Towards an HIV Cure: Engaging the Community Workshop

Saturday 16 July 2016 | 9:00 — 12:10
Session Room 11, International Durban Convention Centre

The Towards an HIV Cure: Engaging the Community Workshop is aimed at those interested in learning more about the basis of current research directions and challenges for an HIV cure. The interactive workshop will discuss the research priorities outlined in the IAS Global Scientific Strategy: Towards an HIV Cure 2016, and will include an interactive community panel discussion on key topics pertinent to HIV cure research.

In partnership with AVAC, EATG, Martin Delaney CAB, TAG, Sidaction.
09:00 – 09:10  **Opening Remarks**  
Françoise Barré-Sinoussi, Institut Pasteur, France

09:10 – 09:25  **What does HIV cure mean to you?**  
Damian Kelly, EATG, United Kingdom  
Jessica Salzwedel, AVAC, United States

09:25 – 10:15  **An introduction to the science of HIV cure**

**Introduction**  
Anna Laura Ross, IAS/ANRS, France

**Hurdles on the path towards an HIV cure: Is HIV remission a first stage?**  
Asier Saez Cirion, Institut Pasteur, France  
Richard Jefferys, Treatment Action Group, United States

**Current HIV Cure Strategies & Ongoing Clinical Trials**  
Sharon Lewin, The Doherty Institute, University of Melbourne, Australia  
Gus Cairns, NAM Publications, United Kingdom

09:30 – 09:40  **Break**

10:15 – 10:45  **Panel Discussion**  
Moderated by Mitchell Warren, AVAC, United States

**Advocacy for HIV Cure**  
Kevin Osborne, International AIDS Society (IAS), Switzerland

10:45 – 11:50  **Panel Discussion**  
Jintanat Ananworanich, US Military HIV Research Program, United States

**Panel Discussion**  
Paula Munderi, MRC/UVRI Uganda Research Unit on AIDS, Uganda

**Panel Discussion**  
Moses Supercharger Nsubuga, Joint Clinical Research Centre, Uganda

**Panel Discussion**  
Marie Elizabeth Theunissen, University of Stellenbosch, South Africa

11:50 – 12:05  **Advocacy for HIV Cure**  
Kevin Osborne, International AIDS Society (IAS), Switzerland

12:05 – 12:10  **Closing Remarks**  
Owen Ryan, International AIDS Society (IAS), Switzerland

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