

The Duodenum:

A New Therapeutic Horizon for Metabolic Disease

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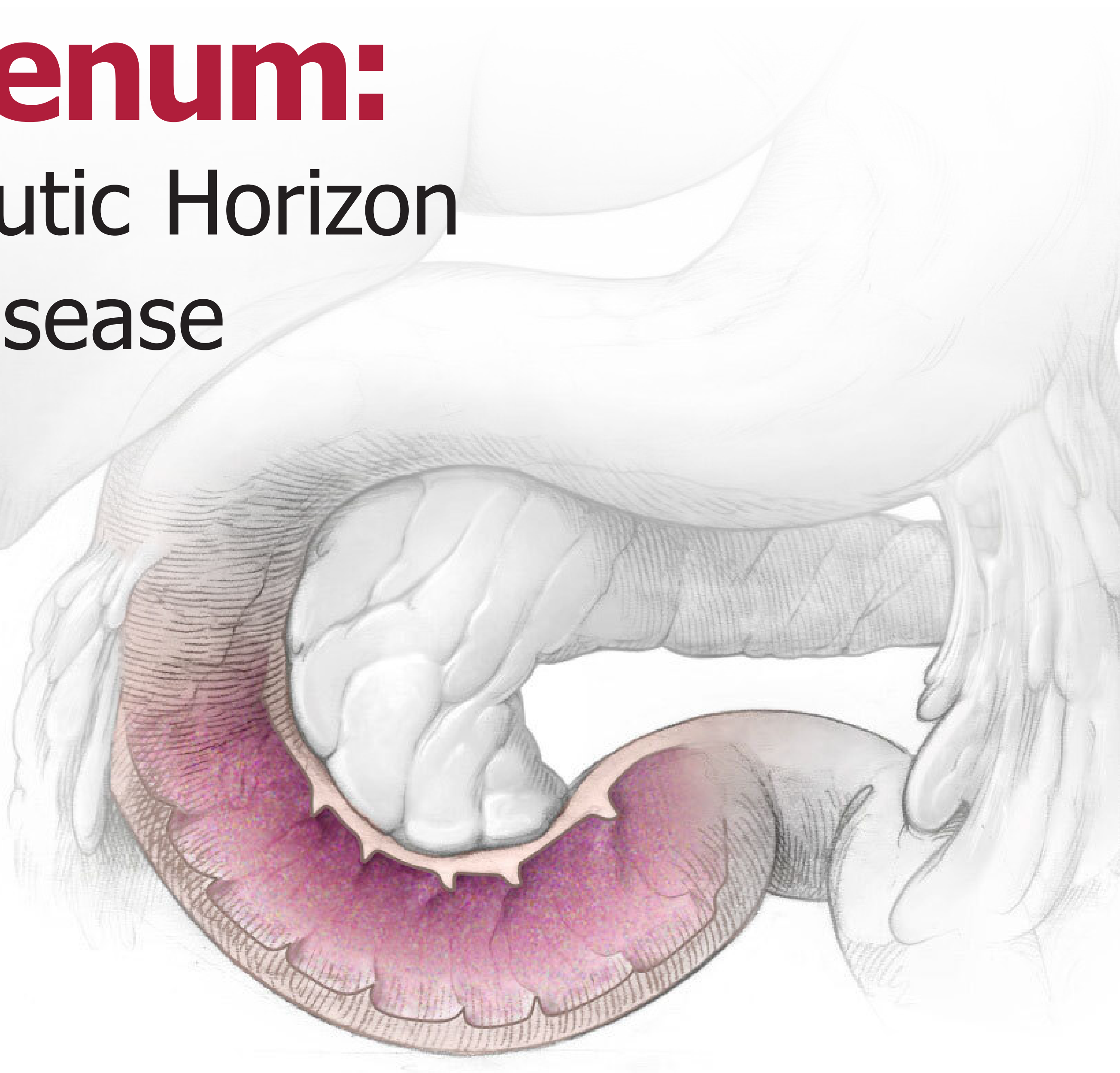
12:30 – 1:15 PM

**Product Theater 2 – Hall F2
Exhibit Hall**

Lunch will be provided

Topics Covered

- The proximal intestine - its role as a nutrient sensor and signaling beacon
- Duodenal dysfunction that could contribute to metabolic disease
- The duodenum as a promising therapeutic target for type 2 diabetes (T2D)



Presentation Overview

The prevalence and overlap of metabolic diseases including T2D and nonalcoholic fatty liver disease highlights common pathophysiology. Increased dietary sugar and fat consumption contributes to duodenal dysfunction which may potentiate disease progression.

This session will discuss the duodenal mucosa as a metabolic regulator and investigational therapy that targets the mucosa for metabolic disease.

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