**Clinical Laboratory Collaborative Conference**

**April 3-4, 2025**

**CSU Spur Hydro Building**

**Sponsored by ASCLS-CO, ASCLS-WY**  
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| **Thursday, April 3 (Student Posters All Day)** | | | | |
| 0700-1500 | Registration | | | |
| 0730-0830 | Continental Breakfast | | | |
| 08:30-0900 | Opening Ceremony- Announcements and Awards (Willow/Cottonwood Creek rooms) | | | |
| 915-1015 | Keynote  **Pat Tille:** ASCLS National President; MLS graduate program Director – Road to Leveraging Laboratory Medicine and Value Based Care | | | |
|  | **Morning Breakout Sessions** | | | |
| 1030-11:30 | **Mary Hammel:**  Advancements in Molecular Diagnostics That Benefit the Patient | **Abbott Guest Speaker: Kraig Chugg** –  hs-cTnI  High sensitivity cardiac Troponin I | | **Ally Storla:** Stepping into Laboratory Leadership: Do’s and Don’ts from the Bench to the Boardroom |
| 1130-1400 | Vendor Expo (Confluence Theater) | | | |
| 1130-1230WY  1230-1330CO | Spring meetings (one or both? – if one, Wyoming on Thurs, CO on Fri?) | | | |
|  | **Afternoon Breakout Sessions** | | | |
| 14:00-15:00 | **Hayley Vinchattle:** Laboratory Inventory Management | | **Abbott Guest Speaker: Kraig Chugg -** Mild Traumatic Brain Injury – Navigating Challenging Cases | **Annette Monterrubio (BD): “Blood Culture Best Practices Training”**  Blood culture Collection Tips: How to Reduce Contamination and Report According to CAP Requirements |
| 1500-1515 | Break | | | |
| 1515-1615 | **Jamie Boyer:**  **Colorado State University** | | **Werfen: Geoffrey Chow –** Heparin Induced Thrombocytopenia | **Hologic Guest Speaker – No name or session title yet, working with Andrea Englander** |
| 1630-1830 | Vendor Social | | | |

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| **Friday, April 4 (Student Posters All Day)** | | | | |
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| 0730-0830 | Continental Breakfast | | | |
| 08:30-0900 | Opening Ceremony- Announcements and Awards (Willow/Cottonwood Creek rooms) | | | |
| 915-1015 | Keynote  **Dr. Tiffany Weir**: Professor, Food Science and Human Nutrition graduate program Director – The Gut Microbiome: Impacts on Nutrition and Wellness | | | |
|  | **Morning Breakout Sessions** | | | |
| 1030-11:30 | **Diasorin guest Speaker: Sarah Elliot –**  Candida auris: an emerging multi-drug-resistant fungal threat. | | **CLMA guest speaker Dan Scungio:**  Dan the Lab Safety Man  Confirmed 2/16/25 | **Panel:** So you finished school, what now?  Join ASCLS members as they discuss life as a new professional, what other options are out there and the DCLS  (New professional – Mindy, Education/MS - ?Pat?, Compliance – ?Ally?, Consulting -?JR?, DCLS - |
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| 14:00-15:00 | **Pat Tille:** ASCLS President  Molecular Methods: More than Diagnostics, Leading the Way to Disease Management | **Ally Storla:** Rebuilding a Competency Program for the General Laboratory | | **Mary Hammel:** Protecting your Laboratory from a Cyberattack or Other Major Disaster |
| 1500-1515 | Break | | | |
| 1515-1615 | **Hayley Vinchattle**: Working Up the (Un)common Cold – Three cold Ab case studies. | **Miles Tomkins:** “Uh darn ! What Did I Do Now?” This and other case studies in Human Resources | | **Panel:** What Position in the Laboratory Profession Fits your Personality? Meet MLS from the hospital setting, the reference laboratory, and small clinic. Hear what they have to say about each of their unique work environments.  (Reference – Erika, Hospital – Ian, and Clinic – April) |