

STP West Coast Regional Symposium
 May 5, 2026
" Hot Topics in Inflammation and Fibrosis"
 Gilead Sciences Inc., 303 Velocity Way, Foster City, CA 94404

You are invited to join your colleagues in pharma and academia for a day-long STP Regional Symposium entitled "*Hot Topics in Inflammation and Fibrosis*" to be held on May 5, 2026, at Gilead Sciences Inc. in Foster City, CA. There is no fee to attend (both STP members and nonmembers); however, registration is required and will be closed by April 24th, 2026, as space is limited. **Please note this event is in person ONLY.** There is no option to attend this remotely. There would not be any recording of the lectures.

Breakfast, snacks, and lunch will be provided for the attendees.

Thank you to Gilead Sciences Inc. for their generous contribution towards this event.

AGENDA (Times are Pacific Daylight Time, PDT)	
8:00 AM–8:45 AM	Registration and Breakfast
8:45 AM–8:50 AM	Introduction (STP West Coast Regional Symposium and Edu. Committee) Bhanu Singh
8:50 AM–9:00 AM	Welcome Jim Hartke, Gilead Sciences Inc.
9:00 AM–9:50 AM	Keynote Lecture: <i>Breaking the cycle: should we target inflammation, fibrosis, or both?</i> Speaker: Joe Arron, Calico Life Sciences LLC
9:50 AM–10:30 AM	Title: <i>ADC-Related Interstitial Lung Disease: Nonclinical to Clinical Translation</i> Speaker: Melissa Schutten, Gilead Sciences Inc.
10:30 AM–11:00 AM	Break
11:00 AM–11:30 AM	Title: <i>Untangling the Toxicities Associated with TGFb Pathway Inhibition</i> Speaker: Mayur Mitra
11:30 AM –12:00 PM	Title: Model selection and other considerations in preclinical studies of inflammatory bowel disease Speaker: Jessica Synder
12:00 PM–1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM–1:45 PM	Title: <i>Balancing Benefits and Limitations of Preclinical Models for Drug Discovery in Inflammatory Diseases</i> Speaker: Gundula Min-Oo
1:45 PM–2:15 PM	Title: <i>Animal models of thyroid eye disease, or also called Graves Orbitopathy</i> Speaker: Sundeep Chandra
2:15 PM–2:45 PM	Break
2:45 PM–3:15 PM	Title: <i>'IOI' 101: Basics of ocular inflammation in preclinical studies</i> Speaker: Becky Lee
3:15 PM–3:45 PM	Title: <i>We Be-Lung Together: leveraging in vitro and in vivo NHP models of pulmonary disease</i> Speaker: Lisa Miller
3:45 PM	<i>Adjourn</i>