



Inaugural Interdisciplinary Cannabis Symposium

**SEPTEMBER 25, 2019: The DuVal Auditorium, College of Medicine
Banner UMC, 1501 N Campbell Av, Tucson AZ 85724**

The **Inaugural Interdisciplinary Cannabis Symposium (IICS-AZ)** is an inclusive, University of Arizona project sponsored by the College of Agriculture & Life Sciences, the BIO5 Institute, the College of Medicine Tucson, and the College of Science. It is designed to inform our Community about recent evidence-based research and teaching in the *Cannabis* horticulture and medicine.

Admission to the IICS-AZ is by **online Pre-Registration only**. More information and registration form is provided on the IICS-AZ website (<https://be.arizona.edu/iics>). Priority will be given to UofA faculty, students and staff. The Tucson Community is also invited to attend but everyone still needs to pre-register online. There is no charge for this Community outreach program.

Program

08:00 *Welcome*

08:30 **Todd Vanderah** The Endocannabinoid System: The Biological Foundation of It All

09:30 **Suman Chandra** Botany, Chemistry, Potency and Drug Development

10:30 Break *on your own in the Banner-UMC Tower Cafeteria*

11:00 **Thomas Marcotte** The Promise and Challenges of Cannabis and Cannabinoids as Medicine

12:00 **Yu-Fung Lin** Teaching the Human Physiology of Cannabis and Cannabinoids

13:00 *LUNCH on your own in the Banner-UMC Tower Cafeteria*

14:00 **Richard Huntsman** Pediatric Epilepsy: Novel Cannabinoid-Based Treatment

15:00 **Natalie D Eddington** Journey to an MS in Medical Cannabis

16:00 **David Meiri** Medical Cannabis: Evidence-Based Research Findings

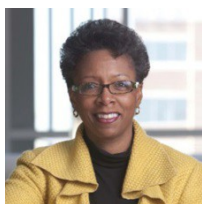
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