Artificial Intelligence / Human Intelligence & Immunoinformatics Workshop

June 13 & 14, 2024 | Providence, RI

Day 1: Artificial Intelligence / Human Intelligence and Infectious Diseases: Evolution, Vaccine Design, and Vaccine Efficacy Evaluation

• Opening Remarks and Introduction

Organizing Commitee

- It's All About Data: The Promises and Limitations of Recent Developments in Al Stephen Bach, PhD, Brown University
- "The Medium is the Message" Introduction to/Applications of Computational Immunology (Faster vaccines, predicting vaccine efficacy, understanding the diversity and individuality of immune response)

Annie De Groot MD, EpiVax

- The Problems We Face: Continuous Evolution of Viral Pathogens. Impact of live attenuated vaccines and pork farming on PRRSV sequence evolution in American swine Kimberly Vanderwaal, PhD, University of Minnesota
- Predicting the Next Pathogen: Influenza A and social geography in the United States Justin Bahl, PhD, University of Georgia
- Swine Influenza A Viruses and the Tangled Relationship with Humans Tavis Anderson, PhD, Agricultural Research Service, USDA
- The iVAX Platform for Vaccine Design and ISPRI-HCP, a Platform for Host Cell Protein Immunogenicity Risk Assessment

Annie De Groot, MD & Kirk Haltaufderhyde, PhD, EpiVax Inc.

• It's EpiCC: T cell Epitope Content Comparison for Predicting Vaccine Efficacy. Application to PRRSV, Influenza, and PCV2

Andres Gutierrez, PhD & Riley Nolan, EpiVax Inc.

- How Do We React? Information, immunology, and creativity; Math and sepsis patient data Tom Sgouros, Brown University
- Bench-to-Bedside Translational Research: Challenges and suggestions for improvement Attila A. Seyhan, PhD, Brown University
- A Universal Pipeline for ML/Al Prediction of Prognostic and Diagnostic Data Joanna Fueyo, PhD & Professor Mark Kon, PhD, Boston University
- Combining the Power of AI and Genetics to Develop Effective Personalized Cancer Treatments Guilhem Richard PhD, EpiVax Therapeutics

Panel discussion and Q&A session

Dinner reception at The Rooftop at the Providence G to follow

Day 2: Artificial Intelligence / Human Intelligence and Biologic Therapeutics

Introduction

Julian Chandler, Alexion Pharmaceuticals & Brian Roberts, PhD, EpiVax Inc.

- Why Do Biologics Fail and Could Failures Have Been Predicted? Amy Rosenberg, MD, EpiVax Inc. (Formerly FDA)
- Experimental Engines for Immune Systems Analysis: High-Throughput Immune Receptor Functional Screening to Empower AI/ML Algorithms

 Brandon DeKosky, PhD, MIT & The Ragon Institute of MGH, MIT, and Harvard
- Generative Modeling, AI, and Machine Learning Techniques for the Discovery and Optimization of Biologics

Christopher Langmead, PhD, Amgen

- The ISPRI Platform for Biologics Risk Assessment and Design Matt Ardito, Aimee Mattei, MS, William Martin, Riley Nolan & Jacob Tivin, EpiVax Inc.
- Deimmunization Antibody Engineering: affinity-tuned deimmunized bispecific antibodies successfully translated to clinical trials in humans (application of ISPRI and MOE)
 Jeonghoon Sun, PhD, Multiverse Pharma
- Mining Data from Clinical Trials to Develop Clinically Relevant AI Algorithms Vibha Jawa, PhD, FAAPS, Bristol Myers Squibb
- Al or HI? Predicting Antibody Immunogenicity from Existing Data Andres Gutierrez, PhD, EpiVax Inc.
- Assessing Immunogenicity Risk of Host Cell Proteins Using In Silico and In Vitro Methods Kirk Haltaufderhyde, PhD, EpiVax Inc.
- Ozempic and Friends: Should we be concerned about the immunogenicity risk of generic peptides?

Aimee Mattei, MS, & Brian Roberts, PhD, EpiVax Inc.

• Integrating Human and Machine Intelligence: Managing the Good, the Bad and the Ugly Joan Peckham, PhD, University of Rhode Island

Summary of conference

Dinner reception at Bayberry Garden to follow

