Ovarinnovate: Ovarcome Research Excellence Award

Jessica Gillen, MD  
University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center

*Characterization of ovarian cancer exosome associated PD-L1 and evaluation of exosome PD-L1 as a potential therapeutic biomarker*

Zhen Ni Zhou, MD, PhD  
New York Presbyterian Hospital/Weill Cornell Medical Center

*IRE1α-XBP1 signaling as a regulator of resistance to immunotherapy in ovarian cancer*

Laura Crandall Brown Foundation Ovarian Cancer Early Detection Research Grant

Stephanie Cham, MD  
Brigham and Women’s Hospital

*Sampling microneedle patch to detect circulating microRNAs in interstitial fluid for early detection of ovarian cancer*

Research is temporarily on hold due to COVID-19.

Ovarian Cancer Alliance of Greater Cincinnati Research Grant

Andrew Wilson, PhD  
Vanderbilt University Medical Center

*NR6A1/TR3 inhibition in the ovarian tumor microenvironment*

Amy Krouse Rosenthal Foundation Early Detection Research Grant

Rebecca Porter, MD, PhD  
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

*Satellite repeat RNAs as novel biomarkers in HGSOC*

St. Louis Ovarian Cancer Awareness Research Grant

Shaolin Ma, MD, PhD  
The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

*Cloaking VEGF in EVs as a cause of adaptive resistance to anti-VEGF therapy*

Endometrial Cancer Research Grant in Honor of Lynne Bovee Olson

Kyle Strickland, MD, PhD  
Duke University

*Are ESR1 gene mutations associated with increased risk of recurrence in copy number-low endometrial adenocarcinomas?*

Wilma Williams Education and Clinical Research Award for Endometrial Cancer

Gabrielle Hawkins, MD, MS  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

*Impact of race, obesity and the microbiome on endometrial cancer treatment*
Myriad Genetics Ovarian Cancer Research Grant

Laura Holman, MD, MS
University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center

Developing strategies to increase uptake of genetic services among rural women with ovarian cancer

Caring Together, NY, Ovarian Cancer Research Grant

Sarah Paraghamian, MD
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Pre-clinical assessment of induced neural stem cells as innovative therapy for ovarian cancer

ME STRONG Cervical Cancer Research Grant

Sarah Kim, MD
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Mutation and HPV tracking in cervical cancer patients using circulating cell-free DNA

Perlman Family CCARE Lynch Syndrome Research Prize

Rachel Soyoun Kim, MD
University of British Columbia

Use of next-generation sequencing panel in diagnosis of Lynch syndrome

Bruce Patsner Research Grant for Innovative Research and Technology

Kalpana Deepa Priya Dorayappan, PhD
The Ohio State University

Exosomal acute phase proteins as potential biomarkers for early detection of ovarian cancer

Foundation for Women’s Cancer/Norma Livingston Ovarian Cancer Foundation Excellence in Ovarian Cancer Research Prize

Shannon Westin, MD, MPH
The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

Nina Donnelley and The Dickens Fund of the Donnelley Foundation Young Investigator Award in Honor of Laurel W. Rice, MD

Shariska Petersen, MD
University of Kansas Medical Center

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