

# 11th Annual PSFaM Program

## Day 1 - June 13, 2024

<b>8:15</b>	<b>Registration and Light Breakfast</b> <i>E Wing Atrium Health Sciences Building</i>
<b>8:40</b>	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b> <i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
8:45 – 8:50	Opening Remarks: Jenny-Lee Thomassin and Adelaine Leung (2024 PSFaM chair and co-chair) and Eriq Lukong (PRISM Director)
8:50 - 8:55	Welcome address: David Cooper, Acting Vice-Dean Research, Medicine, University of Saskatchewan
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Session 1 - Part 1</b> <i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
	Chairs: Jenny-Lee Thomassin and Hannah Braun
9:00 - 9:45	<b>SHRF Sponsored Keynote Lecture: Olivera Francetic (Institut Pasteur)</b>
9:45 - 10:00	<b>Trainee Talk: Agnes Truc Nguyen (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
10:00 - 10:30	<b>Invited Speaker: Asmahan AbuArish (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
<b>10:30</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b> <i>E Wing Atrium Health Sciences Building</i>
<b>11:00</b>	<b>Session 1 - Part 2</b> <i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
11:00 - 11:15	<b>Trainee Talk: Hannah Braun (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
11:15 - 11:45	<b>Rising Star: Gay Pauline Padilla-Meier (University of Manitoba)</b>
<b>11:45</b>	<b>Lunch Break –Career Advice and Networking Session (CANS)</b> <i>Atrium outside Health 1150 (Lunch) – CANS: Room 1B11 Health Sciences Building</i>
<b>13:00</b>	<b>Session 2</b> <i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
	Chair: Michelle Collins
13:00 - 13:30	<b>Invited Speaker: Harley Kurata (University of Alberta)</b>
13:30 - 13:45	<b>Trainee Talk: Nayoung Kim (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
<b>13:45</b>	<b>Networking Break</b> <b>Tour of the Canadian Light Source (CLS) or</b> <b>Saskatchewan Structural Sciences Centre (SSSC) or</b> <b>Western College of Veterinary Medicine (WCVI)</b> <i>Tours leave from 1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
<b>16:00-19:00</b>	<b>Poster Session</b> <i>Louis' lower level</i>
<b>17:30</b>	<b>Dinner Buffet Starts</b> <i>Louis' lower level</i>
<b>19:00</b>	<b>Student-Run Mixer Event - Karaoke</b> <i>Louis' lower level</i>

## Day 2 - June 14, 2024

<b>8:15</b>	<b>Registration and Light Breakfast</b>
	<i>E Wing Atrium Health Sciences Building</i>
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Session 3 – Part 1</b>
	<i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
	Chairs: Jeff Dong and Nitin
9:00 - 9:30	<b>Invited Speaker: Stacey Wetmore (University of Lethbridge)</b>
9:30 - 9:45	<b>Trainee Talk: Jared Price (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
9:45 - 10:00	<b>Trainee Talk: Maria Yousefi (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
<b>10:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
	<i>E Wing Atrium Health Sciences Building</i>
<b>10:30</b>	<b>Session 3 - Part 2</b>
	<i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
10:30 - 11:00	<b>Invited Speaker: Johnathan Canton (University of Calgary)</b>
11:00 - 11:45	<b>Keynote: George Church (Harvard)</b>
11:45 - 12:00	<b>Trainee Talk: Saurav Rout (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>
	<i>E Wing Atrium Health Sciences Building</i>
<b>13:00</b>	<b>Session 4</b>
	<i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
	Chairs: Adelaine Leung and Maria Yousefi
13:00 - 13:15	<b>Trainee Talk: Kathyana Deeyagahage (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
13:15 - 13:30	<b>Trainee Talk: Sauhard Shrivastava (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
13:30 - 14:15	<b>Keynote Lecture: David Vocadlo (Simon Fraser University)</b>
<b>14:15</b>	<b>Networking Break</b>
<b>15:00</b>	<b>Session 5</b>
	<i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
	Chairs: Adelaine Leung and Jessica Sharpe
15:00 - 15:15	<b>Trainee Talk: Shelly Braun (University of Alberta)</b>
15:15 - 15:30	<b>Trainee Talk: Nima Daneshvar Baghbadorani (University of Saskatchewan)</b>
15:30 - 16:00	<b>SFR Sponsored Invited Speaker: Katie Mitchell-Koch (University of Manitoba)</b>
<b>16:00</b>	<b>Awards Ceremony</b>
	<i>1150 Health Sciences Building</i>
	Closing Remarks: Baljit Singh, Vice-President Research, University of Saskatchewan
	Awards presented by Erique Lukong, PRISM Director

## **Important Rooms**

### **Food and Registration:**

Atrium Health Sciences Building E Wing 1010

### **Seminars:**

Health Sciences Building E Wing 1150

### **Overflow Lunchroom:**

Health Sciences B Wing GB10

### **Quiet Room:**

Health Sciences Building E Wing 1100

## **PRISM EDI Statement**

The Proteomics Research in Interactions and Structure of Macromolecules (PRISM) Centre recognizes and promotes Equity, Diversity, and Inclusions (EDI) in its activities, including but not limited to adjudication of Travel Awards, and organization of its annual Protein Structure, function and malfunction (PSFaM) conference. We acknowledge the historical and ongoing intersectional discrimination of marginalized people in Canada and within the scientific community. With the goal of promoting and maintaining a welcoming conference environment for all persons, we have outlined specific actionable steps that we hope will enhance our collective conference experience.

## **PSFaM Code of Conduct**

PRISM and USask is committed to providing a safe and equal space for professional participation for all organizers, sponsors, partners, and event attendees. We believe that everyone has the right to professional interactions without fear, intimidation, harassment, or disparagement, and that everyone has the right to fair and equal participation and treatment. We encourage the free expression and exchange of scientific ideas and support a harassment free conference experience for everyone.

**Harassment includes:** offensive verbal comments related to gender, gender identity and expression, age, sexual orientation, disability, physical appearance, body size, race, ethnicity, religion, technology choices, sexual images in public spaces, deliberate intimidation, stalking, following, bullying, spreading malicious rumours, harassing photography or recording (also applying on posters or presentations with a specific “no photography” sign), sustained disruption of talks or other events, inappropriate physical contact, and unwelcome sexual attention.

Our strength is our people, and we welcome their diversity. We value all our organizers, sponsors, partners, and event attendees, and will not accept any treatment that goes contrary to this.

**Reporting** Any incidents of harassment should be reported to: one of the co-organizers of the conference.

If the person is not comfortable reporting directly or wishes to report a matter confidentially or anonymously, they may contact the University’s Safe Disclosure hotline by telephone (1-844-966-3250) or via the webpage ([www.safedisclosure.usask.ca](http://www.safedisclosure.usask.ca)).

## **Dining and Entertainment:**

Aside from the meals associated with the conference registration or additional fees, attendees can also enjoy the city of Saskatoon that features outstanding restaurants and walking trails along the South Saskatchewan River. Various outdoor seating options, coffee shops, ice cream shops, pubs, restaurants, and on-campus museums are nearby. These are perfect for informal networking with colleagues!