

FOCIS Workshop in Systems Immunology 2024

Papers discussed during the workshop:

Systems Immunology & Immune Oncology: A Data-Centric View

1. Eleven grand challenges in single-cell data science
<https://genomebiology.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s13059-020-1926-6>
2. Optimal-Transport Analysis of Single-Cell Gene Expression Identifies Developmental Trajectories in Reprogramming [https://www.cell.com/cell/pdf/S0092-8674\(19\)30039-X.pdf](https://www.cell.com/cell/pdf/S0092-8674(19)30039-X.pdf)
3. Gene trajectory inference for single-cell data by optimal transport metrics
<https://www.nature.com/articles/s41587-024-02186-3>

From Systems Immunology to Novel Therapeutic Insights

1. Personalized Immunomonitoring Uncovers Molecular Networks that Stratify Lupus Patients <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/27040498>
2. Genetics of rheumatoid arthritis contributes to biology and drug discovery <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/24390342>
3. Single-cell RNA sequencing of human tissue supports successful drug targets
[Single-cell RNA sequencing of human tissue supports successful drug targets | medRxiv](#)

Biology is Spatial: A Primer on Spatial Biology and its Applications in Oncology and Immunology

Single cell and spatial transcriptomics of non-small cell lung cancer (10 Genomics sc + visium).
<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/38782901/>

Charting the cellular bidgeography in colitis reveals fibroblast trajectories and coordinated spatial remodeling. (Merfish in situ spatial).
<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/38569542/>

Spatial transcriptomics stratifies psoriatic disease severity by emergent cellular ecosystems (10X Visium + Multiplex IF).
<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/37267384/>

Unraveling Immunity through Machine Learning and AI: A Primer for Immunologists

- 1. Broad immune activation underlies shared set point signatures for vaccine responsiveness in healthy individuals and disease activity in patients with lupus**
 - 2. Assessing GPT-4 for cell type annotation in single-cell RNA-seq analysis**

 - 4. Nicheformer: a foundation model for single-cell and spatial omics**
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Interactive Data Analysis Session

1. TGF β attenuates tumour response to PD-L1 blockade by contributing to exclusion of T cells <https://www.nature.com/articles/nature25501>
2. The cancer-immunity cycle: Indication, genotype, and immunotype
<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1074761323004168?via%3Dhub>