near infrared (NIR) nerve-specific contrast agent for clinical translation to guide surgical procedures. She and her group have successfully developed first-in-class NIR nerve-specific small molecule contrast agents that are being clinically translated to aid in nerve identification and visualization during surgery. This technology has also been spun out of her laboratory into a startup company, Trace Biosciences, which is solely focused on clinical translation of this novel intraoperative imaging technique.

Summer Gibbs' talk will be during the Morning Scientific Session 1 from 10:15-10:30am in the Auditorium (KCRB 1015), and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.



# **Binata Joddar**

Associate Professor in Chemical, Biological, and Environmental Engineering at Oregon State University.

Dr. Binata Joddar earned her Ph.D. from a joint Bioengineering program at Clemson University and the Medical University of South Carolina. After completing postdoctoral research in cardiovascular biology at Ohio State University, where she received the Distinguished Post-Doctoral Researcher Award, Dr. Joddar advanced her expertise with

a Foreign Post-Doctoral Fellowship at RIKEN, Japan, focusing on stem cells and regenerative medicine. Before joining Oregon State University, Dr. Joddar spent 10 years as an assistant and associate professor of biomedical engineering at the University of Texas at El Paso (UTEP). Binata Joddar's research spans biomaterials, stem-cell-based tissue engineering, and tissue regeneration. Notable projects include 3D-printed microelectrode arrays for studying neuronal networks in microgravity, bioprinted cardiac models, and advanced tissue engineering techniques. Dr. Joddar has received grants from NIH, NSF, and NASA and holds patents for innovations such as photoreactive

collagen-like peptides and electrospun scaffolds for cardiac tissue modeling. She serves as an Associate Editor for Biofabrication and is active in grant and journal review panels for NIH, NSF and the AHA. Passionate about mentoring underrepresented minority students, Dr. Joddar has guided numerous graduate and undergraduate students towards successful careers in STEM fields.

Binata Joddar's talk will be during the Morning Scientific Session 1 from 9:45-10:00am in the Auditorium (KCRB 1015), and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.



# Ryan Mehl

Professor, Department of Biochemistry & Biophysics, Director of the GCE4All Research Center, Oregon State University

Dr. Ryan Mehl's research for the last 20 years has focused on developing Genetic Code Expansion (GCE) tools to study protein structure and function and develop new protein-based technologies. Dr. Mehl received organic synthesis and mechanistic enzymology training under Tadhg Begley and chemical biology/protein engineering training under Peter Schultz. For 10 years he led an undergraduate-

based research lab at Franklin and Marshall College where he used GCE to study the structural and catalytic properties of proteins, and developed useful GCE spectroscopic probes and bioorthogonal ligation tools. In 2011, Dr. Mehl relocated to Oregon State University (OSU) to expand his research program and – based on his conviction of the importance of getting GCE out to the many researchers for whom it could make a difference – created an "Unnatural Protein (UP) Facility" dedicated to facilitating the use of GCE methods. In 2022, he, along with his team at OSU, were funded as the Genetic Code expansion for all (GCE4AII) Biomedical Technology Optimization and Dissemination Center. The GCE4AII Center builds upon the foundation of leadership, expertise and accomplishments generated in the UP Facility and will allow biomedical researchers around the world to have access to better scientific tools for using GCE technologies, enabling scientific breakthroughs worldwide.

Ryan Mehl's talk will be during the Afternoon Scientific Session 2 from 3:00-3:15pm in the Auditorium (KCRB 1015), and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.



# **Raghu Parthasarathy**

Professor of Physics, Oregon State University

Raghuveer Parthasarathy has been a Physics professor at the University of Oregon since 2006. His research focuses on bacterial communities, especially the structure and dynamics of the gut microbiome, which his group explores using zebrafish as a model organism, live imaging via light sheet fluorescence microscopy, and computational image analysis. His teaching interests mostly involve courses and writing for non-science majors and the general public.

Ragu Parthasarathy's talk will be during the Morning Scientific Session 1 from 10:30-10:15am in the Auditorium (KCRB 1015), and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.



# **Jake Searcy**

Assistant Professor in the Department of Data Science at the University of Oregon

Dr. Jake Searcy is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Data Science at the University of Oregon. His work focuses on overcoming barriers to implementing cutting-edge AI tools in domainspecific settings, particularly issues related to interpretability and limited domain-specific data. Prior to joining the University of Oregon, he developed novel AI methodologies at Ford Motor

Company after beginning his data science career as a particle physicist applying machine learning to data from CERN's Large Hadron Collider. Dr. Searcy received his Ph.D. in Physics from the University of Oregon in 2012.

Jake Searcy's talk will be during the Afternoon Scientific Session from 3:30-3:45pm in the Auditorium (KCRB 1015), and live-streamed to the Lecture Hall (KCRB 1011) and classrooms 1000 and 1016.

# Chi Zhang

Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering and a member of the Center for Biomedical Data Science, Brenden-Colson Center for Pancreatic Care and Knight Cancer Institute at Oregon Health & Science University



Dr. Chi Zhang received his bachelor's degree in mathematics from Peking University in 2010 and Ph.D. in Bioinformatics from the University of Georgia with a minor in Statistics in 2015. He joined Indiana University School of Medicine (IUSM) as an assistant professor in 2016, was promoted to a tenured associate professor in 2022, associate director of the Center for Computational Biology and Bioinformatics in 2023, and then joined OHSU in 2024. His research focuses on studying the mathematical representations of biological processes, relations, and functions in omics data; developing new systems biology models and AI methods to enable in silico simulation and perturbation

analysis of disease systems; understanding biochemical and metabolic variations in the microenvironment of different diseases; and developing explainable and fair AI models for biomedical data. Dr. Zhang received the NIH NIGMS Maximizing Investigators' Research Award (MIRA) (R35), NSF career award, and American Cancer Society Research Scholar Award, and multiple R01s. Dr. Zhang also leads the bioinformatics and biostatistics analysis in the NCI Pancreatic Ductal Adenocarcinoma Stromal Reprogramming Consortium.

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Thank you to our Scientific Session moderators, Lei Wang (OHSU), Nataliia Shchotkina (UO), Adam Higgins (OSU) and Grace Privett (UO).



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# **BIOENGINEERING TALKS SELECTED FROM ABSTRACTS**

A judging panel will select the award winner based on their presentations, which will be announced during the closing session.

In addition to the Excellence in Research Award, prizes will be awarded to students or trainees for the best lightning talk presentation and best poster presentations. All awards will be announced during the closing session.

Concurrent Session 1 Abstract Session 1A, 11:15-11:45, Auditorium (KCRB 1015) Moderators: Sha Cao, OHSU and Binata Joddar, OSU

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#### Sangam Buddhacharya - OSU, Graduate Student

Progress in the development of a point-of-care device for anti-seizure medication titration: electrochemical signal quantification in saliva using multivariate and machine learning methods

Rachel Thompson - OSU, Graduate Student Cryopreservation of Intact Intervertebral Discs

#### Nikita Sehgal - OHSU, Graduate Student

Ultrasound-responsive dendrimermicrobubble complexes as gene delivery vectors for precision cancer gene therapy

#### Lia Strait - UO, Graduate Student Systemic Immune Response Following BMP-2 Treated Bone Injury is Time and Dose Dependent

Valentina Roquemen-Echeverri -OHSU, Graduate Student A physiology-guided artificial intelligence digital twin framework for replicating glucose dynamics in type 2 diabetes

Ajay Ratty - OSU, Graduate Student Effects of Incremental Scaphoid Proximal Pole Excision on Carpal Kinematics

#### **Concurrent Session 2**

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Orthogonal heterodimers for geometric assembly and interaction specificity

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- 2 Mahjabeen Tamanna Abed -Washington State University, Graduate Student Towards Long-Term At-Home Cardiac Monitoring: A Multimodal Sensing and Learning Framework
- 3 Megan Adamec UO, Undergraduate Student Impedimetric Sensor for Continuous Monitoring of Adherent L929 Cell Growth
- 4 Iman Adem OHSU, Graduate Student

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- 5 Alexandra Aeschliman UO, Undergraduate Student Leveraging biomimetic peptide structure to increase accumulation of nanoparticle drug delivery systems at fracture sites
- 6 Nima Ahmadkhani OSU, Graduate Student Optimizing Cryopreservation with High-Throughput Screening: Discovering Effective Cryoprotectant Mixtures at Varied Temperatures

- 7 **Cynthia Alcazar OHSU, Research Associate** Functional repair and regenerative engineering of composite bone-muscle injury in mouse lower extremity trauma
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