Pathways to an HIV cure: tools for community and clinicians
AIDS 2020: Virtual Pre-Conference
1 – 3 July

WEDNESDAY 1 JULY 2020
7am PDT/ 10am EDT/ 4pm CEST & SAST/ 10pm CST/ midnight AEST

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<td>Sharon Lewin, The Doherty Institute, The University of Melbourne, Australia</td>
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<td>Thumbi Ndung’u, Africa Health Research Institute, South Africa</td>
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<td><strong>A glass half full: changing attitudes and values to achieve an HIV cure</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Advancing the HIV cure field and debunking myths and misconceptions</strong></td>
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<td>Jessica Salzwedel, AVAC, United States</td>
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<td>Philister Adhiambo, Kenya Medical Research Institute, Kenya</td>
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<td>Owen Mulenga, Treatment Advocacy and Literacy Campaign, Zambia</td>
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<td>Josephine Nabukenya, MUJHU, Uganda</td>
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<td><strong>Top 10 advances in laboratory research</strong></td>
<td>Lillian Cohn, Chan Zuckerberg Biohub, United States</td>
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<td><strong>Top 10 advances in clinical research and social sciences</strong></td>
<td>Katharine J. Bar, Penn Centre for AIDS Research, United States</td>
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### Session 2

#### Challenges of clinical trials in cure

**Moderator**
Richard Jefferys, TAG, United States

**Panelists**
- **Analytical Treatment Interruptions in HIV Cure clinical trials - community and clinician perspectives**
  Jill Lau, The Alfred Hospital and Monash University, Australia
- **Challenges in clinical cure studies: tissue sampling**
  Jan van Lunzen, ViiV Healthcare, United Kingdom
- **Challenges in clinical HIV cure studies: The need for Analytical treatment interruptions in HIV clinical trials**
  Sarah Fidler, Imperial College London, United Kingdom
- **Ethico-legal implications of treatment interruption in HIV cure research**
  Jerome Singh, CAPRISA and University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa

15’ discussion

### Session 3

#### Expanding the research pool for HIV cure

**Chair**
Brad Jones, Weill Cornell Medicine, United States

**Invited Speakers**
- **Women and the Cure: Challenges and Opportunities**
  Eileen Scully, Johns Hopkins University, United States
- **Advances in paediatric HIV cure research**
  Deborah Persaud, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, United States
- **Expanding HIV cure research: impact of comorbidities and routes of transmission on HIV reservoirs**
  Natalia Laufer, INBIRS, Argentina
- **HIV remission research: A Thai perspective**
  Denise Hsu, AFRIMS, Thailand
### 30’ On demand

**Session 4**  
*Gene therapy vs immunotherapy: which is more likely to work?*

**Moderator**  
Damian Kelly, Patient Advocacy Alliance, United Kingdom

**Speakers**  
Sharon Lewin, The Doherty Institute, The University of Melbourne, Australia  
John Frater, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

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### FRIDAY 3 JULY 2020

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#### 30’ Live

**Session 5**  
*Coming up next in the cure field*

**Chair**  
Joe Tucker, LSHTM, United Kingdom

**Speakers**  
**HIV Cure Africa Acceleration Partnership**  
Mark Dybul, Georgetown University, United States  
**Target Product Profiles for an HIV Cure**  
Steve Deeks, UCSF, United States

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**45’ Live**  
**Closing session**  
*Interview with the London Patient and Prof. Ravi Gupta*

Live Q&A with Steve Deeks and Sharon Lewin

IAS/Abivax Research-for-Cure Academy Fellowship Prize  
Announcement of 2019 Advocacy-for-Cure Grantees

**Closing remarks**

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