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LECTURE*

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Maison du Savoir
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Light lunch provided after the lecture

11.00 - 12.00 pm



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SPEAKER

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HOST:

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DEPLOYING LOW-COVERAGE WHOLE GENOME SEQUENCING IN THE PRACTICE: A TRANSLATIONAL JOURNEY FROM BIOINFORMATICS RESEARCH TO CLINICAL TEST

ABSTRACT

Low-Coverage Whole Genome Sequencing (LC-WGS) has recently been implemented in clinical laboratories at Mayo. One of the sequencing protocols that has been translated into clinical applications. The first successful test is the Non-Invasive Prenatal Test that is becoming routinely used to fetal trisomy detection. Other

clinical applications are underway. I will describe the analytical workflows put in place to analyze LC-WGS data and report trisomy. I will also describe how the analytics has been extended to the stratification of ovarian tumors. This new application of LC-WGS is currently being translated into a clinical test.

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