

Future Targeted Healthcare Manufacturing Hub

**T-Cell Processing Specialist Working Group** 

Agenda Thursday 19 September 2019, 13.00-17:00, UCL Bloomsbury Campus

- 1:00 Arrival and Refreshments
- 1:20 Roundtable Introductions
- **1:30** Update on Hub Cell and Gene Therapy Activity and Strategy *Qasim Rafiq, UCL*

# 1:40 Hub research plans and progress in T-Cell Processing, Modelling, Supply Chain and Regulation

Maryam Shariatzadeh:	Mechanistic Modelling for T-cell Therapy Manufacture
Igor Andreyev:	Development of Analytical and Microfluidic Applications for Cell Therapies
Shimaz Hashimdeen:	Investigation of key culture parameters for T-cell production
Carlos Villalobos:	Outlook for CAR T-cell Process Optimization and Control Using Multivariate
	Statistics
Maria Papathanasiou:	Analysis of the Current and Future CAR T Cell Supply Chain
Giovanni de Grandis:	ATMP Regulations and Interactions with Regulators: Key Issues

### 3:10 Break and Refreshments

## 3:30 Hub Aligned PDRA and PhD Project Presentations

Elena Costariol:	Process Development and Manufacture of Primary Human T-cells and CAR-T
	Cells in Automated Stirred-tank Bioreactors
Marco Rotondi:	Process Intensification Methods for T-cell Manufacture in Stirred-tank
	Bioreactors
Theano Panagopoulou:	Standardising Viral Vector Production Using Chemically-defined Media
Vaques George:	Validating the Serum-Free Manufacture of Blood-Derived $\gamma\delta$ T-cells Towards
	Clinical Applications

### 4.30 Roundtable Discussions to Scope Future Direction of Hub Research

- 1. What are the key emerging areas or opportunities within the cell and gene therapy sector?
- 2. What are the manufacturing and process development bottlenecks for cell and gene therapies?
- 3. Within the Targeted Healthcare remit, what relevant CGT research questions should be explored by Hub research?

### 5.00 Feedback and Round-up

*Opportunities for collaboration Focus for future workshops* 

5.15 Close













