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A robust single nuclei RNA sequencing work-flow for frozen and archived tissues	
Raghvendra M. Srivastava, Christina Gaughan, Nicole Osborne, Paul Pavicic, Pat Rayman, Claudia Marcela D	Diaz, Ivan Juric,
Vladamir Makarov, Tyler J. Alban, Timothy A. Chan	
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Enhancement of tumor antigen-specific T cell responses by engineered antigen-presenting cells	
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TRCCC Member Affiliation: UPMC Hillman CC	
Obesity-induced pancreatic steatosis promotes nerve innervation, driving pancreatic tumorigenesis	
Shyamananda Singh Mayengbam, Aftab Alam, Sharon Senchanthisai, Elif Irmak Bektas, Prasenjit Dey	
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DNA methylation profiling of EBV reveals diagnostic and therapeutic applications in lymphoma	
Christoph Weigel, Haley L. Klimaszewski, Cara Noel, Yue-Zhong Wu, Esko Kautto, Elshafa H. Ahmed, James	S. Blachly, Timothy
Voorhees, Christopher C. Oakes, Robert A. Baiocchi	
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Genomic and immunologic effects from combination immunotherapy in the neoadjuvant setting for RCC	
Tyler J Alban, Salendra Singh, Paul Pavicic, Pat Rayman, Prerana Parthasarathy, Vlad Makarov, Timothy A. C	Chan, Brian I. Rini, C.
Marcela Diaz-Montero, Moshe C. Ornstein	
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Exploring the role of endothelial cells as antigen-presenting cells in melanoma	
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Interrogating tumor-specific T cell phenotypes and function in metastatic melanoma	
Sarah Bradley, Anthony Cillo, Alex Glathar, Abbe Pannucci, Charu Arora, Prosper Chukwuemeka	
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Characterization of a novel murine model to identify immune responses in pancreatic cancer cachexia	
Ayushi Das, Debasmita Mukherjee, Jessica Wedig, Maria Schmidt, Bryan Remaily, Samuel K. Kulp, Andrew Gu	underson, Mitch A.
Phelps, Christopher C. Coss, Thomas A. Mace	
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Investigating the role of TLR5 signaling in the failure of FLT3 ligand therapy for ovarian cancer	
Cara Hatzinger, Mitchell McGinty, Sree Kolli, Simona Bajgai, Mika Poblete, Audrey Putelo, Melanie Rutkowski	
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Changes in TLS activity and function impact development and immune landscape of tumor in lung cance	
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Ovarian cancer-induced ascites fluid promotes differentiation of antibody secreting plasma cells	
Rufiaat Rashid, Ian MacFawn, Noor Nader, Sheryl Kunning, Tullia Bruno	
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Fez1 Inhibits ATRA-Mediated Differentiation in MLL-Rearranged Leukemias	
Cameron Heinig, Michael Nemeth, Kaitlyn Dykstra	
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Phase I anti-CD3 x HER2 bispecific ab armed T cells and pembrolizumab in metastatic breast cancer	their Amu
Patrick Dillon, Qin Liu, Trish Millard, Christiana Brenin, Archana Thakur, Jessica Kassay-McAllister, Sarah Ami Schienschang, Ashley Donihee, Lawrence Lum <u>Contact</u> : Patrick Dillon, MD (Faculty); pmd5b@uvahealth.org TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>University of Virginia CCC</b>	Poster #: <b>13</b>
Universal CAR T Cell Targeting of Multiple Antigens on Patient-Derived PDAC Organoids	
<u>Renee R Anderko</u> , Elisa Ruffo, Avani Parikh, Amer H Zureikat, Jason Lohmueller <u>Contact</u> : Renee Anderko, PhD (Postdoctoral Researcher); anderkorr2@upmc.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>UPMC Hillman CC</b>	Poster #: <b>14</b>
The TACtful Study: Path to a First-in-Human Trial of BCMA-Specific TAC-T cells in Patients with RRMM	
Joanne A Hammill, Bonnie Bojovic, Christopher Baker, Ksenia Bezverbnaya, Jennifer Quizi, Jean-Sébastien D Richard LeBlanc, Annette Hay, Jonathan L Bramson <u>Contact</u> : Joanne Hammill, PhD (Postdoctoral Researcher); hammilja@mcmaster.ca TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>McMaster University</b>	elisle, Laura Pearce, Poster #: <b>15</b>
Engineered T cell therapy modulates tumor-infiltrating CD4 T cell differentiation in ovarian cancer	
Asmaa O. Mohamed, Gabriel F. Alencar, Madison G. Burnett, Yapeng Su, Raphael Gottardo, Stefan Bekiranov	ι, Philip D.
Greenberg, Kristin G. Anderson <u>Contact</u> : Asmaa Mohamed, PhD (Postdoctoral Researcher); daf8xa@virginia.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>University of Virginia CCC</b>	Poster #: <b>16</b>
Adenine Base editing outperforms CRISPR/Cas9 in a Quadruple Knockout CAR T cell design	
Nils W. Engel, <u>Kusala V. Anupindi</u> , Samuel Kim, Israel Steinfeld, Daniel Ryan, Katherine Wilkins, Linhui Chen, Regina M. Young, Carl H. June	Nils Wellhausen,
<u>Contact</u> : Kusala Anupindi (Technician); kusala.anupindi@pennmedicine.upenn.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>Penn Medicine's Abramson CC</b>	Poster #: <b>17</b>
Comparative Insights into Glutamine Metabolism and Mitochondrial Function in Canine T Cells	
Laura Anderson, Nathaniel W Snyder, Roddy S O'Connor, Nicola J Mason <u>Contact</u> : Laura Anderson (PhD Candidate); laura.anderson@pennmedicine.upenn.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>Penn Medicine's Abramson CC</b>	Poster #: <b>18</b>
Cytokine-mediated expansion of clonal hematopoiesis after CART cell therapy	
Daniel Brown, Bryan Ciccarelli, Anand Bhagwat, Joanne Baek, Saar Gill <u>Contact</u> : Daniel Brown (PhD Candidate); dbrow@pennmedicine.upenn.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>Penn Medicine's Abramson CC</b>	Poster #: <b>19</b>
aAPC cell-derived particles allows for the robust and rapid manufacturing of patient T cells	
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Targeting Universal Chimeric Antigen Receptor (CAR) T cells using chloroalkane-conjugated adaptors	
Yan Ma, <u>Avani Bharat Parikh</u> , Steven Caldwell, Gianna Falcone, Maddy Hill, Alexander Deiters, Jason Lohmer <u>Contact</u> : Avani Bharat Parikh (PhD Candidate); avp37@pitt.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>UPMC Hillman CC</b>	uller Poster #: <b>21</b>
Targeted combination therapy to overcome adenosine-mediated immune suppression in ovarian cancer	
Rossymar Rivera Colón, Arianna Gravatt, Yaning Li, Asmaa O. Mohammed, Khondamir Imomnazarov, Kilyna Kristin G Anderson	Nguyen, Joel Linden,
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Modulating costimulation in CAR T cells to enhance durability	
Jason H Tong, Mackenzie M Lieberman, Colin Chavel, Aimee B Stablewski, Payal Goala, Marco Davila, Scott Contact: Jason Tong (PhD Candidate); jason.tong@roswellpark.org TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>Roswell Park CCC</b>	H Olejniczak Poster #: <b>23</b>
DOTA-specific universal immune receptor: folate receptor-alpha as a target for ovarian cancer	
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Bispecific Checkpoint Inhibition of PD-1 and CTLA-4 Expands and Reprograms Exhausted T-Cells <u>Tarek Azar</u> , Khushboo Patel, Kevin Wang, Guanning Wang, Thomas Karasic, Alexander Huang <u>Contact</u> : Tarek Azar, MD (Postdoctoral Researcher); tarek.azar@pennmedicine.upenn.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: Penn Medicine's Abramson CC	Poster #: <b>25</b>
In vivo screening of LAG3 function by amino acid mutagenesis screening	
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Combination of Poly-ICLC and S100A9 Blockade Enhances Immune Checkpoint Inhibitor Efficacy in TNE Sukran Ozdatli Kurtulus, Fatma Gul Ozcan, Fulya Alkan, Hilmi Kaan Alkan, Ahmet Burak Caglayan, Esteban ( Contact: Sukran Kurtulus, PharmD, PhD (Postdoctoral Researcher); sozdatli@gmail.com TRCCC Member Affiliation: Karmanos CI	
Local control post preoperative radiotherapy + immune checkpoint blockade is mediated by CD8 T cells	
Jack Kollmar, Diego Gonzalves, Zahra Ahmad, Evan Smith, He N Xu, Julia Tchou <u>Contact</u> : Jack Kollmar (Technician); kollmarj@pennmedicine.upenn.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>Penn Medicine's Abramson CC</b>	Poster #: <b>28</b>
Preclinical evaluation and optimization of TIL expansion for pediatric gliomas.	
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Functional Characterization of LAG3 Ligands that Modulate Immune Response in the Tumor	
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Improving the Abscopal Response of Radiotherapy and Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors with Entolimod	
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Determining the Role of TOX in the Maintenance of CD8+ T cell Exhaustion and Memory Development	
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IFNy derived from Tex contributes to maintaining Tex population and memory response in melanoma	
Yingtong Dou, Vaishali Aggarwal, Jian Cui, Creg J Workman, Dario AA Vignali	
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The LRIG1-VISTA axis Suppresses Immune Surveillance in TNBC Murine Model	
Paolo Elguera, Elizabeth Delaney, Lily Wang	
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Mutant Isocitrate Dehydrogenase 1 Causes Reduced Immune-Inhibitory Protein CD73 in the Glioma TME	
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Identification of tumor-specific conventional CD4+ T cells in non-small cell lung cancer	
Sung Soo Mun, Marni Nishimoto, Yi Man, Zhen Zeng, Sydney Connor, Lauren E Tirado, Andrea Cox, Hongkai	Ji, Drew M Pardoll,
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Fungi utilize the exocytosis pathway to drive IL-33 release and promote PDAC progression	
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The Role of Genetic Variability in Tumor Antigen Processing and Targeted Immunotherapy Response	
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E4 and E5 viral proteins are associated with increased anti-tumor immunity in HNSCC patients	
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HPV status impacts oncobacteria abundance and prognostic relevance in HNSCC	
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Bacterial signatures and metagenomic alterations linked to lymph node metastasis in laryngeal cancer	
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Development of a TriKE for in vivo NK cell expansion and cytotoxicity against solid tumors	
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Role of intratumoral bacteria burden on mouse model of HPV+ oropharyngeal squamous cell carcinoma: <u>Nandini Rajaram Siva</u> , Jin Dai, Durgadevi Alagappan, Radhika Duggal, Lily Adams, Elias Sayour, Travis Kerr, I Natalie Silver	
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Sexual Dimorphism Drives ILC2 Function in Lung Adenocarcinoma	
<u>Sharon Senchanthisai</u> , Aftab Alam, Shyamananda Singh Mayengbam, Elif Irmak Bektas, Prasenjit Dey <u>Contact</u> : Sharon Senchanthisai (PhD Candidate); sharon.senchanthisai@roswellpark.org TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>Roswell Park CCC</b>	Poster #: <b>45</b>
Fusobacterium Nucleatum Strains have Varied Levels of Invasiveness in Head and Neck Cancer	
<u>Subha Singh</u> , Travis Kerr, Courtney Jennings, Ashley Toney, Junu Koirala, Apollo Stacy, Natalie Silver, Daniel <u>Contact</u> : Subha Singh (PhD Candidate); singhs23@ccf.org TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>Case CCC</b>	McGrail Poster #: <b>46</b>
Investigating the mechanism of Helicobacter hepaticus mediated tertiary lymphoid structure formation	
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The Modulation of Natural Killer Cells by Macrophage-Secreted BIGH3 (TGFBI) in Ovarian Cancer	
Noémie Gomes-Jourdan, Eras Yager, Nyasha Mafarachisi, Josh Imperatore, Parisa Lotfinejad, Ronald J Bucka	anovich, Sandra
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Spatial transcriptomic analysis of the factors that influence CD8+ T cell infiltration into tumors.	
Andrew Baessler, Charlotte J. Imianowski, Jian Cui, Aatur D. Singhi, Creg J. Workman, Dario A. A. Vignali <u>Contact</u> : Andrew Baessler, PhD (Postdoctoral Researcher); anb524@pitt.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>UPMC Hillman CC</b>	Poster #: <b>50</b>
Metabolic Profile and PD-L1 Expression of MDSC in the Blood and Tumor of HNSCC Patients	
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Targeting HSP70 Enhances Immunotherapy Efficacy in Triple-Negative Breast Cancer	
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Suppression of Anti-Tumor Immune Responses by Regulatory CD8+ T cells	
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Sucralose enhances the regulatory T cell (Tregs) functions in vitro	
<u>Sadhana Bom</u> , Jessica A Jana, Kelsey M Ertwine, Rachel Cumberland, Abigail E Overacre-Delgoffe <u>Contact</u> : Sadhana Bom (MD Candidate); sab575@pitt.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: <b>UPMC Hillman CC</b>	Poster #: <b>54</b>
Piezo1 Deletion Paradoxically Enhances Cross Presentation by Tumor-Associated CD11b+ DCs	
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IFNy-mediated suppression of alternative NF-кВ prevents Treg migration to the tumor microenvironmen	<u>t</u>
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Lipids in ovarian cancer ascites impair T cell function by disrupting TCR dynamics	
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Mitochondrial metabolic enzymes in prostate tumors regulate immunosuppressive tumor microenvironr	nent
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Characterization of Monocyte Subsets and Their Response to Chemotherapy in Pancreatic Cancer	
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Tumor-specific stem-like prog Tex subsets diverge into terminally Tex and long-lived memory T cells	
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Deubiquitinase USP10 regulates the STAT3 signaling in a subset of lung cancer Mu Zhang, Chen Hu, Prahlad Parajuli, Wei-Zen Wei, Gerold Bepler, <u>Xiaohong (Mary) Zhang</u> <u>Contact</u> : Xiaohong (Mary) Zhang, PhD (Faculty); ga5554@wayne.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: Karmanos CI	Poster #: <b>61</b>
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Identifying the Antigenic Drivers of Tertiary Lymphoid Structure Formation in Solid Cancers Mary Melissa Roland, Amy Zhou, Lyubov Kublo, Venkata Krishna Kanth Makani, Paul Zdinak, Alok V Joglekar Contact: Mary Melissa Roland, PhD (Postdoctoral Researcher); mmr181@pitt.edu TRCCC Member Affiliation: UPMC Hillman CC	Poster #: <b>63</b>
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An Investigation of Treg Transcriptional Profiles in a B16F10 Melanoma Model	
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D2 Receptor Signaling Influences Immune Checkpoint Blockade Efficacy in a Melanoma Mouse Model	
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Non-canonical stem cell memory T cells with effector properties express CD45RO in human cancer	
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Use of hypomethylating agents to reprogram the epigenome in large granular lymphocyte leukemia	
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