

SAA-MOTOR CITY MILE IMPACT REPORT



SAA-MOTOR CITY MILE **OUR LOCAL BENEFICIARY** HAS RAISED OVER SWIM ACROSS AMERICA **2024 GRANT** \$500,000 **ROGEL CANCER CENTER** \$75,000 NIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN HEALTH TO FIGHT CANCER SUPPORTED SINCE 2019 **SINCE 2019** RESEARCH **EMPHASIS** PANCREATIC BLADDER LUNG COLORECTAL CANCER CANCER CANCER CANCER

GRANT RECIPIENTS FUNDED BY SAA-MOTOR CITY MILE



Dr. Jiahe Li Specialty: Developing innovative technology targeting bacterial toxins in the gut, aiming to combat colorectal cancer linked to pathogenic gut bacteria production.



Dr. Phil Palmbos Specialty: Exploring why some bladder cancers don't respond to immune checkpoint therapy and identifying strategies to reverse this resistance.



Dr. Angel Qin Speciality: The impact of cellular engagement in the tumor microenvironment on resistance to PD-1 inhibition in patients with PD-L1 high nonsmall cell lung cancer.



Dr. Calista Harbaugh Specialty: Preventing positive margins after colorectal cancer surgery in Michigan.



RESEARCH MILESTONE! Dr. Kyoung Lee received \$1.4M grant from NCI to study the role of low oxygen supply in pancreatic cancer. Initial funding for this project was granted by SAA-Motor City Mile.



50+ TEAMS









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