

AKAP2026 Schedule: February 27 – March 1**Keynote speaker: Manuela Zaccolo**All talks are **15 min + 5 min** questions (except keynote)

Friday 2:00-3:00	Welcome/registration, poster hang-up
Opening session #1	New perspectives in Local cAMP Signaling - Roshanak Irannejad, Chair
3:00-3:10	Welcome (Carmen and John)
3:10-3:30	Roshanak Irannejad, U California, San Francisco, CA
3:30-3:50	Andreas Bock, Mainz U Medical Ctr, Germany
3:50-4:10	Ben Myers, U of Utah, UT
4:10-4:40	Coffee Break (30 min) Drinks, snacks, put up posters
4:40-5:00	Nina Tsvetanova, Duke U, NC
5:00-5:20	Ben Goult, U of Liverpool, UK
5:20-5:40	Xiaodong Cheng, UTHealth Houston, TX
5:40-6:00	Kjetil Tasken, U of Oslo, Norway

On your own for dinner (or early to bed for our European friends)

Saturday

Morning session #2	Pathological defects and cardiac spatial signaling - Kim Dodge Kafka, Chair
9:00-9:20	Kim Dodge Kafka, U of Connecticut, CT
9:20-9:40	Guillaume Pidoux, INSERM, France
9:40-10:00	Julia Gorelik, Imperial College London, UK
10:00-10:20	Marion Delaunay (McKensey lab), Colorado U, CO
10:20-11:00	Coffee break and networking (40 min)
	Cardiac spatial signaling, continued
11:00-11:20	Viacheslav Nikolaev, U Medical Ctr Hamburg-Eppendorf, Germany
11:20-11:40	Gregoire Vandecasteele, U of Paris-Sud, France
11:40-12:00	Greta Scherler (Diviani lab), U of Lausanne, Switzerland
12:00-12:20	Michael Kapiloff, Stanford U, CA
12:20-2:20	Box lunch and posters (2 hrs)
Afternoon session #3	PKA pathologies - John Scott, Chair
2:20-2:40	John Scott, U of Washington, WA
2:40-3:00	John Gordan, U of California, San Francisco
3:00-3:20	Yasemin Sancak, U of Washington, WA
3:20-3:40	Ronit Ilouz, Bar Ilan U, Israel
3:40-4:10	Coffee break (30 min)
Late afternoon session #4	PKA pathologies in neuronal systems - Carmen Dessauer, Chair
4:10-4:30	Carmen Dessauer & Anibal Garza Carbajal, UTHealth Houston, TX
4:30-4:50	Mark Dell'Acqua, Colorado U, CO
4:50-5:10	Johannes Hell, U California, Davis, CA
5:10-5:30	Break (20 min)
Keynote	
5:30 – 6:10	Manuela Zaccolo, Oxford U, UK (30 min + 10 min questions)
Dinner 6:15 – 7:45	on site

Sunday

Morning session #5 Technology development in cAMP signaling - Jin Zhang, Chair

- 9:00-9:20 Jin Zhang, U of California, San Diego
- 9:20-9:40 Tom Rich, U of South Alabama, AL
- 9:40-10:00 John Tesmer, Purdue U, IL
- 10:00-10:20 Alemayehu (Alex) Gorfe, UTHealth Houston, TX

- 10:20-11:00 **Coffee break and Posters** (40 min)

- 11:00-11:20 Ren Ostrom, Chapman U School of Pharmacy, CA
- 11:20-11:40 Alessandra Ghigo, U Torino, Italy
- 11:40-12:00 Mitch Omar, U Nevada, Reno, NV

Disband at Noon – on your own for lunch and departure