

# Mayo Clinic Gastrointestinal Cancers 2025

Santa Barbara, California

April 4-5, 2025

*All Presentations Mountain Standard Time*

**Day 1**

**Friday, April 4, 2025**

6:30 AM

7:30 AM

**Registration, Breakfast and Exhibits**

7:30 AM

7:40 AM

**Welcome Announcements**  
Tanios Bekaii-Saab, M.D.

## **Session I: Gastric and Esophageal Cancers**

**Moderator:** Manish A. Shah, M.D.

7:40 AM

8:40 AM

**Case Presentations: Challenging Cases in GE Cancers**  
**Presenter:** Manish A. Shah, M.D.  
**Panel:** Christina S. Wu, M.D., Jonathan B. Ashman, M.D., Ph. D., Samine Ravanbakhsh, M.D., Manish A. Shah, M.D., Mohamad (Bassam) B. Sonbol, M.D.

8:40 AM

9:10 AM

**Perioperative Therapy for GE Tumors: To Radiate or Not To Radiate?**  
Manish A. Shah, M.D.

9:10 AM

9:40 AM

**Emerging Targets in GE Cancers**  
Gerald Prager, M.D.

9:40 AM

10:10 AM

**Break and Exhibits**

## **Session II: Pancreatic Cancer**

**Moderator:** Robert R. McWilliams, M.D.

10:10 AM

11:00 AM

**Case Presentations: Challenging Cases in Pancreatic Cancer**  
**Presenter:** Robert R. McWilliams, M.D.  
**Panel:** Tanios Bekaii-Saab, M.D., Hani M. Babiker, M.D., Kenneth W. Merrell, M.D., Mark J. Truty, M.D., M.S., Patrick P. Starlinger, M.D., Ph.D.

11:00 AM

11:30 AM

**Novel Surgical Approaches in Pancreas Cancer**  
Mark J. Truty, M.D., M.S.

11:30 AM

12:00 PM

**Targeting the HRR Pathway**  
Kim A. Reiss, M.D.

12:00 PM

1:00 PM

**Lunch and Exhibits**

## **Session III: Neuroendocrine Cancer**

**Moderator:** Jason S. Starr, D.O.

1:00 PM	1:20 PM	<b>Radiopharmaceutical Therapies for NET Tumors</b> Felipe Martinez, M.D.
1:20 PM	1:40 PM	<b>Treatment Paradigms for NETs</b> Thor R. Halfdanarson, M.D.
<b>Session IV: Hepatobiliary Cancers</b> <b>Moderator:</b> Robert R. McWilliams, M.D.		
1:40 PM	2:30 PM	<b>Case Presentations: Challenging Cases in HB Cancers</b> <b>Presenter:</b> Rory L. Smoot, M.D. <b>Panel:</b> Lionel A. Kankeu Fonkoua, M.D., Daniel H. Ahn, D.O., Beau Toskich, M.D., Terence T. Sio, M.D., M.S., Thomas J. Byrne, M.D.
2:30 PM	3:00 PM	<b>Break and Exhibits</b>
<b>Session IV(cont.): Hepatobiliary Cancers</b> <b>Moderator:</b> Robert R. McWilliams, M.D.		
3:00 PM	3:30 PM	<b>Emerging Targets in BTC</b> Tanios Bekaii-Saab, M.D.
3:30 PM	4:00 PM	<b>The Expanding Landscape of First Line Options in HCC</b> Anthony B. El-Khoueiry, M.D.
4:00 PM	4:30 PM	<b>The Rise and Fall of Adjuvant Immunotherapy in HCC</b> Daniel H. Ahn, D.O.
4:30 PM	4:40 PM	<b>Closing Remarks and Adjourn</b>

<b>Day 2</b>		<b>Saturday, April 5, 2025</b>
6:30 AM	7:30 AM	<b>Breakfast and Exhibits</b>
7:00 AM	7:20 AM	<b>Optional Nursing Lecture: Diarrhea Management in Pancreatic Cancer Patients</b> Jackie M. Bartusiewicz, R.N.
7:30 AM	7:40 AM	<b>Announcements</b> Robert R. McWilliams, M.D.
<b>Session V: Early-Stage Colorectal Cancers</b> <b>Moderator:</b> Jeremy C. Jones, M.D.		
7:40 AM	8:40 AM	<b>Case Presentations: Challenging Cases in Rectal Cancers</b> <b>Presenter:</b> Christina S. Wu, M.D. <b>Panel:</b> Terence T. Sio, M.D., M.S., Jeremy C. Jones, M.D., Eiji Oki, B.E.,M.E., Ph.D., Amit Merchea, M.D., and Katrina S. Pedersen, M.D.

8:40 AM	9:10 AM	<b>MRD Assessment in Early Stage CRC : Predictive, Prognostic or Both</b> Takayuki Yoshino, M.D., Ph.D.
9:10 AM	9:40 AM	<b>The Epidemic of Young-Onset CRC</b> Katrina S. Pedersen, M.D.
9:40 AM	10:10 AM	<b>Break and Exhibits</b>
<b>Session VI: Colorectal Cancers</b>		
<b>Moderator:</b> Tanios Bekaii-Saab, M.D.		
10:10 AM	10:40 AM	<b>Targeting the MAPK Pathway in mCRC</b> John H. Strickler, M.D.
10:40 AM	11:10 AM	<b>Immunotherapy in MSS mCRC: Is There a Path Forward</b> Kristen K. Ciombor, MD, MSCI
11:10 AM	11:40 AM	<b>Optimizing Sequencing of Available Agents Beyond 2L in mCRC</b> Bassel F. El-Rayes, M.D.
11:40 AM	12:10 PM	<b>Liver Directed Therapies in mCRC</b> Cornelius A. Thiels, D.O., M.B.A.
12:10 PM	12:20 PM	<b>Closing Remarks and Adjourn</b>
12:20 PM	12:50 PM	<b>Optional Independent Cultural and Linguistic Competency Video (California Requirement)</b> Darryl Chutka, M.D.