



Annual Meeting Overview

Join the Federation of Clinical Immunology Societies (FOCIS) in San Francisco for the 24th Annual Meeting of the Federation of Clinical Immunology Societies (FOCIS 2024). FOCIS is THE meeting in translational immunology that will give attendees a competitive edge in their careers. Four days of programming will put leading clinicians and researchers at the forefront to deliver the latest breakthroughs across immune-mediated diseases.

Through the FOCIS Annual Meeting, researchers and clinicians share knowledge across traditional disease borders, and identify commonalities between treatments and therapies that are life changing for those affected with immune-mediated diseases. From the introduction of monoclonal antibodies in clinical practice — to recent advances in cancer immunotherapy – the past two decades have been transformational for patients living with immune-mediated diseases.

Program Highlights

Keynote Speakers

- Aviv Regev, PhD, Genentech
- Bana Jabri, MD, PhD, University of Chicago
- Megan Sykes, MD, Columbia University
- Robert Montgomery, MD, PhD, NYU Langone Transplant Institute

Plenary & Thematic Session Themes

- Behavioral Immunology
- Cellular & Stem Cell Therapeutics
- Host Defense and Vaccinology
- Immune Responses to GT/Therapeutics
- Immunology in Reproductive Health
- ImmunoOncology
- Inborn Errors of Immunity
- Mechanisms & Treatment of Autoimmunity
- Metabolic Regulation of Inflammation
- NeuroImmunology
- Novel Pathways and Approaches in Allergic Disease
- Organoid Modeling & Therapeutics
- Precision Therapeutics in Mucosal Disorders
- Somatic Mosaicism, Clonal Populations and Immune Disorders
- Systems Immunology & AI

[2024 FOCIS Annual Meeting program linked here.](#)

Key Meeting Demographics

With nearly 1,000 global attendees, the FOCIS Annual Meeting is the place for researchers and clinicians to share knowledge across traditional disease borders and identify commonalities between treatments and therapies that are life-changing for those affected by immune-mediated diseases.

- 35+ countries
- 400+ abstracts presented
- Attendees from Academic, Biotech, Pharmaceutical, Non-profit, Clinical Practice, and Governmental sectors
- 200+ trainees from around the world attend each year

Key Dates

- Abstract Submission Deadline: January 17, 2024
- Late Breaking Abstract Submission Opens: February 7, 2024
- Late Breaking Abstract Deadline: April 3, 2024
- Advanced Registration Deadline: May 5, 2024

- Late Registration Deadline: June 10, 2024
- FOCISed Pre-Meeting Courses: Monday, June 17 - Tuesday, June 18, 2024
- Annual Meeting Scientific Program: Tuesday, June 18, - Friday, June 21, 2024

FOCISed Pre-Meeting Courses and Workshop

Prior to the Annual Meeting, three courses and one workshop will be held.

Monday, June 17

- Systems Immunology

Tuesday, June 18

- Big Data in Immunology Workshop
- Basic Immunology in Medicine

Please note, these courses and workshops do require an additional registration and fee.

Scientific Program Committee

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About FOCIS

The Federation of Clinical Immunology Societies exists to improve human health through immunology by fostering interdisciplinary approaches to both understand and treat immune-based diseases. The Federation of Clinical Immunology Societies is a key forum where opinion leaders come together to chart the path to the next major breakthrough in disease therapy. Through FOCIS, researchers and clinicians share knowledge across traditional disease borders, and identify commonalities between treatments and therapies that are life-changing for those impacted by immune-mediated diseases.

Initially established as a cross-disciplinary meeting, FOCIS held its first Annual Meeting in 2001. After two successful consecutive meetings, FOCIS incorporated as a 501(c)3 organization in 2003. Today, FOCIS has 63 Member Societies, representing roughly 65,000 clinician scientists, and 73 FOCIS Centers of Excellence worldwide. The FOCIS Annual Meeting and FOCISed courses educate clinicians, researchers, and trainees in the broad discipline of clinical immunology. FOCIS is the world's leader in immunology education and training future generations of clinical immunologists.