



## AAI BUSINESS MEETING & AWARDS PRESENTATION AGENDA

### Virtual IMMUNOLOGY2021™

Around the World

Thursday May 13

5:00 PM ET – 7:00 PM ET

**5:00 PM**      **Call to Order and Opening Comments**

AAI Chief Executive Officer **M. Michele Hogan**

- Tribute to Deceased Members 2019-2021
- AAI Membership Update
- Virtual IMMUNOLOGY2021™ Highlights and Statistics
- Recognition of Virtual IMMUNOLOGY2021™ Sponsors
- Future AAI Annual Meetings
- 2020 – 2021 Awards, Careers, and Educational Programs
- AAI 2020 and 2021 Courses

5:20 PM      **Public Affairs Report**

AAI Committee on Public Affairs Chair **Ross Kedl**, Univ. of Colorado Anschutz Sch. of Med.

5:40 PM      **Finance Report**

AAI Secretary –Treasurer **Edith Lord**, Univ. of Rochester Sch. of Med. and Dentistry

6:00 PM      **Report on AAI Journals**

Editor in Chief, *The Journal of Immunology* **Eugene Oltz**, The Ohio State Univ.  
Editor in Chief, *ImmunoHorizons* **Mark Kaplan**, Indiana Univ.

### Questions and Answers will be taken before Awards Presentations

6:30 PM      **Presentation of 2020 and 2021 Awards**

**M. Michele Hogan**

#### **2020 AAI Distinguished Service Award**

For outstanding service to AAI and the immunology community as Director of the AAI Introductory Course, 2014 –2019

**Recipient: Juan-Carlos (JC) Zúñiga-Pflücker**, University of Toronto, Sunnybrook Res. Inst.

#### **2021 Meeting Awards**

##### **Pfizer-Showell Travel Award**

To recognize the professional promise of an early career investigator by providing travel assistance to the AAI annual meeting

**Recipient: Monika Bambouskova, Ph.D.**, Washington Univ. Sch. of Med.

**Lefrançois-BioLegend Memorial Award**

To advance the career of a trainee who attends the AAI annual meeting and presents an outstanding abstract specifically in the area of mucosal immunology

**Recipient: Jacob Van Winkle**, Oregon Hlth. & Sci. Univ.

**Lustgarten-Thermo Fisher Scientific Memorial Award**

To advance the career of a mid-career scientist who attends the AAI annual meeting and presents an outstanding abstract specifically in the area of immune regulation

**Recipient: Venuprasad K. Poojary, Ph.D.**, Univ. of Texas Southwestern Med. Ctr.

**Chambers-Thermo Fisher Scientific Memorial Award**

To advance the career of an early-career scientist who attends the AAI annual meeting and presents an outstanding abstract specifically in the area of cancer biology

**Recipient: Timotheus Y.F. Halim, Ph.D.**, Univ. of Cambridge, Cambridge, U.K.

**AAI-Thermo Fisher Trainee Achievement Awards**

To recognize promising trainees in the field of immunology

**Recipients: Adeleye O. Adeshakin**, Graduate Student, Univ. of Chinese Acad. of Sci., Beijing, China

**Ian C. Boothby**, Graduate Student, Univ. of California, San Francisco

**Betsabel J. Chicana**, Graduate Student, Univ. of California, Merced

**Elliot H. Akama-Garren**, Graduate Student, Harvard Med. Sch.

**Elizabeth S. Borden**, Graduate Student, Univ. of Arizona Col. of Med.

**Masato Ogishi, M.D.**, Graduate Student, The Rockefeller Univ.

7:00 PM **Adjournment**