



## AHRS & AAD Hair Research Session & Luncheon

At the 2024 Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology

Friday/March 8, 2024 • 12:00pm-2:00pm

Marriott Marquis San Diego, San Diego, CA, USA

Meeting Room: Marriott Grand Ballroom 9 (Lobby Level, North Tower)

### PROGRAM

12:00pm-12:15pm 15'	Lunch buffet and settle-in
	<b>WELCOME</b>
12:15pm-12:20pm 5'	<b>Welcome</b> Angela Christiano, PhD, President
	<b>AAD HAIR GRANT FINAL REPORTS</b>
12:20pm-12:30pm 10'	<b>Investigating the Impact of Hair Washing on Scalp Cytokine Expression in Patients with CCCA</b> Crystal Aguh, MD <i>Associate Professor; Director, Ethnic Skin Program; Director, Ethnic Skin Fellowship; Department of Dermatology, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine</i>
12:30pm-12:35pm 5'	Q&A
12:35pm-12:45pm 10'	<b>Mast Cells in CCCA</b> Lynne Goldberg, MD <i>Professor Emeritus of Dermatology, Boston University Chobanian and Avedisian School of Medicine</i>
12:45pm-12:50pm 5'	Q&A
12:50pm-1:00pm 10'	<b>Identification of Biomarkers for CCCA</b> John T. Seykora MD, PhD <i>Professor, Departments of Dermatology and Pathology; Director, Cutaneous Phenomics and Transcriptomics Core, Penn SBDRC, Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania</i>
1:00pm-1:05pm 5'	Q&A

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1:05pm-1:15pm 15'

**Establishment of a Preclinical Model for Human PCA Using the Asebia Mouse**

Angela Christiano, PhD

*Richard and Mildred Rhodebeck Professor of Dermatology; Professor of Genetics & Development; Department of Dermatology, Columbia University*

1:15pm-1:20pm 5'

Q&A

**MENTORSHIP GRANT AWARDS**

1:20pm-1:35pm 15'

**Presentation of 2024 Mentorship Grants**

Mentorship Grants Committee

**UPDATES AND FINAL REMARKS**

1:35pm-1:38pm 3'

**Update from National Alopecia Areata Foundation (NAAF)**

Nicole Friedland, President & CEO, NAAF

1:39pm-1:42pm 3'

**Update from Scarring Alopecia Foundation (SAF)**

Jean Pickford, Executive Director, SAF

1:45pm

**Adjourn**

Angela Christiano, PhD, President

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**CONGRATULATIONS**  
**2024 AHRS MENTORSHIP GRANT RECIPIENTS**

**Sara Abdel Azim, MS**, Medical Student  
Mentor: Maryanne Senna, MD, Harvard Medical School  
*Scarring Alopecias and Associated Comorbidities*

**Kimberly Arrington, MD**, Dermatology Resident  
Mentor: Amy McMichael, MD, Wake Forest School of Medicine  
*Scarring alopecia in patients with skin of color*

**Louise M. P. Chateaubriand Campos, MD**, Early Career Dermatologist/Clinical Research Fellow  
Mentor: Antonella Tosti, MD, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine  
*Trichoscopic findings and symptoms reported in Fibrosing alopecia in a pattern distribution (FAPD)*

**Li-Chi Chen, MD, MPH**, Clinical Research Fellow  
Mentor: Antonella Tosti, MD, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine  
*Trichoscopy of alopecia areata in ethnic skin*

**Raymond Ezzat, BS**, Medical Student  
Mentor: Maryanne Senna, MD, Harvard Medical School  
*Psychosocial impacts of Frontal Fibrosing Alopecia (FFA) in Men*

**Ranjitha Krishnegowda, MD**, Resident  
Mentor: Mariya Miteva, MD, Phillip Front Department of Dermatology, Miller School of Medicine  
*Trichoscopic and Histopathologic Co-Relation of Various Patterns of Alopecia in Women*

**Valia Leifer, BA**, Medical Student  
Mentor: Maria Hordinsky, MD, University of Minnesota, Department of Dermatology  
*Clinical Trial Study of the Microbiome in Alopecia Areata*

**Barbara Matsumoto Lima, MD**, Dermatology Resident  
Mentor: Natasha Atanaskova Mesinkovska, MD, PhD, University of California Irvine  
*JAK inhibitors in the treatment of Alopecia Areata*

**Lucy Rose, MA**, Medical Student  
Mentor: Maria Hordinsky, MD, University of Minnesota, Department of Dermatology & Kimberly Salkey, MD, Virginia Commonwealth University  
*Improving dermatologic support for cancer treatment-induced alopecia*

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