Pre-Symposium Satellite Programs

29th Annual Mount Sinai Winter Symposium:
Advances in Medical, Surgical and Cosmetic Dermatology

Mount Sinai

The Kimberly and Eric J. Waldman Department of Dermatology

Thursday, December 3, 2026
4:00 PM to 8:00 PM (EST)

Please Join us!
ALOPECIA AREATA SATELLITE PROGRAMS
FREE ATTENDANCE (Registration Required - Catering Included)

Venue: The New York Academy Of Medicine, Conference Room #20

1216 Fifth Avenue (at 103rd Street) New York, NY 10029

PROGRAM AGENDA

4:00-5:00 PM	**ALOPECIA AREATA PATIENT CONFERENCE**	
4:00 PM	**Welcome & Program Overview**	Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD
4:05 PM	**Live Patients' Testimonials:** **Adult & Pediatric Patients Sharing the Burden of the Disease on the Individuals and the Entire Families**	
4:35 PM	**Physicians' Panel: Discussions & QA:**	Brian Abittan, MD; Patrick Brunner, MD, MSc; Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD; Peter Lio, MD; Leon H. Kircik, MD; Benjamin Ungar, MD
4:45 PM	**Closing Remarks:**	Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD
4:50 -5:00 PM	**Break**	
5:00-8:00 PM	**ALOPECIA AREATA SYMPOSIUM: TOWARDS BETTER TREATMENTS IN AA**	
5:00 PM	**The Epidemiology of AA & Risk Factors Associated with increased Risk to Develop AA**	Benjamin Ungar, MD
5:15 PM	**Alopecia Areata as a Systemic Disease and Associated Comorbidities**	Patrick Brunner, MD, MSc
5:30 PM	**Are All Phase Three Trials in Alopecia Areata the Same?**	Leon H. Kircik, MD
5:45 PM	**A Holistic Approach to Diagnosing & Treating AA in Children and Adults, Including Addressing Unique Psychological Aspects in Patients & Families**	Peter Lio, MD
6:00 PM	**PRP and Hair Transplantations for Scarring Alopecia and Beyond**	Brian Abittan, MD
6:15 PM	**Live Patients' Testimonials:** **From Pediatric and Adult Patients with Atopic Dermatitis and Alopecia Areata**	
7:15 PM	**Pathophysiology of AA & Role of Various Immune Pathways in the Disease**	Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD
7:30 PM	**Beyond the Hair Follicle: Neuroimmune Connections Between Skin, Hair, and Systemic Health**	Peter Lio, MD
7:45 PM	**Closing Remarks**	Emma Guttman-Yassky, MD, PhD

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