Science Cafe Speaker Series 2021
Coronavirus Conversations

February 4, 2021:  Christina Lancioni, MD (Doernbecher Hospital/OHSU)
Vaccines 101: A Vaccine Primer
Dr. Lancioni will describe the basics of how vaccines work, including information about types of vaccines and what they can (and cannot) do.

February 11, 2021:  Mark Slifka, PhD (Senior Scientist, ONPRC)
How Safe Are Vaccines?
Dr. Slifka will address vaccine-related fears and questions in this Town Hall-style presentation.

February 18, 2021:  Daniel Streblow, PhD (Senior Scientist, VGTI/OHSU)
How did we get here?
Join Dr. Streblow for a retrospective look at the coronavirus pandemic, from COVID-19 test development to vaccine discovery and beyond. What critical questions do we still need to answer about SARS-CoV-2?

February 25, 2021:  Afam Okoye, PhD (Associate Scientist, VGTI/OHSU)
Outlook for the Future
Dr. Okoye will lead us in a look forward: When will this be over? What do we have to do to get back to “normal?” What role does herd immunity play? What behaviors should we continue even after the pandemic? Will there be another pandemic and when?

Thursdays from February 4, 2021 to February 25, 2021
6 to 7 p.m.
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