



## FASEB Catalyst Conferences

### Matricellular Proteins in Respiratory-Tract Immunomodulation and Infection

Wednesday, January 19<sup>th</sup> 2022

Conference Organizers: Douglas Hamilton, Ph.D., University of Western Ontario, Canada. Kurt Hankenson, D.V.M., Ph.D., University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Time (U.S. Eastern)	Agenda
10:00 am – 10:10 am	<b>Welcome Remarks</b>
10:10 am – 11:20 am	<b>Session I: Clinical relevance of Matricellular proteins (MP) in pulmonary infection</b>
10:10 am – 10:45 am	<i>“Blood levels of both full length and cleaved forms of OPN and Gal-9 reflect the severity for infectious diseases”</i> <b>Toshio Hattori, M.D., Ph.D.</b>    Tohoku University, Japan
10:45 am – 11:20 am	<i>“CCN1 in lung injury and repair”</i> <b>Gustavo Matute-Bello, M.D.</b>    University of Washington
11:20 am – 12:30 pm	<b>Session II: MP in immune modulation</b>
11:20 am – 11:55 pm	<i>“Immunomodulation by tenascin-C”</i> <b>Anna M Piccinini Ph.D., FHEA</b>    University of Nottingham, United Kingdom
11:55 am – 12:30 pm	<i>“Immune regulatory activity of SPARC in the tumor microenvironment and immunological niches”</i> <b>Sabina Sangaletti, Ph.D.</b>    Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori, Italy
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch Break</b>
1:00 pm – 2:10 pm	<b>Session III: MP role in pathogen invasion and infection</b>
1:00 pm – 1:35 pm	<i>“Thrombospondin-1 and protection against pathogen-triggered proteolytic lung injury”</i> <b>Janet S. Lee, M.D., A.T.S.F.</b>    University of Pittsburgh
1:35 pm – 2:10 pm	<i>“CCN1 is an Opsonin for Bacterial clearance”</i> <b>Joonil Jun, Ph.D.</b>    University of Illinois at Chicago
2:10 pm – 2:55 pm	<b>KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: “Versican: An essential immunomodulatory molecule in the host response to the influenza virus”</b> <b>Charles W. Frevert D.V.M., Sc.D.</b>    University of Washington
2:55 pm	<b>Closing Remarks</b>