



**Mayo Clinic Hematology & Medical Oncology
Practice Updates and Board Review 2026**

February 6 – 10, 2026
Koloa, Kauai, HI & Livestream
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Friday, February 6	
5:45 AM	Registration, Breakfast, Exhibitors
6:25 AM	Welcome Announcements <i>Course Directors TBD</i>
Myeloid Neoplasms	
<i>Moderators: Kebede H. Begna, M.D. and Naseema Gangat, M.B.B.S.</i>	
6:30 AM	MPN: PV, ET, and MF <i>Naseema Gangat, M.B.B.S.</i>
7:00 AM	Mast Cell & Eosinophilic Neoplasms <i>Animesh Pardanani, M.B.B.S., M.D.</i>
7:20 AM	Bone marrow failure syndromes (AA and CCUS/ICUS) including CMML and MDS <i>Abhishek A. Mangaonkar, M.B.B.S.</i>
7:50 AM	CML <i>Talha Badar, M.B.B.S., M.D.</i>
8:10 AM	Acute Myeloid Leukemia <i>James M. Foran, M.D.</i>
8:40 AM	Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia <i>Kebede H. Begna, M.D.</i>
9:10 AM	Transplantation (auto & Allo) for Hematological Disorders including GVHD <i>William J. Hogan, M.B., B.Ch.</i>
9:40 AM	Panel Question & Answer Session
10:00 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors
Consultative & Classic Hematology	
<i>Moderators: Kebede H. Begna, M.D. and Ronald S. Go, M.D.</i>	
10:10 AM	Thrombotic Microangiopathy and other Platelet Disorders <i>Meera Sridharan, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
10:35 AM	Coagulation Factors Disorder (Homeostasis): Molecular Basis, Inherited and Acquired Bleeding Disorders (non-Platelet) <i>Rajiv K. K. Pruthi, M.B.B.S.</i>
11:00 AM	Hemophagocytic Lymphohistiocytosis (HLH) & Porphyrias <i>Alexandra P. Wolanskyj-Spinner, M.D.</i>
11:20 AM	Sickle Cell Disease, Thalassemia & Other Hemoglobinopathies <i>Marwan Shaikh</i>
11:45 AM	Anemia / Iron Metabolism Disorders <i>Ronald S. Go, M.D.</i>
12:10 PM	Hemolytic Anemias including PNH <i>Surbhi Shah, M.B.B.S.</i>
12:35 PM	Panel Question & Answer Session
12:50 PM	Adjourn
12:55 PM	Optional Industry Sponsored Lunch <i>In-Person Only</i> Syndax



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Saturday, February 7

5:45 AM	Registration, Breakfast, Exhibitors
6:25 AM	Welcome Announcements <i>Wilson I. Gonsalves, M.D. and Sameer A. Parikh, M.B.B.S.</i>
Plasma Cell Disorders	
<i>Moderator: Wilson I. Gonsalves, M.D.</i>	
6:30 AM	MGUS / Smoldering Myeloma <i>Rahma Warsame, M.D.</i>
6:50 AM	Waldenstrom Macroglobulinemia <i>Morie A. Gertz, M.D.</i>
7:05 AM	Amyloidosis <i>Angela Dispenzieri, M.D.</i>
7:25 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
7:35 AM	Newly Diagnosed Multiple Myeloma <i>Shaji Kumar, M.D.</i>
7:55 AM	Relapsed / Refractory Multiple Myeloma <i>Wilson I. Gonsalves, M.D.</i>
8:15 AM	Cellular Therapy for Hematological Malignancies <i>Sikander Ailawadhi, M.D.</i>
8:35 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
8:45 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors
Lymphoid Malignancies	
<i>Moderator: Sameer A. Parikh, M.B.B.S.</i>	
9:05 AM	Hodgkin Lymphoma <i>Gita Thanarajasingam, M.D.</i>
9:25 AM	Aggressive B Cell Lymphoma <i>Thomas E. Witzig, M.D.</i>
9:55 AM	T-Cell Lymphoma <i>Stephen M. Ansell, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
10:15 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
10:30 AM	CLL <i>Lindsey E. Roeker, M.D.</i>
10:55 AM	Follicular Lymphoma <i>Thomas E. Witzig, M.D.</i>
11:15 AM	Mantle Cell Lymphoma <i>Javier L. Munoz, M.D., M.B.A.</i>
11:30 AM	Other Indolent Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma



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	<i>Thomas M. Habermann, M.D.</i>
11:45 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
12:00 PM	Adjourn
12:05 PM	Optional Industry Sponsored Lunch – 45 minutes <i>In-Person Only</i>
4:45 PM – 6:30 PM	Attendee Networking Reception <i>In-Person Only</i> Cabana Beach Guests are welcome to attend



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Sunday, February 8	
5:45 AM	Registration, Breakfast, Exhibitors
6:25 AM	Welcome Announcements <i>Kathryn J. Ruddy, M.D. and Thor Halfdanarson M.D.</i>
Gynecologic and Other Cancers	
<i>Moderator: Kathryn J. Ruddy, M.D.</i>	
6:30 AM	Ovarian Cancer <i>John J. Weroha, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
7:00 AM	Cancers of the Cervix, Uterus and Other Less Common GYN Cancers <i>Andrea E. Wahner Hendrickson, M.D.</i>
7:30AM	Melanoma <i>Roxana S. Dronca, M.D.</i>
8:00 AM	Endocrine Oncology (thyroid, adrenals) <i>Mabel Ryder, M.D.</i>
8:30 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
8:50 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors
Miscellaneous	
<i>Moderator: Thor R. Halfdanarson M.D.</i>	
9:05 AM	Genomics for Hematologist/Medical Oncologist <i>Karthik V. Giridhar, M.D.</i>
9:30 AM	Hereditary Syndromes (when to refer to clinical genomics, germline testing, etc.) <i>Jewel J. Samadder, M.D.</i>
9:55 AM	Transfusion Medicine for Hematologist/Medical Oncologist <i>Justin E. Juskewitch, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
10:20 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
10:40 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors
10:55 AM	Management of Thrombosis in Cancer <i>Robert D. McBane II, M.D.</i>
11:25 AM	Palliative Care and Symptom Management <i>Deirdre R. Pachman, M.D.</i>
11:55 AM	Assessing/Managing Complications of therapy (chemo & immunotherapy, cardio-, neuro-, renal- toxicity) <i>Elizabeth J. Cathcart-Rake, M.D.</i>
12:15 PM	Panel Question and Answer Session
12:25 PM	Adjourn
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Monday, February 9	
5:45 AM	Registration, Breakfast, Exhibitors
6:25 AM	Welcome Announcements <i>Course Directors TBD</i>
Lung, other Thoracic, Head & Neck Cancer, Neuro-Oncology	
<i>Moderators: Thor R. Halfdanarson M.D. and Rami Manochakian, M.D.</i>	
6:30 AM	Early-Stage NSCLC <i>Vamsi Velcheti, M.D.</i>
6:55 AM	Advanced Stage NSCLC <i>Rami Manochakian, M.D.</i>
7:40 AM	Small Cell Lung Cancer <i>Vinicius Ernani, M.D.</i>
8:05 AM	Other Thoracic Malignancies (mesothelioma, thymic, neuroendocrine) <i>Konstantinos Leventakos, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
8:25 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
8:45 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors
9:00 AM	Neuro-Oncology <i>Wendy J. Sherman, M.D.</i>
9:30 AM	Head and Neck Cancer <i>Ashish V. Chintakuntlawar, M.B.B.S., Ph.D.</i>
9:55 AM	Sarcoma <i>Brittany L. Siontis, M.D.</i>
10:15 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
10:35 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors
Genitourinary Cancer	
<i>Moderator: Thor R. Halfdanarson M.D.</i>	
10:50 AM	Bladder / Urothelial Cancer <i>Parminder Singh, M.D.</i>
11:20 AM	Renal Cell Carcinoma <i>Yousef Zakharia, M.D.</i>
11:50 AM	Germ Cell Cancers <i>Adam M. Case, M.D.</i>
12:10 PM	Prostate Cancer <i>Dan S. Childs, M.D.</i>
12:40 PM	Panel Question and Answer Session
1:00 PM	Adjourn
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Tuesday, February 10

5:45 AM	Registration, Breakfast, Exhibitors
6:55 AM	Welcome Announcements <i>Kathryn Ruddy, Tanios Bekaii-Saab, and Thor Halfdanarson</i>
Breast Cancer	
<i>Moderators: Kathryn Ruddy and Lida Mina</i>	
6:30 AM	Early Breast Cancer – Locoregional Therapy (including surgery & radiotherapy) <i>Kimberly S. Corbin, M.D.</i>
6:50 AM	Systemic Therapy for Her2- Positive Breast Cancer: Curative & Palliative <i>Matthew P. Goetz, M.D.</i>
7:15 AM	Systemic Therapy for Triple Negative Breast Cancer: Curative & Palliative <i>Dame Idossa, M.D.</i>
7:50 AM	Systemic Therapy for ER+Her2- Breast Cancer: Curative & Palliative <i>Saranya Chumsri, M.D.</i>
8:25 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
8:45 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors
Gastrointestinal Cancer	
<i>Moderators: Tanios Bekaii-Saab and Thor Halfdanarson</i>	
9:00 AM	Management of Early-stage Colorectal Cancer Including Non-Operative Management of Rectal Cancer <i>Katrina S. Pedersen, M.D.</i>
9:30 AM	Management of Advanced Colorectal Cancer <i>Tanios S. Bekaii-Saab, M.D.</i>
10:00 AM	Upper GI & other GI Cancers <i>Jason S. Starr, D.O.</i>
10:30 AM	Management of Hepatobiliary Cancers <i>Mitesh J. Borad, M.D.</i>
11:00 AM	Management of Pancreatic Cancer <i>Hani M. Babiker, M.D.</i>
11:30 AM	Panel Question and Answer Session
11:50 AM	Adjourn