

**IOWA**

Carver College  
of Medicine

35<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL

# IOWA RHEUMATOLOGY SYMPOSIUM

Sjögren's and IgG4-related Diseases: Advancing Diagnosis and Treatment

Friday, April 25, 2025 | 7:15 AM - 4:45 PM

Courtyard by Marriott | 901 Melrose Avenue | Iowa City

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# GENERAL INFORMATION

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## OVERVIEW

The 35th Annual Rheumatology Symposium enables clinicians to apply state of the art knowledge in managing patients with Sjögren's Disease and IgG4-Disease.

## CREDITS

AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ (6.5 hours), ACPE Credit (6.5 hours), ANCC Contact Hours (6.5 hours), Non-Physician Attendance (6.25 hours)

## TARGET AUDIENCE

Specialties - Internal Medicine

Professions - Fellow, Nurse, Nurse Practitioner, Pharmacist, Physician, Resident

## OBJECTIVES

1. Distinguish between classification criteria for Sjogren's Disease and IgG4-related Disease.
2. Recommend diagnostic modalities for Sjogren's Disease and IgG4-related Disease.
3. Compare existing treatments for Sjogren's Disease and IgG4-related Disease to treatments in current clinical trials.
4. Demonstrate effective inter-professional communication for enhancing patient care.

## ACCREDITATION



In support of improving patient care, the University of Iowa Roy J. and Lucille A. Carver College of Medicine is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

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**Other Provider:** All other participants will receive a certificate of participation for this conference upon completion of the online evaluation. It is the responsibility of each attendee to determine if the continuing education programs they attend meet the requirements of their professional licensure board.

## LODGING

Courtyard by Marriott, 901 Melrose Avenue, Iowa City, Iowa (319-579-6777). Participants are responsible for making their own reservations by calling the Courtyard by Marriott directly or visiting the Iowa City/ Coralville Area Convention and Visitors Bureau ([www.thinkiowacity.com](http://www.thinkiowacity.com)) or any hotel in the Iowa City/ Coralville area. Parking is available at the hotel at no charge.



# AGENDA

## 35th Annual Rheumatology Symposium - Sjögren's and IgG4-Related Diseases: Advancing Diagnosis and Treatment

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Education General Session Room: Heights Ballroom

Vendor Exhibit Room: Melrose Room

- 7:00 a.m.**      **Registration and Breakfast**
- 7:50**            **Welcome to the 35th Iowa Symposium**  
Dr. Hanna Zembrzuska
- 8:00**            **IgG4-spectrum Diseases (Robert F. Ashman Lecture)**  
Dr. John Stone
- 9:00**            **Sjögren's Disease: Beyond Dryness (Paul Strottman Lecture)**  
Dr. Chad Johr
- 10:00**          **Break**
- 10:20**          **Sjögren's: Xerostomia Management, Salivary Infusions, Ultrasound Surveillance for Lymphoma, and Imaging for IgG4RD**  
Dr. Henry Hoffman  
with Evgeniya "Jenia" Molotkova, Otolaryngology Research Scholar, presenting **Ultrasound Surveillance for Lymphoma in Patients with Sjögren's**
- 11:30**          **Exhibit Room Open**
- 12:00 p.m.**    **Lunch**
- 1:00**            **Sjögren's Disease and IgG4 Disease – Pulmonary**  
Dr. Alicia Gerke
- 2:00**            **Pediatric Sjögren's Disease: More Questions than Answers**  
Dr. Scott Lieberman
- 3:00**            **Break**
- 3:20**            **Mini Thieves Market (Case Presentations)**  
Dr. Brittany Bettendorf and Fellows
- 4:45**            **Adjournment**

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# PRESENTERS

## IOWA HEALTH CARE

### Department of Otolaryngology



**Henry T. Hoffman, MD**  
Professor of Otolaryngology  
Roy J. and Lucille A. Carver College of Medicine  
University of Iowa Health Care

### Department of Pediatrics



**Scott Lieberman, MD, PhD**  
Associate Professor of Pediatrics  
Division of Rheumatology, Allergy, and  
Immunology

### Department of Internal Medicine—Division of Pulmonary, Critical Care, and Occupational Medicine



**Alicia Gerke, MD, MBA**  
Associate Professor of Internal Medicine—Pulmonary,  
Critical Care, and Occupational Medicine

### Department of Internal Medicine—Division of Immunology



**Amir Abidov, MD**  
Allergy/Immunology and Rheumatology  
Dual Certification Pathway Fellow Physician



**Brittany Bettendorf, MD, MFA**  
Clinical Associate Professor of Internal  
Medicine—Immunology



**Lindsay Moy, DO**  
Rheumatology Fellow Physician



**Ibi Oke, MBChB**  
Rheumatology Fellow Physician



**Madalyn Walsh, MD**  
Allergy/Immunology and Rheumatology  
Dual Certification Pathway Fellow Physician



**Hanna Zembrzuska, MD, MME**  
Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal  
Medicine—Immunology  
Director, Iowa Rheumatology Symposium

## VISITING SPEAKERS



**John H. Stone, MD, MPH**  
Professor of Medicine  
Harvard Medical School  
The Edward A. Fox Chair in Medicine  
Director, Clinical Rheumatology  
Massachusetts General Hospital  
Boston, MA



**Chadwick R. Johr, MD**  
Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine  
Perelman School of Medicine at the  
University of Pennsylvania  
Director, Penn Sjögren's Center  
Penn Medicine  
Philadelphia, PA