

Centre for Heart Lung Innovation Special Seminar



Understanding the pathogenesis of pulmonary fibrosis and its role in multi-morbidity

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"Pulmonary fibrosis is a chronic progressive fibrotic disease of the lung. It is caused by injury to the air sacs in people who have genetic susceptibility to scarring. Many of the molecular pathways that are activated in pulmonary fibrosis are also seen in other organs and many patients with pulmonary fibrosis also have scarring in a number of different organs. Understanding the connectivity between multi-organ fibrosis and the pathogenic mechanisms that link fibrosis in different organs should help us identify new and repurposed therapeutic targets that will improve the chances of finding a cure for pulmonary fibrosis."

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