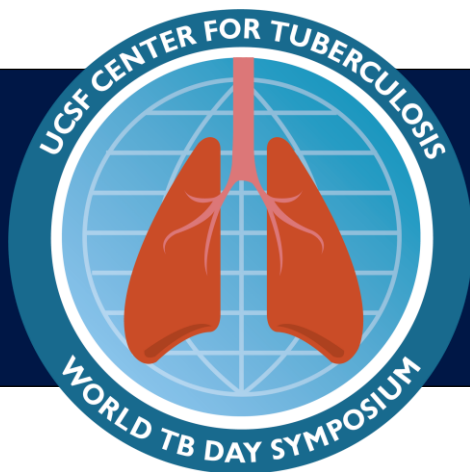


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World TB Day Symposium

*Sustaining Momentum: Strengthening Community
Partnerships in TB Research and Care*

Tuesday, March 24, 2026

8:40 a.m. – 3:50 p.m.

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Time	Topic	Speaker(s)
8:40am	Welcome	Payam Nahid, MD, MPH Executive Director, Institute for Global Health Sciences Lisa Chen, MD Principal Investigator, CITC, UCSF
8:40-9:30am	KEYNOTE: TBD (50 min) Moderator: Jonathan Budzik, MD, PhD – Assistant Professor, Medicine UCSF	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keynote • Moderated Discussion / Q&A 	TBD All Speakers
9:30-9:45am	Break (15 minutes)	
9:45-10:30am	SESSION 1: Community Engagement Protocols (45min) Moderator: Kinari Shah, MSc – Researcher, School of Medicine UCSF	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Session Panel • Moderated Discussion / Q&A 	TBD All Speakers
10:30-10:45am	Break (15 minutes)	
10:45-11:45am	SESSION 2: Early-Stage Investigators (ESIs) – Next generation of researchers tackling TB (60min) Moderator: Celeste Garza, BS – PhD Candidate, Suliman Lab UCSF	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to TRAC and TB RAMP • Present the Phil Hopewell Mentorship Award • Session Panel (seven TRAC ESIs) 	Elizabeth Fair, PhD, MPH Co-Director, UCSF Center for Tuberculosis/ UC TRAC Development Core/TB RAMP TBD
11:45-12:45pm	Lunch break (60 minutes, catered lunch)	
12:45-1:45pm	SESSION 3: Firsthand experiences surviving TB (60min) Moderator: Susannah Graves, MD, MPH – TB Controller, TB Prevention and Control Program, San Francisco Department of Health	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Session Panel • Moderated Discussion / Q&A 	TB Survivors All Speakers
1:45-2:00pm	Break (15 minutes)	
2:00-3:00pm	SESSION 4: Protecting Family and Community – Case Presentation & Introduction to the CI Team (60min) Moderator: Susannah Graves, MD, MPH – TB Controller, TB Prevention and Control Program, San Francisco Department of Health	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Session Panel • Moderated Discussion / Q&A 	TBD All Speakers
3:00-3:45pm	SESSION 5: TAG Advocacy talk (tentative) Moderator: Celeste Garza, BS – PhD Candidate, Suliman Lab UCSF	
3:45-3:50pm	Closing remarks	Payam Nahid, MD, MPH Lisa Chen, MD
3:50pm	Close of event	