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## "Activity-Based Sensing Approaches to Decipher the Elements of Cell Signaling"

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**Abstract:** Traditional strategies for developing selective imaging reagents typically rely on molecular recognition and static lock-and-key binding to achieve high specificity. We are advancing an alternative approach to chemical probe design, termed activity-based sensing, in which we exploit inherent differences in chemical reactivity as a foundation for distinguishing between chemical analytes that are similar in shape and size within complex biological systems. **This presentation will focus on development of activity-based sensing probes to visualize dynamic fluxes of transition metal ions and reactive oxygen species and their signaling and stress contributions to living systems, along with activity-based proteomics to identify novel targets and pathways that these emerging classes of chemical signals regulate.** These chemical tools enable the discovery of new biology from transition metal signaling and metalloallostery to redox signaling.

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