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Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the AHRS, we are so pleased to welcome you to the AHRS 2025 Alopecia Summit!

As the beautiful archway of this building states, [NEC] POST MILLE SAECULA PRAESCINDETUR OCCASIO ALIQUID ADJICIENDI. This is an adaptation of a quote from Seneca's Epistulae Morales (64.7–8), and it translates to: "Even a thousand ages hence, the opportunity to add something further will still be open." The phrase reflects a belief in the unending progress and future discoveries of science and medicine. This feels especially appropriate given the strong progress in alopecia research and clinical studies. Now is an amazing time for those who treat patients with hair loss, the promise of discoveries and breakthroughs will be meaningful for all of us and the patients we treat.

We hope you will participate in all of the exciting sessions planned for you over these two days. It is an added benefit to be in New York City at this time of year, and we hope that your trip permits a bit of time to take in the magic and lights of the holiday season.

Sincerely,

John T. Seykora, MD, PhD, Chair Paradi Mirmirani, MD, Co-Chair Angela Christiano, PhD, Co-Chair Maria Hordinsky, MD, Co-Chair Wilma F. Bergfeld, MD, Co-Chair

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# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### **MEETING LOCATION**

New York Academy of Medicine 1216 5th Avenue New York, NY, USA Phone: +1-212-822-7200 https://www.nyam.org/

#### **SESSION ROOMS**

General Session | Hosack Hall (1st Floor)
Exhibits & Coffee Breaks | President's Gallery (1st Floor)
Registration Desk | Hosack Hall Lobby (1st Floor)
Speaker Ready | Reception Room 2 (1st Floor)
Brunch, Lunch & Dinner | Library Reading Room (3rd Floor)

#### **REGISTRATION DESK HOURS**

Saturday, December 13 | 8:00AM-6:00PM Sunday, December 14 | 7:30AM-1:00PM

#### SPEAKER READY ROOM HOURS

Saturday, December 13 | 8:30AM-5:00PM Sunday, December 14 | 7:30AM-11:00AM

# TARGET AUDIENCE WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM ATTENDING

The target audience for the Alopecia Summit includes dermatologists who practice in a clinical setting treating patients who suffer from hair loss disorders.

Other attendees will include pediatricians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurses, and other clinical providers who have the potential to affect the outcomes of patients with alopecia.

Additionally, the audience will include a wide range of research scientists with an interest in hair, hair loss, and hair loss disorders.

#### **CME**

The meeting is not sanctioned for CME PRA Category 1 Credits. However, the meeting will comply as much as possible with the policies and best practices of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education.

All individuals in a position to control the content of the activity, including speakers and authors, moderators, and planning committee members, will properly disclosure relevant financial relationships with any commercial interests pertinent to their talk or the subject of the meeting. A certificate of attendance suitable for framing will be provided to all delegates.

#### **EVALUATION SURVEYS**

The Planning Committee kindly requests that you complete the evaluation survey that will be sent via email immediately following the summit. You will also receive an evaluation three months after the conclusion of the program. Your feedback is valuable to us! We make changes to our programs based on your comments. Thank you for your participation.

#### NIFI

Network: HealthForLife Password: events@NYAM

#### **OFFICIAL LANGUAGE**

The official language of the meeting is English. Simultaneous interpretation will not be available.

#### **WEATHER**

New York's weather in December is cold and cloudy. The average maximum daytime temperature in the month of December in New York is 42°F, while the average minimum temperature is a cool 31°F. There will be rain or snow an average of 10 days in New York in December. On average, there will be 9.5 hours of daylight per day.

#### **MEETING ATTIRE**

The attire for the educational sessions and social events is business.

## **PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**

The AHRS fully complies with the legal requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and the rules and regulations thereof. If any participant in this educational activity is in need of support services, please notify the AHRS headquarters office at +1-630-578-3991 or info@americanhairresearchsociety.org as soon as possible, and preferably before December 1, 2025.

### PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEO RECORDING POLICY

Still photos are permitted without a flash. Video recording is strictly prohibited in the educational sessions. This includes videos taken with cellular phones. Violators will be dismissed from the meeting.

*NOTE:* We have hired a professional photographer to take a podium headshot and panel shot of every presenter. We will offer the link to download the photos after the meeting. Disclaimer: We will do our best to capture every presenter and panel, there is no guarantee on quality of photo.

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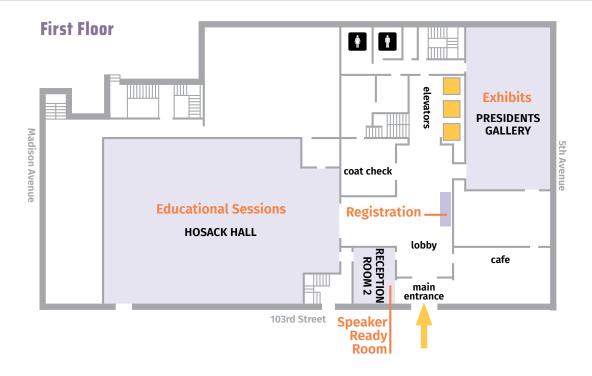
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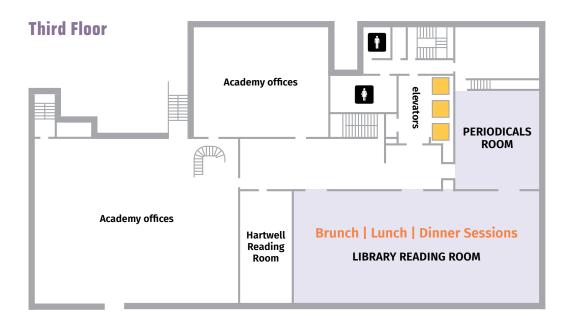
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# **FLOOR PLANS**





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# **SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE**

SATURDAY/   DECEMBER 13, 2025	
8:00ам-9:00ам	Breakfast & Coffee Available   President's Gallery, 1st Floor
8:00ам-6:00рм	Registration   Hosack Hall Lobby, 1st Floor
8:30ам-5:00рм	Speaker Ready Room   Reception Room 2, 1st Floor
9:00ам-10:00ам	Exhibitor Set Up   President's Gallery, 1st Floor
10:00ам-6:10рм	Exhibit Viewing   President's Gallery, 1st Floor
9:00ам-11:30ам	Day of Discovery   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor
11:30ам-12:20рм	Lunch   Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor
12:30рм-12:45рм	Opening Session   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor
12:50рм-2:55рм	Session 1: Impact of Jak Inhibitors on Adult Alopecia Areata and Potential New Therapies   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor
2:55рм-3:30рм	Coffee Break & Visit Exhibits   President's Gallery, 1st Floor
3:30рм-5:10рм	Session 2: Treatments for Adolescent Alopecia Areata   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor
5:10рм-6:10рм	Cocktail Reception   President's Gallery, 1st Floor
6:15рм-8:15рм	Dinner with AHRS Honorary Lecture   Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor

SUNDAY   DECEME	SUNDAY   DECEMBER 14, 2025	
7:30ам-8:00ам	Breakfast Pastries & Coffee Available   President's Gallery, 1st Floor	
7:30ам-1:00рм	Registration   Hosack Hall Lobby, 1st Floor	
7:30ам-11:00ам	Speaker Ready Room   Reception Room 2, 1st Floor	
7:30ам-11:00ам	Exhibit Viewing   President's Gallery, 1st Floor	
8:00ам-9:15ам	Session 3: What's New in CCCA   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor	
9:20ам-10:35ам	Session 4: New Approaches to LPP and FFA   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor	
10:35ам-11:00ам	Coffee Break & Visit Exhibits   President's Gallery, 1st Floor	
11:00ам-1:05рм	Session 5: Recent Advances in Androgenetic Alopecia   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor	
11:00ам-1:00рм	Exhibitor Dismantle   President's Gallery, 1st Floor	
1:05рм-2:20рм	Brunch with Panel Discussion – Why is Hair Hot?   Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor	
2:20рм-2:30рм	Closing Remarks   Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor	

All educational sessions that take place in Hosack Hall will be recorded and made available to meeting attendees via the AHRS website. Additional details, including viewing login information, will be emailed by January 5, 2026.













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9:00ам-11:30ам	Day of Discovery   Hosack Hall, 1st Floor

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9:00ам-9:05ам	Welcome & Introductions Reid Waldman, MD, Veradermics
9:05ам-10:00ам	Pharmacokinetics of Minoxidil and Utility in Hair Kristen Lo Sicco, MD, New York University
10:00ам-10:15ам	Coffee Break
10:15ам-10:35ам	Outcomes Measures in Hair Clinical Trials Doug Canfield, Canfield Scientific
10:40ам-11:00ам	Historical Outcomes in AGA Jerry Shapiro, MD, New York University
11:05ам-11:25ам	Dermatologist to Entrepreneur (Interview/Q&A session with Dr. Waldman) Reid Waldman, MD, Veradermics Elizabeth Lindemann, PharmD, Veradermics
11:25ам-11:30ам	Closing Remarks Reid Waldman, MD, Veradermics

11:30ам-12:20рм Lunch | Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor



# **JOIN US FOR A "DAY OF DISCOVERY"**

Join us for an immersive "Day of Discovery" designed for residents and those passionate about advancing their understanding of hair disorders and innovation in practice.

This dynamic program will explore the pharmacokinetics of minoxidil and its evolving role in hair restoration, delve into historical and emerging outcome data in androgenetic alopecia (AGA), and examine metrics used in hair clinical trials.

Cap off the day with an inspiring conversation with a dermatologist-turnedentrepreneur, offering insights into bridging clinical expertise with business innovation. Whether you are research-driven or entrepreneurial-minded, this event promises to spark curiosity and expand your career horizons.

# SATURDAY | DECEMBER 13, 2025

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12:30рм-12:45рм	Chair: John T. Seykora, Co-Chairs: Wilma F. Bergfeld Angela Christiand Maria Hordinsky,	MD, PhD, University of Pennsylvania d, MD, Cleveland Clinic p, PhD, Columbia University MD, University of Minnesota MD, The Permanente Medical Group
12:50рм-2:55рм	AREATA AND Po Moderators: John T. Seykora,	MD, PhD, University of Pennsylvania
	12:50PM-1:15PM (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Systemic Jak Inhibitors in Alopecia Areata Maria Hordinsky, MD, University of Minnesota
	1:15 <sub>PM</sub> -1:40 <sub>PM</sub> (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Pharmacogenomics and New Therapeutic Approaches in Alopecia Areata Angela Christiano, PhD, Columbia University
	1:40 <sub>PM</sub> -2:05 <sub>PM</sub> (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Optimizing Jak Inhibitor Treatment for Difficult Case Rodney Sinclair, MBBS, MD, FACD, University of Melbourne
	2:05PM-2:30PM (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Combination Approaches to Treat Alopecia Areata Kristen Lo Sicco, MD, New York University
	2:30PM-2:55PM (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Guidelines Update Arash Mostaghimi, MD, MPA, MPH, Brigham and Women's Hospital
2:55рм-3:30рм	Coffee Break &	Visit Exhibits   President's Gallery, 1st Floor
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#### **DECEMBER 13, 2025** SATURDAY I

3:30рм-5:10рм

**SESSION 2: TREATMENTS FOR ADOLESCENT ALOPECIA AREATA** Moderators:

Maria Hordinsky, MD, University of Minnesota Kristen LoSicco, MD, New York University

3:30 <sub>PM</sub> -3:55 <sub>PM</sub> (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	<b>Treating Pediatric AA Patients with JAK Inhibitors</b> Seth Orlow, MD, PhD, New York University
3:55PM-4:20PM (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Role of Minoxidil in Treating Alopecia Areata Mariya Miteva, MD, University of Miami
4:20 <sub>PM</sub> -4:45 <sub>PM</sub> (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Efficacy of Dupiliumab in Treating Alopecia Areata and Atopic Dermatitis Vikash Oza, MD, New York University
4:45PM-5:10PM (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	How to Approach Treatment of Pediatric AA: When to Use Steroids and When to Use JAK Inhibitors Leslie Castelo-Soccio, MD, PhD, Children's National Hospital

5:10рм-6:10рм COCKTAIL RECEPTION | President's Gallery, 1st Floor

6:15рм-8:15рм **DINNER** | Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor

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6:15рм-6:45рм	Dinner Service begins
6:45рм-6:55рм	Remarks from Veradermics
6:55рм-7:10рм	Presentation of AHRS Honorary Lecture Recipient
7:10рм-7:40рм	2025 AHRS Honorary Lecture In Honor of Vera H. Price, MD, University of California, San Francisco
	Hair Therapies Your Patients Will Be Asking You About in 2026: What You Need to Know Lecturer: Paradi Mirmirani, MD, The Permanente Medical Group



Dr. Vera H. Price, Professor Emeritus at UCSF, is a global leader in hair research. She co-founded the National Alopecia Areata Foundation and the Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation, served as founding member and past President of the North American Hair Research Society, and helped establish the National Alopecia Areata Registry. Her groundbreaking research and publications, including Cicatricial Alopecia: An Approach to Diagnosis and Management, have advanced the understanding and management of scarring alopecias, alopecia areata, and hair-shaft disorders. Dr. Price is celebrated for her mentorship, advocacy, and lasting impact on patients and clinicians worldwide.



Dr. Paradi Mirmirani, who trained under Dr. Price at UCSF, is a boardcertified dermatologist and hair specialist at Kaiser Permanente, Vallejo, CA. She holds leadership roles in research and patient care, faculty appointments at UCSF and Case Western Reserve University, and has authored 70+ publications. Dr. Mirmirani co-authored Cicatricial Alopecia: An Approach to Diagnosis and Management and serves on advisory boards for the Cicatricial Alopecia Research Foundation, the National Alopecia Areata Foundation, and the North American Hair Research Society.

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7:30ам-11:00ам	Exhibit Viewing	President's Gallery, 1st Floor	
8:00am-9:15am	SESSION 3: WHAT'S NEW IN CCCA  Moderators: Amy McMichael, MD, Wake Forest University Paradi Mirmirani, MD, The Permanente Medical Group		
	0.007 0.207	What Molecular Studies Tell Us About CCCA John Seykora, MD, PhD, University of Pennsylvania	
	8:25ам-8:50ам	Therapeutic and Psychosocial Impact of JAK Inhibitors on CCCA	
	(20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Temitayo Ogunleye, MD, University of Pennsylvania	
	8:50ам-9:15ам	New Therapeutic Approaches for CCCA: Metformin and GLP Agonists	
	(20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Crystal Aguh, MD, Johns Hopkins University	





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C. Thompson

# SUNDAY | DECEMBER 14, 2025

9:20ам-10:35ам **SESSION 4: NEW APPROACHES TO LPP AND FFA** Moderators: Wilma F. Bergfeld, MD, Cleveland Clinic Foundation Temitayo Ogunleye, MD, University of Pennsylvania 9:20am-9:45am Update on Histology and Biology of LPP and FFA (20 min + 5 min Q&A) Curtis Thompson, MD, Oregon Health and Sciences University 9:45am-10:10am Battle for the Central Scalp: Pattern Hair Loss vs **Cicatricial Alopecia** (20 min + 5 min Q&A) Elise Olsen, MD, Duke University 10:10AM-10:35AM Therapeutic Approaches and Recent Innovations for FFA and LPP (20 min + 5 min Q&A) Mariya Miteva, MD, University of Miami

10:35ам-11:00ам

Coffee Break & Visit Exhibits | President's Gallery, 1st Floor

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11:00ам-1:00рм

**Exhibitor Dismantle** 

# SUNDAY | DECEMBER 14, 2025

11:00ам-1:05рм	<i>Moderators:</i> Crystal Aguh, MD	SESSION 5: RECENT ADVANCES IN ANDROGENETIC ALOPECIA  Moderators: Crystal Aguh, MD, Johns Hopkins University Neil Sadick, MD, Weill Cornell Medicine	
	11:00am-11:25am (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Biological Update on Pathogenesis George Cotsarelis, MD, PhD, University of Pennsylvania	
	11:25AM-11:50AM (20 min + 5 min Q&A)		
	11:50AM-12:15PM (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Deep Dive on Anti-Androgens for Female Pattern Hair Loss Shari Lipner, MD, PhD, Weill Cornell Medicine	
	12:15 <sub>РМ</sub> -12:40 <sub>РМ</sub> (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	New Biologic Pathways for AGA (Exosomes, PRP, Growth Factors) Jerry Shapiro, MD, New York University	
	12:40 <sub>РМ</sub> -1:05 <sub>РМ</sub> (20 min + 5 min Q&A)	Innovative Approaches for AGA Luis Garza, MD, PhD, Johns Hopkins Medicine	

# Financial/Educational Assistance for Investigators in Training

Financial and educational assistance was made available for 25 individuals in training, including dermatology residents, medical students, and post-doctoral fellows.

Thank you to Veradermics for providing the grant funding to make this assistance program possible.





















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1:05<sub>PM</sub>-2:20<sub>PM</sub>

BRUNCH WITH PANEL DISCUSSION — Why Is Hair Hot? |
Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor

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1:05рм-1:30рм	Pick-up food, enjoy brunch
1:30рм-1:40рм	Remarks from Pfizer Dermatology
1:40рм-2:20рм	Panel Discussion

Moderator:

Rodney Sinclair, MBBS, MD, FACD, University of Melbourne

Co-Moderator:

Angela Christiano, PhD, Columbia University

Panelists:

Luis Garza, MD, PhD, Johns Hopkins Medicine Neil Sadick, MD, Weill Cornell Medicine Tiffany St. Bernard, PhD, SOCAi Labs Reid Waldman, MD, Veradermics

2:20рм-2:30рм

CLOSING REMARKS | Library Reading Room, 3rd Floor

John T. Seykora, MD, PhD, University of Pennsylvania

# 2026 AHRS MEETING LINEUP















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# **EXHIBITS SCHEDULE**

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# **ABOUT THE AHRS**

The AHRS began as "The North American Hair Research Society (NAHRS)" in 1989, founded by a group of dermatologists committed to furthering research in hair-related disorders. The group had identified a need for an organization that supported hair research and were determined to fulfill it. The benefits of the interactions among clinicians, pathologists, clinical investigators, and basic scientists were of paramount importance.

Over the past decades, the connection between clinical and basic researchers interested in hair biology has nurtured the organization. In 2016, there became an apparent increased interest by Central and South American colleagues, and a "Pan Am Work Group" was established. In 2017, the NAHRS, which was previously focused in the U.S. and Canada, formally expanded to "American Hair Research Society (AHRS)"—the hair research society representing all of the Americas. In 2018, AHRS added to its meeting calendar sessions at CILAD, RADLA, and other prestigious meetings in Latin America.

## **MEETINGS**

We provide a **forum for sharing clinical, therapeutic, and scientific information** at annual meetings associated with the Society for Investigative Dermatology (SID), the American Academy of Dermatology (AAD), and more recently, Reunion Annual de Dermatologos Latino-Americanos (RADLA, translation: Latin American Congress of Derma-

# **AHRS MISSION**

The mission of the AHRS is:

- To strongly encourage and promote scientific research in the field of the normal and disordered hair growth.
- To promote dissemination of state-ofthe-art knowledge on hair biology and medical hair disorders.
- To promote interdisciplinary interaction between basic scientists and clinicians through regular meetings, publications and innovative communication.
- To establish links with other international hair research societies and to arrange combined meetings on a periodic basis.
- To educate both our colleagues and the public on hair biology and the pathophysiology and treatment of hair related conditions.

tology), and Colegio Ibero-Latinoamericano de Dermatologia (CILAD, translation: Ibero Latin American College of Dermatology). In addition, we hold scientific sessions at the World Congress of Dermatology and International Investigative Dermatology meeting. A major goal of the society is to **encourage the active interchange of ideas between clinical practitioners**, **clinical investigators**, **and basic researchers interested in hair**.

This is important because rapid advances in basic research, such as the sequencing of the human genome, need to be applied to problems in hair research. The AHRS seeks to decrease the lag time between the advent of new technology and its application to hair research. Similarly, the AHRS promotes the translation of findings in the laboratory to new treatments that can help patients with hair loss.

The AHRS also has mentorship and Seal of Recognition programs.

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