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**The 16th Annual Conference of the Oncofertility Consortium
Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center, MI, USA
November 11-13, 2024**



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Welcome

We are delighted to welcome you to the 16th Annual Conference of the Oncofertility Consortium, November 11-13, 2024, hosted by Henry Ford Health + Michigan State University Health Sciences at Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center, MI, USA, with the theme of “Unveiling Insights: Harnessing Our Data, Shaping Tomorrow's Impact”.

The Annual Conference of the Oncofertility Consortium provides an accessible platform for national and international oncofertility leaders and those new to the field to share their perspectives, discoveries, and vision for the field of fertility preservation from basic science to translational research to clinical application. The conference offers unique opportunities for attendees to network and convene in-person and participate in this cutting-edge field and develop new initiatives for the upcoming years. All interested physicians, researchers, scientists, scholars, students, nurses, allied health professionals, social workers and patient advocates are welcome!

A special thanks to all the supporters who made this conference possible.

Organizers



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Registration

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You will need to register for this conference via the online registration link below. After registration, you'll receive an email confirming your registration for the conference which will also include a receipt for your payment. International registrants who need an additional letter to issue the Entry Visa for the USA can email us at (oncofert@msu.edu).

Registration Options

Registration	Early Registration (until Sep 30, 2024)	Late Registration (after Sep 30, 2024)
Physicians/Academic Faculty (*)	\$550	\$650
General (*)	\$450	\$550
Trainee & Students (*)	\$350	\$450
Oncofertility 101 Course (**) on Monday, November 11, 2024 (8am-12pm) including breakfast & lunch	\$150	\$200

(*) Conference registration provides access to all sessions of the conference including Oncofertility 101 Course.

(**) Oncofertility 101 Course registration does not provide access to other sessions of the conference.

Online Registration Link: Coming soon. Stay tuned!

Note: Important Deadlines of the Conference

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Hotel

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Make Your Hotel Reservation

A block of rooms has been reserved at the hotel Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center with a special conference rate during the period November 9-14, 2024. Please make your reservation before the deadline September 30, 2024.

Online Hotel Reservation Link: <https://book.passkey.com/go/OncofertilityConf2024>

If you prefer to make your reservation over the phone, please call the hotel at +1 (800) 266-9432.

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Agenda

Program Overview
(Eastern Time, USA and Canada)

Time	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
Date	Mon 11 Nov 2024	Tue 12 Nov 2024	Wed 13 Nov 2024
7am-8am	Registration/Breakfast	Registration/Breakfast	Registration/Breakfast/OC Leaders
8am-12pm	Parallel Breakout Sessions	Main Program	Main Program
12pm-1pm	Lunch	Lunch	
1pm-5pm	Main Program	Main Program	
5pm-7pm	Organizer/Reception	Posters/Dinner	

Legend:

- Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner
- Parallel Breakout Sessions
- Main Program

Preliminary Program

“Unveiling Insights: Harnessing Our Data, Shaping Tomorrow's Impact”

Day 1: Monday, November 11, 2024

7 am – 8 am: Breakfast & Registration

8 am – 12 pm: Morning Parallel Sessions

Oncofertility Scientific Committees Meetings & Oncofertility 101 Course

Time	Hall 1	Hall 2	Hall 3
8 am - 9 am	Female Oncofertility Committee	Non-Oncological Conditions Committee	Oncofertility 101 Course including ECHO Training & Fellow Education Day
9 am - 10 am	Male Oncofertility Committee	Systems Optimization, Advocacy & Resource (SOAR) & Start Up Committees	
10 am - 11 am	Surgery & Practice Committees	Pediatric and Adolescent Committee (PAC)	
11 am – 12 pm	Patient Navigation Committee (extends over lunch time)		

8am-12pm: Oncofertility 101 Course

8:00 am: Introduction to Oncofertility - Molly Moravek (USA)

8:10 am: Impact of Gonadotoxic Therapy - Mindy Christianson (USA)

8:40 am: Female Fertility Preservation - Mary Ellen Pavone (USA)

9:10 am: Male Fertility Preservation - Josh Halpern (USA)

9:40 am: Pediatric Fertility Preservation - Tyler Ketterl (USA)

10:10 am: Break

10:20 am: Working with Patients and Parents - Gwen Quinn (USA)

11:00 am: Sexual Health and Contraception in the AYA Population - Gwen Quinn (USA)

12 pm – 12:50 pm: Lunch

12:50 pm – 5 pm: Afternoon Main Session

Time	Topic	Speaker(s)
Main Program Opening		
12:50 pm	Welcome Message	Molly Moravek (USA) Kristin Smith (USA)
Theme: Legal Landscape of Fertility Preservation (Moderator: James Klosky, USA)		
1:00 pm	Keynote Speech: Constitutional Law and Oncofertility	Susan Crockin (USA)
1:45 pm	Panel: The influence of US laws and insurance coverage on your practice	Elizabeth Constance (USA) Jared Robins (USA) Olivia Frias (USA)
2:30 pm	Anatomy of an advocacy effort: Goals for insurance coverage	Joyce Reinecke (USA) Jim Dupree (USA)
3:10 pm	Break	
Theme: Advances In Gonadal Tissue Cryopreservation & Transplantation (Moderator: Karen Burns, USA)		
3:20 pm	Removing cancer cells from ovarian tissue	Christiani Amorim (Belgium)
3:50 pm	Testicular Tissue Cryopreservation Outcomes and Collaboration	Kyle Orwig (USA)
4:20 pm	Immuno-isolating capsules in ovarian tissue transplant	Ariella Shikanov (USA)
4:50 pm	Committee Report Outs: PAC & SOAR/Startup	Committees Chairs (USA)

5 pm – 7 pm: Reception with nonprofit & medical organizations

Day 2: Tuesday, November 12, 2024

7 am – 8 am: Breakfast & Registration

**8 pm – 12 pm: Morning Session/ Theme: Dealing with Uncertainty in Fertility Preservation
(Moderator: Kyle Orwig, USA)**

Time	Topic	Speaker(s)
8:00 am	It's Time to Remove the Experimental Label from Human IVM	Ye Yuan (USA)
8:45 am	Fertoprotective Agents	Shuo Xiao (USA)
9:15 am	Egg/sperm banking after chemotherapy – is it safe?	Josh Halpern (USA) Joe Latourneau (USA)
10:00 am	Break	
10:15 am	Debate: Ovarian Tissue Cryopreservation vs oocyte cryopreservation in peripubertal populations	Kate McCracken (USA) Mary Ellen Pavone (USA)
11:00 am	Interactive session on Controversies	Jim Smith (USA)
11:40 am	Committee Report Outs: Patient Navigator, Basic Science, Male	Committees Chairs (USA)

12 pm – 1 pm: Lunch

**1 pm – 5 pm: Afternoon Session/ Theme: Fertility Preservation Outcomes and Collaboration
(Moderator: Elizabeth Constance, USA)**

Time	Topic	Speaker(s)
1:00 pm	Are the right patients having fertility preservation? Outcomes from a pediatric population	Kathleen Duffin (UK)
1:30 pm	Risk Stratification	Cindy Im (USA) Karen Burns (USA)
2:15 pm	Reproductive HOPE Initiative	Leslie Appiah (USA) Tyler Ketterl (USA) Suzy Birz (USA)
2:45 pm	Break	
3:00 pm	Special Considerations for LGBTQ Patients in Oncofertility	Scout (USA)
3:30 pm	Survivorship Care Planning	Lillian Meacham (USA)
4:00 pm	Patient and Advocate Panel - Moderator: Erin Ellman (USA)	Nina Luker (USA) Martin Hogan (USA) Ped/Parent TBD

5 pm – 6:30 pm: Posters

7 pm – 9:30 pm: Special Event

Day 3: Wednesday, November 13, 2024

7 am – 8 am: Breakfast & Registration

8 pm – 12 pm: Morning Session/ Theme: Navigating the Path Forward (Moderator: Douglas Fair, USA)

Time	Topic	Speaker(s)
8:00 am	Oral Abstracts and Awards	TBD Winners
8:45 am	How can AI change fertility preservation?	Charles Bormann (USA)
9:15 am	Reproductive Aging	Francesca Duncan (USA)
9:45 am	Break	
10:00 am	Creating an E-Navigator	John Salsman (USA)
10:30 am	Pros and Cons of FDA Testing	James Klosky (USA)
11:00 am	Using our Data to Share Stories	Suzy Birz (USA) Nammy Vedire (USA)
11:45 am	Wrap-Up & Future Directions	Molly Moravek (USA)

12 pm: Meeting Adjourns

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Speakers, Moderators, Program Committee & Organizers (alphabetically)

Speakers & Moderators (*)	Program Committee	Organizers
Ariella Shikanov (USA)	Christine Wyns (Belgium)	Oncofertility Consortium & Henry Ford Health + Michigan State University Health Sciences
Christiani Amorim (Belgium)	Jim Smith (USA)	
Charles Bormann (USA)	Joyce Reinecke (USA)	
Cindy Im (USA)	Kristin Smith (USA) (Chair)	
Douglas Fair (USA) (*)	Mahmoud Salama (USA)	Amanda Ishola (USA)
Elizabeth Constance (USA) (*)	Mindy Christianson (USA)	Harmony Van Valkenberg (USA)
Erin Ellman (USA) (*)	Molly Moravek (USA) (Chair)	Jenna French (USA)
Francesca Duncan (USA)	Richard Anderson (UK)	Kristin Smith (USA)
Gwen Quinn (USA)	Shuo Xiao (USA)	Mahmoud Salama (USA)
James Klosky (USA) (*)	Tyler Ketterl (USA)	Molly Moravek (USA)
Jared Robins (USA)	Veronica Gomez-Lobo (USA)	Richard Leach (USA)
Jim Dupree (USA)	Yasmin Jayasinghe (Australia)	Sakiya Duncan (USA)
Jim Smith (USA)		Suzanne Schut (USA)
Joe Latourneau (USA)		Teri Grieb (USA)
John Salsman (USA)		
Josh Halpern (USA)		
Joyce Reinecke (USA)		
Karen Burns (USA) (*)		
Kate McCracken (USA)		
Kathleen Duffin (UK)		
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Abstracts

Submit your abstract to the 16th Annual Conference of the Oncofertility Consortium 2024.

Deadlines:

- Deadline to submit abstract: August 12, 2024
- Deadline to receive program committee decision (via email): August 31, 2024

Please make sure to include the following items in your abstract document:

- Title: Provide a title of less than 150 characters, including spaces.
- Author(s): Provide the name, email address & affiliation of each author. Please highlight the presenting author who should register and attend the conference in person.
- Body: Submit a structured abstract of 150 to 300 words divided into the following 4 sections: Purpose, Methods, Results & Conclusion.
- Keywords: Provide 4 to 6 keywords
- Financial Support: List any organizations, grants, or individuals funding your research.
- Conflict of Interest if any.

Note to Winners of Abstract Awards:

Four abstracts will be selected for the oral award presentation. All other accepted abstracts will be considered for a poster presentation. The presenting author of oral or poster presentations should register and attend the conference in person.

Abstracts Online Submission Link:

https://msu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9GMaAEWtHbLEj4y

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FAQ

GENERAL

Is this a virtual conference?

No! All conference activities will be held in person only.

Where will this conference take place?

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REGISTRATION AND ATTENDANCE

How much does it cost to attend the conference?

There are different rates for early and late registrations. For details and deadlines, please visit the REGISTRATION page.

Do I need to register for this conference?

Yes, you'll need to register for this conference. Please visit the REGISTRATION page. After registration, you'll receive an email confirming your registration which will also include a receipt for your payment.

Is there a conference rate for the hotel?

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Are refunds available?

Refunds will not be offered.

AGENDA AND NETWORKING

What time zone is Detroit, Michigan, USA?

Detroit is in the Eastern Time Zone. Eastern Standard Time (EST) is 5 hours behind Greenwich Mean Time (GMT-5).

Can I submit an abstract?

Yes. If you would like to submit an abstract, go to the ABSTRACTS page. Please submit your abstract before the deadline. We will send you an email to tell you if your abstract is accepted or not. If accepted, you should register and attend the conference in person to present your abstract.

What are the most important deadlines for the conference?

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How can I post about the seminar on social media?

Use #OC2024Detroit on Twitter (X)!

Will the conference sessions be video recorded?

Yes, all conference sessions will be video recorded and will be available for registrants.

CONTACT

Who should I contact if I have questions about the conference?

Please email us at oncofert@msu.edu or call us at +1 (517) 884-6434 if you have any questions about the conference. For general information about the Oncofertility Consortium, please visit: <https://oncofertility.msu.edu/>