

# OPENING CEREMONY

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*November 7, 2019*

*The Sir Kenneth Standard Lecture Theatre*

*10:00 am*

***National Anthem***

*The University Chorale*

***Opening Remarks***

*Dr Tomlin Paul*

*Dean, Faculty of Medical Sciences, The University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica*

***Welcome***

*Professor Dale Webber*

*Principal, The University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica*

***Remarks***

*Mr Dunstan Bryan*

*Permanent Secretary*

*Ministry of Health, Jamaica*

***Special Item***

*The University Chorale*

***Acknowledgement of Sir Kenneth Standard's Family***

***Introduction of the Sir Kenneth Standard Distinguished Lecturer***

*Professor Marvin Reid*

*Deputy Dean, Research and Graduate Studies, Faculty of Medical Sciences*

*Director, Tropical Metabolism Research Unit*

*The University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica*

***The Sir Kenneth Standard Distinguished Lecture***

*Professor Franklyn Prendergast*

*Director Emeritus, Mayo Comprehensive Cancer Center*

*United States of America*

***Presentation***

*Dr Romyne Edwards*

*Chair, Opening Ceremony Subcommittee, Organizing Committee*

*Faculty of Medical Sciences Annual Research Conference and Workshop*

***Vote of Thanks***

*Dr Christine Walters*

*Chair, Organizing Committee*

*Faculty of Medical Sciences Annual Research Conference and Workshop*

*12:00 – 1:00 pm*

***Lunch (on your own)***

***Viewing of Posters and Exhibits***

<b>Session II</b>		<b>Basic medical sciences</b> <b>Chairs: P Singh and S Brown</b>
	1:00 pm	Introductions and Opening Remarks
(O – 05)	1:10 pm	Assessing the cytotoxic effect of fungal extracts against Pc-3 cell line M Jackson, P Facey, S Badal
(O – 06)	1:20 pm	Sedative/hypnotic effects of an aqueous extract of <i>Arachis hypogaea</i> testa in mice S Francis, T Clarke, J Howden, M Mckoy
(O – 07)	1:30 pm	[Retracted]
(O – 08)	1:40 pm	Vitamin D deficiency enhances antiphospholipid antibody-mediated thrombosis in a passive immunization mouse model K Roye-Green, R Willis, Z Romay-Penabad, E Papalardo, A Schleh, EB Gonzalez, M Smikle
(O – 09)	1:50 pm	A bioassay-guided study into the hypoglycaemic effect of fatty acids isolated from the rhizomes of <i>Smilax balbisiana</i> (Chainy Root) DA Peddie, RL Lindo
(O – 10)	2:00 pm	Jamaican actinomycetes: new weapons against antibiotic resistance E Terrelonge, S Brown
(O – 11)	2:10 pm	Renal vascular protein targeting by cadmium* G McCalla, PD Brown, WC Cole, C Campbell, CR Nwokocha * presented as 'Tissue specificity of cadmium on vascular proteins' in the Conference
	2:20 pm	Questions and Answers
	2:30 – 2:45 pm	<b>Stretch Break</b> <b>Viewing of Posters and Exhibits</b>
<b>Session III</b>		<b>Medicine and surgery</b> <b>Chairs: E Williams and J Williams–Johnson</b>
	2:45 pm	Introductions and Opening Remarks
(O – 12)	2:50 pm	Factors associated with virologic non-suppression in people living with HIV at three HIV treatment sites in St Catherine A Purai, K James, G Barrow
(O – 13)	3:00 pm	Identification of risk factors for severe lower gastrointestinal bleeding S Bentinck, EW Williams, CA Walters, M Lee
(O – 14)	3:10 pm	The prevalence of risk factors for cardiovascular disease in breast cancer patients receiving anthracycline-based therapy at the University Hospital of the West Indies C Best, SN Chin, G Wharfe
(O – 15)	3:20 pm	A review of deaths in patients with a diagnosis of venous thrombo-embolism between 2001 and 2010 W West, D Brady-West
(O – 16)	3:30 pm	The burden of chemical burns to society R Venugopal, S Moore, C Neblett, J Jones, R Thomas, G Arscott
	3:40 pm	Questions and Answers
	3:50 – 4:00pm	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <b>Chair: C Walters</b> <b>Viewing of Posters and Exhibits</b>