Stand Up to Sarcoma is the flagship event for the Sarcoma Foundation of America (SFA), featuring extraordinary honorees, tributes to sarcoma cancer survivors and advocates, and recognizing important advances in science and research.

Each year the event highlights outstanding sarcoma advocates with the Courage Award, honors a researcher or doctor advancing groundbreaking research with the Nobility in Science Award and recognizes an organization or person providing hope to patients with the Vision of Hope Award. These international awards are the highest honor SFA bestows and are awarded each year at the Stand Up to Sarcoma Gala.

**Nobility in Science Award**

The Nobility in Science Award is given annually to a deserving visionary, who has been a leading sarcoma surgeon and researcher and has taken on an integral role in advancing drug development for sarcoma patients. Awardees receiving this honor have contributed in a significant way to the advancement of science, care, treatment, for sarcoma patients. This award is given to an outstanding scientist who is dedicated to the advancement of knowledge of sarcoma and works tirelessly to find new and innovative approaches for treating this rare cancer.

**Previous honorees have included:** Robert Benjamin, MD; Patrick Boland, MD, FRCS(I), FACS; Carlos Cordon-Cardo, MD, PhD; John H. Healey, MD, FACS; Richard Gorlick, MD; Scott Gottlieb, MD; Tomoaki Kato, MD; Marc Ladanyi, MD; Robert G. Maki, MD, PhD; Paul A. Meyers, MD; Raphael E. Pollock, MD, PhD, PACS; Gary K. Schwartz, MD; William Tap, MD; James C. Wittig, MD