

Program-at-a-Glance

February 8, 2017

09:00 – 10:30 **Plenary Session 1: Opening Session – IRDiRC History and Achievements**

Auditorium

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

Reception Hall

11:00 – 12:40 **Plenary Session 2: Rare Diseases Research in 2017 – A Global View**

Auditorium

12:40 – 14:00 Lunch break

Reception Hall

14:00 – 15:30 **Plenary Session 3: State of Foundational, Diagnostics and Therapeutics Research**

Auditorium

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

Reception Hall

16:00 – 18:00 **Parallel Session 1: Diagnostics, Foundational and Therapeutics Research in 2017**

Diagnostics Track

Foundational Track

Therapeutics Track

Auditorium

Room 106

Room 108

18:00 – 20:00 Poster session, cocktail reception

Reception Hall

February 9, 2017

09:00 – 10:40 **Parallel Session 2: New Approaches to Rare Diseases**

Diagnostics Track

Foundational Track

Therapeutics Track

Auditorium

Room 106

Room 108

10:40 – 11:10 Coffee break

Reception Hall

11:10 – 12:40 **Parallel Session 3: Trends in the Field**

Trends in Regulatory & Access

Trends in Patient Advocacy

Trends in Companies

Auditorium

Room 106

Room 108

12:40 – 14:00 Lunch break

Reception Hall

14:00 – 16:30 **Plenary Session 4: Transforming Rare Diseases Research – IRDiRC Goals 2017-2027**

Auditorium

16:30 – 17:00 Continued discussion over coffee and refreshments

17:00 End of conference