

AGENDA

2023 iCURE WELCOME CEREMONY

October 13, 2023, 2:00 – 4:30 p.m. EDT

NIH Bethesda, Building 35A, Rooms 610/620/630

2:00 – 2:05 p.m.

Opening Remarks

Dr. Jessica Calzola, iCURE Program Director
NCI Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities

2:05 – 2:20 p.m.

Welcome to NCI

Dr. Glenn Merlino, Scientific Director for Basic Research, NCI Center for Cancer Research
Dr. Stephen Chanock, Director, NCI Division of Cancer Epidemiology and Genetics
Dr. Katrina Goddard, Director, NCI Division of Cancer Control and Population Sciences

2:20 – 2:30 p.m.

Chapter 6: iCURE 2023

2:30 – 2:40 p.m.

Perspectives from an iCURE Alum

Introduction by **Dr. John Fenimore**, iCURE Postdoctoral Scholar

Ms. Garis Grant, PhD Candidate, University of Maryland Baltimore, Cohort 3 iCURE Scholar Alumni

2:40 – 2:55 p.m.

Keynote Speaker

Introduction by **Dr. Jeyska Reyes González**, iCURE Postdoctoral Scholar

Dr. Troy McEachron, NIH Distinguished Scholar, Investigator, Pediatric Oncology Branch, NCI Center for Cancer Research

2:55 – 3:00 p.m.

Closing Remarks

Dr. H. Nelson Aguila, Deputy Director, NCI Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities

3:15 – 4:30 p.m.

Networking Poster Session and Reception

Meet the newest cohort of scholars at their posters. Continuing scholars also will present scientific posters. New and continuing scholars will be at their posters during the times noted below:

3:15 – 3:35 p.m.: Atuahene Adu-Gyamfi, Dr. Quiera Booker, Macy Corley, Dr. Tara Davis, Dr. Whitney Do, Mahider Enyew, Dr. Toluleke Famuyiwa, Dr. Annie Gilbert, Erika Kaschak, Michael Kebede, and Maya Larbi

3:40 – 4:10 p.m.: Mona Miraftab, Paloma Mitra, Dr. Christine Muli, Dr. Stephanie Pitts, Dr. Jeyska Reyes González, Dr. Ashlie Santaliz Casiano, Erica Stephens, Jade Witter, Dr. Corey Young, and Amy Yu

**Light refreshments will be served during the Networking Poster Session and Reception.*