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**Dinner Lecture**

## “The role of hypomethylating agents in higher risk MDS”

**Speaker**

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**Facilitator**

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**Date:** September 23, 2013 (Monday)

**Time:** 7:00pm – 9:30pm

**Venue:** Le Meridien Kuala Lumpur  
Grand Salon, Level 8

*Cocktail reception starts at 6.30pm. Dinner will be served at 8:30pm onwards.  
All are welcome.*

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Dr. Silverman was awarded the National Service Research Award Fellowship from the National Cancer Institute and the Distinguished Research Award for Creative and Innovative Investigations and Inspired Mentoring of Young Biomedical Scientists from the Samuel Bronfman Department of Medicine, Mount Sinai School of Medicine.

He is a renowned investigator in the area of hematologic malignancies and has served as Principal Investigator for well over 20 national clinical trials exploring treatments for patients with the Myelodysplastic Syndrome. He served as Principal Investigator of the randomized Phase III CALGB trial of Azacitidine vs. Supportive Care which served as the basis for approval of Azacitidine by the FDA for MDS in the United States.

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