**DIVISION OF CANCER TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS**

**Office of Cancer Complementary and Alternative Medicine**

**Conference On**

**ACUPUNCTURE FOR CANCER SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT**

**Thursday, June 16 – Friday, June 17, 2016**

**Natcher Auditorium, Balcony B**

**NIH Main Campus, Bethesda, Maryland**

**DAY 1 – THURSDAY, JUNE 16**

8:00 – 8:30 Arrival and On-Site Registration

8:30 – 8:35 Welcome

 ***Jeffrey D. White MD, National Cancer Institute, Director, OCCAM***

8:35 – 8:45 Conference Overview & Objectives

 ***Farah Zia, MD, Meeting Chair***, ***National Cancer Institute***

***Session 1 Moderator: Lixing Lao PhD CMD LAc***

8:45 – 9:00 NCI’s Portfolio: Acupuncture Research

 ***Oluwadamilola Olaku MD, Meeting Co-Chair, National Cancer Institute***

9:00 – 9:30 Utilization of Acupuncture by Cancer Patients

 ***Gary Deng MD PhD, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center***

9:30 – 10:00 Classical & Electro-Acupuncture, Acupressure, TENS

 ***Weidong Lu MB PhD MPH, Dana Farber Cancer Institute***

10:00 – 10:15 \* **BREAK**

 **Assemble for group photograph in main lobby (Speakers and Moderators)**

10:15 – 10:45 Mechanism of Action: Mechanical Tissue Stimulation and Acupuncture

 ***Helene Langevin MD, Harvard Medical School***

10:45 – 11:15 Role of Functional MRI in Acupuncture Research

 ***Vitaly Napadow PhD, Harvard Medical School***

11:15 – 11:30 Q/A/Discussion Moderator

 ***Lixing Lao PhD CMD (China) LAc, University of Hong Kong***

11:30– 12:30 \* ***Lunch***

 \***Food and beverage will not be provided. Cafeteria is located on the main level.**

***Session 2 Moderator: Peter Johnstone MD***

12:30 – 1:00 Acupuncture for Cancer Pain and Fatigue

 ***Jun Mao MD, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center***

1:00 – 1:30 Acupuncture for Nausea, Vomiting, & Xerostomia

 ***Mary K. Garcia DrPh LAc, MD Anderson Cancer Center***

1:30 – 2:00 Acupuncture for Symptoms of Endocrine Therapies

 ***Jun Mao MD, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center***

2:00 – 2:15 Q/A/Discussion Moderator

 ***Peter Johnstone MD, H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute***

2:15 – 2:30 \* **BREAK**

***Session 3 Moderator: Wayne Jonas, MD***

2:30 – 3:00 Conducting Robust Acupuncture Clinical Trials

 ***Claudia Witt MD MBA, University of Zurich***

3:00 – 3:30 Placebo Effect in Acupuncture and Conventional Treatment

 ***Prof Ted Kaptchuk, Harvard Medical School***

3:30 – 4:00 Statistical Perspective of Acupuncture Clinical Trials

 Telecon – ***Andrew Vickers PhD, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center***

4:00 – 4:30 Clinical Considerations of Sham Acupuncture

 ***Arthur Yin Fan, PhD LAc, McLean Center for Complementary & Alternative Medicine***

4:30 – 5:00 Q/A/Discussion Moderator

 ***Wayne Jonas MD, Samuelli Institute***

5:00 Day 1 Adjourned

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**DAY 2 – FRIDAY JUNE 17**

***Session 4 Moderator: Gary Deng MD PhD***

8:30 – 9:00 Safety of Acupuncture

 ***Weidong Lu MB PhD MPH, Harvard Medical School***

9:00 – 9:30 Acupuncture for Lymphedema & Peripheral Neuropathy

 ***Ting Bao MD DABMA, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center***

9:30 – 10:00 Journey to the HEALS Assessment (Tool to Measure Healing)

 ***Ann Berger MD, NIH Clinical Center***

10:00 – 10:30 Role of Acupuncture in Pediatric Cancer Patients

 ***Elena Ladas PhD RD, Columbia University Medical Center***

10:30 – 10:45 Q/A/Discussion – Moderator

 ***Gary Deng MD PhD, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center***

10:45 – 11:00 \***BREAK**

***Session 5 Moderator: Richard Niemtzow MD PhD MPH***

11:00 – 11:30 Patient Reported Outcomes Research Methodology

 ***Shelly Wang*** ***MD MPH, MD Anderson Cancer Center***

11:30 – 12:00 Cost effectiveness of Acupuncture

 ***Patricia Herman PhD ND, RAND Corporation***

12:00 -12:15 \* **BREAK**

12:15-12:45 Acupuncture: Chinese Experience

 ***Lixing Lao PhD CMD LAc, University Of Hong Kong***

12:45 – 1:15 Disparities in AcupunctureTreatment**-** *10 minutes for each speaker*

 European Experience

 ***Claudia Witt MD MBA, University Of Zurich***

 Chinese Experience

 ***Lixing Lao PhD CMD LAc, University of Hong Kong***

 United States Experience:

 ***Jun Mao MD, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center***

1:15 – 1:30 Q/A/Discussion – Moderator

 ***Richard Niemtzow MD PhD MPH, col (ret) USAF***

1:30 – 1:35 Brief Closing Statement, Formal Meeting Adjourned

 ***Farah Zia MD, National Cancer Institute***

1:35 – 2:30 \****Lunch***

2:30 – 5:00 Convene for First Draft of White Papers, adjourn

Thank You! Sincerely, The Meeting Chairs, Dr’s Zia & Olaku