

2025-2026 DRC Diabetes Speaker Series
Barbara Davis Center for Diabetes Series Roster

Seminars will take place in person on Fridays at 12pm MT

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Friday, September 12, 2025 Maigen Bethea	Chad Hunter, PhD Professor	<i>Division of Endocrinology University of Kansas Medical Center</i>
Friday, September 26, 2025 Matt Wortham	Sangeeta Dhawan, PhD Associate Professor	<i>Department of Translational Research and Cellular Therapeutics Arthur Riggs Diabetes and Metabolism Research Institute City of Hope</i>
*Friday, October 10, 2025 Holly (WEBINAR ONLY)	Christine March, MD, MS Assistant Professor	<i>Division of Pediatric Endocrinology UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh</i>
November 10-11, 2025 Marian Rewers	8th Childhood Diabetes Prevention Symposium	<i>Two-day Symposium AHSB- Elliman Conference Center</i>
Friday, November 21, 2025 Jane Reusch	Mary Elizabeth Patti, MD Associate Professor	<i>Director, Hypoglycemia Clinic Co-Director, Molecular Phenotyping and Genotyping Core Associate Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School</i>
Friday, December 5, 2025 Timothy McKinsey	Michael Czech, PhD Principal Investigator	<i>The Isadore & Fannie Foxman Chair of Medical Research, Program in Molecular Medicine, UMass Chan Medical School</i>
Friday, January 16, 2026 Aaron Michels	Paul G. Thomas, PhD Member, St. Jude Faculty	<i>Department of Immunology St. Jude Research</i>
Friday, January 30, 2026 Kristen Wells	Corey Miller, PhD, MD Assistant Professor	<i>Diabetes Center University of California, San Francisco</i>
*Friday, February 6, 2026 M. Nakayama/ S. Dai	Xiaoxiao Wan, MD, PhD Assistant Professor	<i>Department of Pathology & Immunology Washington University, St. Louis</i>
Friday, February 13, 2026 Revecca Scalzo	Lauren M. Sparks, PhD Associate Investigator	<i>Translational Research Institute Advent Health, Orlando FL</i>
Friday, February 27, 2026 Richard Benninger	Aleksey Matveyenko, PhD Professor	<i>Department of Physiology and Biomedical Engineering Division of Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science, NY</i>
Friday, March 6, 2026 M. Nakayama/L. Yu	BDC Diabetes Day Symposium Keynote Speaker- Kevan Herold, MD	<i>C.N.H. Long Professor of Immunobiology and of Medicine Yale School of Medicine</i>
*Friday, March 20, 2026 Sussel/Benninger	Francesca Spagnoli, PhD Professor	<i>Centre for Stem Cells and Regenerative Medicine King's College London</i>
Friday, March 27, 2026 Howard Davidson	Ernesto Nakayasu, PhD Group Leader, Multiscale Systems Science	<i>Biological Sciences Division Pacific Northwest National Laboratory</i>
Friday, April 10, 2026 D. Sandoval/J. Reusch	Karen Ryan, PhD Associate Professor	<i>Neurobiology, Physiology and Behavior University of California, Davis</i>
*Friday, April 17, 2026 Carissa Birznieks	Maria Remedi, PhD Professor	<i>Professor of Medicine and Cell Biology and Physiology Washington University in St. Louis</i>
*Friday, May 1, 2026 Janet Snell-Bergeon	Myra Lipes, MD Associate Professor	<i>Investigator, Joslin Diabetes Center Harvard Medical School</i>
Friday, May 8, 2026 Mia Smith	Cate Speake, PhD Associate Member	<i>Interventional Immunology and Diabetes Programs Benaroya Research Institute at Virginia Mason</i>
*Friday, May 15, 2026 P. Rozance/T. Hernandez	Camille E. Powe, MD Associate Professor of Medicine	<i>Co-Director, Diabetes in Pregnancy Program Massachusetts General Hospital Mass General Brigham Associate Professor of Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Reproductive Biology, Harvard Medical School</i>

Indicates change in venue location or an off-cycle date in the series