

Save the Date

Tuesday, May 12 - Thursday, May 14

LocationCary, North Carolina

Hosted By SAS Institute

The V Foundation for Cancer Research Summit is an annual professional development and networking meeting for our newest V Scholar and Early Career Investigator award recipients – some of the most outstanding cancer researchers from across North America!

A Decade of Discovery & Connection

The V Summit turns 10! Celebrate with us as we mark a decade of fostering collaboration, communication, and the boldest ideas in cancer research.

The 2026 Conference will include:

- Scientific communication strategies workshop where grantees will learn skills for conveying their complex science to a lay audience with clarity and impact
- Flash talk presentations where grantees will give a high-level overview of their V Foundation-funded research project to a non-specialist audience
- Informative sessions with experts and scientific advisors
- Mentoring panels with past grantees and the V Foundation's Scientific Advisory Committee members
- Formal and informal networking time to share your important research and experiences with colleagues

Our goal is to help create connections and build a scientific community that fosters collaboration among our V Grantees. The V Summit is also a great opportunity to learn more about the V Foundation and meet and interact with our staff members, donors and supporters.



We are proud to announce that SAS Institute will be our host sponsor again for 2026, and daytime meetings will be held onsite at SAS's Executive Briefing Center in Cary, NC.

A room block will be provided at the Westin Raleigh-Durham Airport Hotel near Raleigh-Durham International Airport.