17th Annual SBMT
World Congress of Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics, Los Angeles, California, USA
(Focused on Brain and Spine)

Breaking Boundaries of Science, Technology, Medicine, Art & Healthcare Policy

March - 20-22, 2020, LA Convention Center, 1201 S. Figueroa St, Los Angeles, CA 90015

Exhibition, Workshops, Didactics, Bio-skills/Cadaver Labs (Brain and Spine) and Brain Mapping Foundation Gala

Audience includes: neurosurgeons, radiologists, neurologists, psychiatrists, rehabilitation medicine physicians, cardiologists, pulmonologists, bio-ethicists, oncologists, radiation oncologists, neuroscientists, engineers, physicists, psychologists, industry leaders, Orthopedic/Spine Surgeons, biochemists, nanotechnologists, pharmacists, stem cell scientists, computer/data scientists, post-docs, residents, and fellows

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TOPICS COVERED BY WORLD LEADERS IN THIS MEETING:

**Neurosurgery** (e.g. image guided therapy, intraoperative navigation, nanoneurosurgery, stereotactic radiosurgery, minimally invasive therapy, vascular neurosurgery, functional neurosurgery, neurotrauma/military medicine, neurosurgical oncology, surgical simulation, Peripheral nerve disorders...)

**Neurology** (e.g. EEG, ERP, movement disorders, neurodegenerative diseases (Alzheimers, Parkinson, and hutington), neuropsychology, neuromodulation, epilepsy, neuroanesthesia and brain and spinal cord function...)

**Psychiatry** (e.g. opioid and addiction, anxiety disorder, autism, sleep, medical imaging for psychiatric conditions such as schizophrenia, depression, PTSD...)

**Radiology** (e.g. fMRI, MEG, PET, nuclear medicine, MRSI, MR-PET, DTI, CT-PET, focused ultrasound, MSI/MEG, ultra-high and low field MRI and interventional radiology...)

**Neuroscience** (e.g. stem cell, molecular neuroscience, image guided mapping of genes, proteomics, genomics, neurophysiology, nanoneuroscience, aging CBD...)

**Vascular/Neurovascular** (e.g. risk of Spinal Cord Injury and Stroke during Aortic procedures and new protective measures, new dynamic modalities of MRA & MRV in diagnostic of vascular diseases, Neurovascular imaging, Angiogenesis stimulation and stem cells research, new aggressive approach to Stroke management, endovascular treatment of Cerebral aneurysms, Vascular Disease in Patients with Multiple Sclerosis, Chronic Cerebrospinal Venous Insufficiency (CCSVI) in Pathophysiology of MS, carotid disease identification & management in Stroke prevention)

**Neuroengineering** (e.g. artificial intelligent, fractal geometry, super computing, neuro photonics, biomaterial & tissue engineering, human brain machine interface, brain and spinal cord devices, nanomedicine, extraterrestrial/space medicine & clinical practice, software engineering, electrical and material engineering, aeronautic engineering/space medicine and radiation physics/oncology as well as robotics...)

**Nano-Bio-Electronics** (e.g. integration of stem cell/cellular therapy with nanotechnology, medical devices and imaging...)

**Spine** (e.g. regeneration, stem cell, imaging, implants and biologics, materials, hardware and techniques...)

**Policy and Business Development** (e.g. business plan workshops, health care policy issues that affect the treatment delivery, and usage of certain devices/drugs/imaging technologies, FDA regulations and reimbursements, federal and regional regulation impacting health care delivery and research funding...)

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CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION NEEDS ASSESSMENT

In recent years, astonishing advances have contributed to amazing discoveries and breakthroughs in fields of neurology, neuroscience, neurosurgery, radiology, engineering, computer science, nanotechnology, medical imaging, medical devices and cellular/stem cell therapy.

These scientific advances also have contributed to the large gap of knowledge amongst the scientists in different disciplines. One of the major challenges of 21st century for the scientific community is how to close such gaps of knowledge amongst multiple disciplines. We have designed the annual meeting of SBMT to address such challenges by bringing together world class experts across multiple disciplines.

Moreover, we have identified a need for progressive integration of nanotechnology, cellular therapy with medical devices and imaging. This is why we have chosen “Nano-Bio-Electronics: Translation, Integration and Commercialization” as the theme of the 17th Annual World Congress of SBMT at Los Angeles Convention Center. The purpose of the annual meeting is to create an interactive environment, which fosters cross-pollination of ideas and paves the way for birth of new treatment and diagnostic modalities in the field.

REASONS TO PARTICIPATE

Link in with near 200,000+ scientists, engineers, surgeons and physicians on SBMT global network.

Meet leaders and Pioneers in your field.

Demonstrate your state of the art technologies at one of the top brain and spinal cord conventions in the world.

Competitive Advantage Your participation at the conference provides you the opportunity to spend quality time with the leaders in the community and get your message across more effectively and efficiently.

Attract and influence attendees at every stage of their career, from students to entry level scientists to acknowledged leaders in their scientific fields.

Network with our attendees during social events held during the conference.

Market your research and ideas to investors / grant makers.

Gain Access to our scientists, engineers, surgeons and physicians from multiple different disciplines at once.

Obtain Continuing Medical Education (CME) is provided by Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and Saint Louis University School of Medicine

Present in a World Class Multidisciplinary Biomedical Association.

Commercialize your ideas.

Promote your company through multiple net-working opportunities and develop business-to-business contacts.

Interact with a focused and attentive audience during scientific and educational activities, such as exhibitor-hosted workshops, division programming, poster sessions, and other meeting activities.

Make The Difference and reinforce your visibility beyond the exhibition area through discussion groups, workshops and hands on courses.

Visit the beautiful city of Los Angeles with its amazing sights.

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JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

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This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of John Hopkins University School of Medicine and the Society of Brain Mapping & Therapeutics. The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine will provide non-physician certificates. The certificate will state that the activity was designated for a maximum of 13.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Follow your board’s requirements for reciprocal CE credits.

Friday, March 20, 2020
Session A5 - Advances In Movement Disorders I: DBS & Beyond (1.5)
Session A7 Neural Engineering I: Addressing Challenges in Cochlear Implants (1.5)
Session A9 Complex Spine Surgery, Imaging and Reconstruction Techniques (1.5)
Session A17 The Eye: Window to the Mind and Body (1.5)
Session A18 Epilepsy and Intraoperative Brain Mapping (1.5)
Session A21 Rehabilitation and Biologics in Spine Surgery (1.5)
Session A29 Advances in Parkinson's Disease II: Imaging and New Treatments (1.5)
Session A30 MEG/EEG Clinical Applications (1.5)
Session A31 Neural Engineering III: Computational Models for Neural Prosthesis (1.75)
Session A33 Management of Spinal Cord Trauma (1.75)

Saturday, March 21, 2020
Session B45 Management of Spine Disorders (1.75)
Session B55 Neural Engineering V: Multiscale (Hierarchical) Model of the Nervous System (1.5)
Session B65 Updated Retinal Research (1.5)
Session B66 Epilepsy & Neurophysiology (1.5)
Session B69 Neurovascular Disorders (1.5)

Sunday, March 22, 2020
Session C77 Advanced Therapeutics: FDA-Approved Ketamine for the Treatment of Depression (1.5)
Session C78 MEG Sensors (1.5)
Session C81 Neurovascular Disorders (1.5)
Session C89 Brain Mapping in Neuro-Psych Behavior (1.5)
Session C91 Neural Engineering VIII: Artificial Retina (1.5)
Session C93 Neurovascular Disorders (1.5)
Session C101 Impact of Stable Visual Skills on Quality of Life (1.5)
Session C105 Neurovascular / Skull Base Disorders (1.75)
CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION
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Friday, March 20, 2020
Session A2-AD Mechanisms I: Beyond Aβ and Tau (1.5)
Session A16 Neuro-Oncology: Stem Cell Immunology and Molecular Targeting (1.5)
Session A3 Novel Therapeutics for Combat-Related PTSD (1.5)
Session A15 Innovative Diagnostic and Treatment Approaches in Military TBI (1.5)
Session A27 Suicide (1.5)

Saturday, March 21, 2020
Session B38 AD Diagnosis I: Biomarkers (1.5)
Session B62 AD Diagnosis III: Brain Imaging (1.5)
Session B40 Neuro-Oncology: Hyperthermia & Other Ablative Therapies (1.5)
Session B52 Neuro-Oncology: Personalized Medicine (1.5)
Session B39 Subconcussive Blast Exposure (1.5)
Session B51 Diagnostic, Pathology and Epidemiology of TBI in Veterans (1.5)

Sunday, March 22, 2020
Session C86 AD Treatment I: Traditional Targets and New Horizons (1.5)
Session C98 AD Treatment II: Mechanistic & Alternative Targets (1.5)
Session C88 Neuro-Oncology: Tumor Treating Fields (1.5)
Session C100 Neuro-Oncology: Radiation Technologies (1.5)
Session C87 Advances in Neurorehabilitation for Veterans with TBI (1.5)
SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY CME CERTIFICATES

Within twenty days after the close of the activity, you will be sent an email from cme@health.slu.edu, to the address provided during registration, notifying you that your CME certificate is available for download.

You will need to log-in to the online registration site and complete the activity evaluation, CLAIM THE HOURS THAT YOU ATTENDED THE SLU APPROVED SESSIONS in order to access and print your certificate.

The link to log-in and your username will be included in the email.

OBJECTIVES FOR SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY CME APPROVED ACTIVITIES:

Military Medicine and Neurotrauma Session Room 406B

OBJECTIVES

1. Describe the results of completed and active clinical trials assessing new approaches with which to treat PTSD.
2. Illustrate the mechanisms of action of novel PTSD therapies.
3. Assess the significance of the results accumulated to date, and whether they are sufficient to support the implementation of new PTSD therapies at this time.
4. Articulate the value of art therapy in military service members with mTBI.
5. Describe neuropathologic findings that can be used to distinguish between those dying of suicide and those dying of other causes.
6. Identify measures that may be useful in documenting the impact on the brain of subconcussive blast exposure during military training exercises.
7. Compare the impact of subconcussive forces on the athletic field vs. those on the battlefield.

Neuro-Oncology Session Room 407

OBJECTIVES

1. Identify modern treatment options and their variants for malignant brain tumors and their integration.
2. Recognize personalize treatment options and their combinations based on molecular characteristics of malignant brain tumors.
3. Assess preclinical research activities that may lead to discoveries and new clinical trials in the treatment of malignant brain tumors.

Alzheimer’s Disease Session Room 409

1. Articulate the latest in pathophysiological theories of Alzheimer’s Disease.
2. Utilize diagnostic and biomarker approaches to determine dementia and Alzheimer’s Disease.
3. Review established, emerging, and future directions of treatments to manage dementia and Alzheimer’s patients.
In recent years astonishing advances have contributed to amazing discoveries and breakthroughs in fields of neurology, neuroscience, neurosurgery, radiology, engineering, computer science, nanotechnology, medical imaging, medical devices and cellular/stem cell therapy. For example: SBMT has been instrumental in introducing Infrared technology into the OR of the future by taking an engineering approach toward solving the problem of intraoperative tumor and vascular mapping. These scientific advances also have contributed to the large gap of knowledge amongst the scientists in different disciplines. One of the major challenges of 21st century for the scientific community is how to close such gaps of knowledge amongst multiple disciplines. The clear example of a gap of knowledge is lack of communication between engineers (Electrical, Material, Biomedical,…) and physicians (Neurosurgeons, neurologists and radiologists).

As the result of SBMT annual meeting we have been able to bring these fields closer together so we could also find engineering solutions to neurological disorders such as brain cancers, Alzheimer, Parkinson’s and neurotrama. Clear examples of such solutions are reflected in more than 60 publications in our last 3 special issues of neuroimage and our current PLoSOne NeuroMapping and Therapeutics journal. We have designed the annual meeting of SBMT to address neurological disorders by bringing together world class experts across multiple disciplines of engineering, neuroscience, nanoscience, imaging, molecular biology and computer science. SBMT is been leading force behind progressive integration of nanotechnology, cellular therapy with medical devices and imaging because we believe the next generation of therapies requires a creative and multidisciplinary approach. The purpose of the annual meeting is to create an interactive environment, which foster cross pollination of ideas and pave the way for birth of new treatment and diagnostic modalities in the field.

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SBMT MISSION STATEMENT

SBMT is a non-profit society organized for the purpose of encouraging basic and clinical scientists as well as engineers who are interested in areas of Brain Mapping and Therapeutics to improve the diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of patients afflicted with neurological disorders.

This society promotes the public welfare and improves patient care through the translation of new technologies into life saving diagnostic and therapeutic procedures. The society is committed to excellence in education, and scientific discovery. The society achieves its mission through multi-disciplinary collaborations with government agencies, patient advocacy groups, educational institutes and private sector (industry) as well as philanthropic organization. SBMT legal name and Tax ID: International Brain Mapping Society-20-2793206

ANNUAL SBMT WORLD CONGRESS

The annual SBMT World Congress is a multi-disciplinary forum designed to facilitate crossdisciplinary dissemination of technological and medical advances and scientific discovery. Thus the attendees are a mixture of neurosurgeons, radiologists, neurologists, neuro-oncologists, psychiatrists, physiatrists, and other physicians, bioethicists, policy makers, government officials, engineers, physicists, graphic designers, neuroscientists, allied healthcare professionals, healthcare executives, students, post-docs, residents and fellows. SBMT’s annual meetings are world class scientific events designed to have a significant impact on cross-disciplinary flow of information and scientific advancements.
CHARTER OF SBMT

The Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics (SBMT) was founded in 2004 to break boundaries in healthcare. The society promotes policies that support rapid, safe, and cost-effective translation of new technology into medicine. The SBMT globally promotes interdisciplinary research to improve the diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation of patients with central nervous system diseases regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, gender, or age. The SBMT catalyzes interactions between clinical, biological, physical and engineering sciences. The Society builds transdisciplinary and translational consortia which break down traditional barriers that impede application of new technology to medical problems. Translational research applies cutting edge basic science and advanced technologies to clinical neurosciences. The Society examines emerging disciplines such as nanotechnology, image-guided therapy, stem cell therapy, multi-modality imaging, biophotonics, and biomaterial and tissue engineering for their application to the diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation from neurological diseases. The Society seeks to apply these technologies to clinical problems such as brain tumors, stroke, epilepsy, neurodegenerative diseases (Parkinson, Alzheimer, multiple sclerosis and ALS), traumatic brain and spinal cord injuries, autism, post traumatic stress disorder and other psychiatric illnesses. The Society achieves its goals through meetings, fellowships, publications, international collaborations, consortia, and policy forums. The SBMT is a nonprofit society which has obtained support from many government agencies (USA, EU and Asia), foundations, and multi-national corporations. The Society maintains its headquarters in West Hollywood, California.
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Dr. Tanzi has published roughly 500 scientific papers including the top three most cited papers in the field of Alzheimer’s disease research.

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Dr. Denise Kandel's major research interests are in the epidemiology, risk factors and consequences of drug use; the epidemiology of substance dependence; comorbidity between substance use and psychiatric disorders.

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Jeffrey C. Wang, MD is Professor of Orthopedic Surgery and Neurosurgery, Co-Director of the USC Spine Center with an expertise in the surgical treatment of all neck and back disorders.

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Seung-Schik is an associate professor of Radiology at Harvard Medical School, and is a director of Neuromodulation and Tissue Engineering Laboratory (NTEL), Brigham and Women’s Hospital.

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Deborah Zelinsky
Deborah Zelinsky, O.D. is an optometrist noted for her work in neuro-optometric rehabilitation. She is the founder of The Mind-Eye Institute, based in Northbrook, IL.

Katherine Chiu
Katherine Chiu is an Assistant Professor of Clinical Anesthesiology, University of Southern California Keck School of Medicine.

Robert Hariri
Robert Hariri, The Chairman, Founder, Chief Scientific Officer, and former Chief Executive Officer of Celgene Cellular Therapeutics.
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MEG/EEG Conference 2020:
Judith Ann Thatcher Memorial Session

Dr. Robert Thatcher
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Military Medicine Conference 2020

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Neuro-Engineering Conference 2020
Warren Grundfest Neuro-Engineering Memorial

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Dr. Seung-Shick Yoo
Seung-Shik is an associate professor of Radiology at Harvard Medical School, and is a director of Neuromodulation and Tissue Engineering Laboratory (NTEL), Brigham and Women’s Hospital

Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020

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Research Fellow, Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics

Spine Conference 2020: John McDonald III Memorial Spine Program

Dr Tobias Mattei
(Assistant Professor, Neurosurgery Division Saint Louis University)

Dr Namath Hussain
(Neurosurgeon, Loma Linda University, Department of Neurosurgery)

Dr Ann Choe
(Assistant Professor of Radiology and Radiological Science, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine)

Dr Joson Cormier
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Neurovascular Conference 2020

Dr. Justin Dye
(Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery, Loma Linda University)

Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf
(MD, MSCR, FAANS, FAHA, Professor of Neurosurgery, Saint Louis University)

Dr. Robert Hariri
Robert Hariri, The Chairman, Founder, Chief Scientific Officer, and former Chief Executive Officer of Celgene Cellular Therapeutics.

Dr. Martin Mortazavi
LETTER FROM THE FOUNDER

Let me start by congratulating our 17th President of SBMT Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf for his visionary leadership and for working closely with me and 12 different committees who helped us organizing one of the largest world congresses for brain mapping so far! We thank our corporates, non-profits, government agencies and academic partners. This program could not be possible without their generous supports and contributions. I also thank our supporters, staff, fellows and volunteers for their amazing dedication and assistance with this convention.

This year, we have more than 500 speakers in 100 scientific sessions, practical sessions, cadaver labs (brain and spine) and 12 keynote speakers, who highlight advances made in their own respective disciplines, which could impact our field. Dr. Abdulrauf and I worked with 100+ scientists to build a scientific program that showcases current advances in the fields such as AI-Neuro, Nanoneurosurgery, Neuro photonics, MEMS/NEMS and their application in clinical neuroscience.

SBMT and its members are proud to be a part of over a decade of scientific accomplishments, which include more than 2000 publications, more than 4000 presentations, significant involvement in President Obama’s BRAIN Initiative, establishment of G20 Brain Mapping and Therapeutics Initiative/Neuroscience-20, establishment of African Brain Initiative, establishment of Middle East and North Africa Brain Mapping Initiative, passing of a congressional report language on the defense appropriation bill, and the Brain Technology and Innovation Park (BTIP) Initiative.

In the past 17 years, SBMT has recognized 127 top scientists, technologists, policymakers, students, humanitarians, and advocates. The organization has published the inaugural textbooks of NanoNeurosurgery and Neuro photonics, facilitated countless game-changing clinical trials on Alzheimer’s disease, Parkinson’s disease, brain cancer and neurotrauma. SBMT also established our Atlas, student chapters in colleges and universities, partnership with major associations, and new guideline committee for standardization.

SBMT members have been pioneers in the field by introducing a new retinal imaging to diagnose Alzheimer’s disease, creating microwave device to treat cancers (brain, breast, prostate, lung, liver, head and neck), inventing new nano-drugs to treat brain diseases, implementing policies that could support such game-changing approach and introducing new metadata analysis repository data in the field.

I congratulate the award recipients this year who have made a huge stride in advancing the field from basic science and engineering to medicine and policy.

While we are celebrating our past and current achievements this year, we are planning the future for the organization as we expand globally. Our work has just begun, and it will not be finished until we find cures for neurological disorders such as ALS, autism, brain cancer, Alzheimer’s, Parkinson’s, and traumatic brain injuries, just to name a few. However, we can only achieve this if we work together.
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I hope you will enjoy this remarkable scientific meeting this year, which is all recorded and will be available online for our members and hope to see you in 17th annual World Brain Mapping Congress in Los Angeles, CA! (March 20, 21, 22, 2020).

Respectfully yours,

Dr. Babak Kateb,

Founding Chairman of the Board of SBMT, President of Brain Mapping Foundation, Director of National Center for NanoBioElectronics (NASA/JPL), Research Scientist, Department of Neurosurgery, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center.
I am honored and humbled to be elected the 17th President of the Society of Brain Mapping and Therapeutics (SBMT). I fully embrace the concept that led to the founding of this society by Dr. Babak Kateb. This concept is based on bringing together innovators from the scientific, technology, industry, and government arenas to form a “Think Tank” to fast forward our understanding of the Brain and the treatment of diseases that affect it.

As the President of the Walter E Dandy Neurosurgical Society, I have developed relationships with key leaders within this specialty worldwide. Perhaps more importantly, the Dandy Society is becoming the educational home for young neurosurgeons globally. These young leaders in the field of neurosurgery could significantly expand their contributions in the educational and research arenas by collaborating with the SBMT clinicians and scientists. I envision collaborative educational forums between the two societies in multiple continents. Likewise, I envision collaborations in basic science, clinical and translational research trials (institutional, national, and multinational).

My key role will be to deepen the neurosurgical footprint of the SBMT while at the same time reach out to our colleagues from the various clinical and scientific disciples that make up this organization to make sure that their ideas and contributions are welcomed and expanded.
1 - Scientific Meetings
This includes national meetings, international meetings, and world congress. The world congress is the society's annual meeting that invites prominent scientists and clinicians from all areas of expertise.

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2 – Student Chapters
The student chapters are organized to promote and encourage multi-disciplinary research across disciplines. Universities with Student Chapters qualify for student travel award starting 2012.

3 – Fellowships
SBMT fellowships are focused on interdisciplinary training of neurosurgeons, neurologists, radiologists and rehabilitation physicians, neuroscientists and engineers on diseases that has major Social impact such as Traumatic brain and spinal cord injuries, neuro-oncology and neurodegenerative diseases. The fellowships are design to apply state-of-the-art research through the study of biomedical science and cutting edge technologies to clinical problems. These scholarship are awarded to masters students, pre-doctoral, and post-doctoral fellows.

4 – Visiting Scholars Program
Visiting scholars program facilitates exchange of scientific investigators and policy experts with other countries and institutions through participating SBMT centers. The goal of the visiting scholar program is to develop collaborations between physical and biological sciences and address major policy issues relevant to the society.
5 – World Congresses

2019 - LA Convention Center
2018 - Millenium Biltmore Hotel, LA, California
2017 - Millenium Biltmore Hotel, LA, California
2016 - Miami Convention Center, Florida
2015 - LA Convention Center
2014 - Sydney, Australia
2013 - Baltimore, MD, USA
2012 - Toronto, Ontario, Canada
2011 - San Francisco, CA, USA

2010 - USUHS, Bethesda, Maryland, USA
2009 - HARVARD Medical School Boston, MA,
2008 - UCLA California Nano-system Institute, Los Angeles, CA, USA
2007 - Washington DC, USA
2006 - Clairmont-Ferrand, France
2005 - Pasadena, CA, USA
2004 - USC Keck School of Medicine, CA, USA

SBMT Annual Meeting Organizers Encourage Cross-Disciplinary Subjects:

- Image guided systems
- Neurovascular coupling and Perfusion imaging
- ISP & Image guided surgery (OR of the future)
- BM and ISP in Stereotactic Radiosurgery (proton Therapy, Novalis, Tomo-therapy, Varian system, Xknife, gamma knife and cyberknife technologies will be compared and contrasted)
- Molecular and cellular imaging including: the use of nanoparticles for stem cell and T-cell imaging
- Neuro Anatomy and histopathology in brain mapping
- Nanoscience, genomics, computational informatics genetics in brain mapping
- Rehabilitation Medicine (e.g. TBI, Stroke, Spinal Cord Injury)
- Novel imaging techniques for TBI and PTSD (eg. DTI, PET,SPECT) Neurolimageg for Psychiatric Diseases (eg. PTSD, Autism,Schizophrenia) Nanoscience, genomics, computational informatics genetics in brain mapping
- Neurophysiology (EEG, MEG, Evoked Potentials, EMG/NCS,ESM) Functional brain mapping (fMRI, PET, SPECT, Intrinsic Signal Optical Imaging)
- Brain Mapping and Intra-operative Surgical Planning using Endoscopy Biophotonic techniques for Brain Mapping Multi-modality imaging techniques
- Ultrasound Imaging
- Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopic Imaging
- High-field and low-field magnetic resonance High-field and low-field MRI, MR Spectroscopic Imaging, micro MRI Magneto encephalograhic
- Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation Cerebral White Matter Mapping and Imaging, (eg. Diffusion Tensor Imaging)
- Neural Prosthesis & Robotics (Human Brain machine Interface technology)
- Minimally invasive therapy for traumatic brain injury (TBI) Imaging modalities for detecting mild/mod TBI, micro-TBI Socioeconomic, Ethical, and Healthcare issues related to the brain mapping and intra-operative surgical planning
6 – Seed Grants
SBMT, in partnership with Brain mapping Foundation and other foundations is planning to provide seed grants to encourage cross disciplinary collaboration. The purpose of these grants is to bridge physical and biological sciences and encourage cross disciplinary collaboration.

7 – Industry Partners
SBMT encourages support from private industry and provides industry with a forum to present their latest advances. The society recognizes the role of industry in translating cutting-edge research and technology into the market. SBMT is currently partnering with more than 100 multi-national corporations.

8 – Society Publications
The Society has successfully published 3 special issues with NeuroImage. We have reached out to more than 50,000 scientists worldwide through our partnership with Elsevier in the last several years. Recently, SBMT partnered with PloSOne publishing giant to launch special Collection /publication called: NeuroMapping and Therapeutics (www.PloSOne.org ) PloSOne is one of the largest Open access Publishers in the world. This partnership has enabled SBMT to reach out to a larger audience of scientists. https://www.worldbrainmapping.org/Publications/

9 – Legislation and Initiatives
The society works actively with the representatives of various governments in order to leverage its resources and focus attention on healthcare issues through interdisciplinary collaborations. In this regard, SBMT has partnered with Brain Mapping Foundation (BMF) and held 9 Annual Brain Mapping Days at the US Congress. The organization has held Brain Mapping Days at the Australian and Canadian Parliaments. Please visit the following link for a list of current initiatives: https://www.worldbrainmapping.org/Legislation-and-Initiatives/

10 – Healthcare Policy
The first healthcare policy advocacy of SBMT was done in 2004 when the organization pushed for funding for a collaborative network through the office of the Honorable Barbara Boxer and Dian Feinstein of California. In 2008 SBMT introduced formation of Science, Technology, Medicine and Law- Healthcare Policy (STML-Hub) to the US Congress and house of representative in order to establish a center for introducing technological and scientific advancements to the policy makers. The organization hoped that through this hub we could educate policymakers about the state-of-the-art science. This could help policy In 2012 with the help and support of Congressman Moran and Congressional Neuroscience Caucus SBMT advocated report language on “Multidisciplinary Brain Research”. The report language passed through the House and Senate with significant and overwhelming bipartisan support. This legislation
may enable DoD to better focused on integrating nanotechnology, stem cell and cellular therapy and medical imaging/devices in order to rapidly provide solutions for the wounded warriors and civilians with neurological disorders such as PTSD and TBI.

11 – Outreach Program / Student Chapters
Outreach programs including woman and minority in sciences and community awareness of new technology, science and medical advancements. This includes high school and college educational programs run through student chapters worldwide.

12 – Global Physician and Scientists (GPS)
GPS is a humanitarian program, which is focused on mobilizing physicians, scientist and surgeons to serve for few weeks in the poor and rural areas of the United States and abroad. This program will collaborate with industry and government officials and will use the national and international SBMT centers as bases of operations.

13 – Neuroscience 20
The G20 World Brain Mapping & Therapeutic Scientific Summit aims to contribute to President Obama’s BRAIN initiative and to expand action on the current and upcoming initiatives across the G20 nations, bringing the finest scientists, engineers, physicians and surgeons across the globe in order to rapidly introduce clinical solutions for neurological disorders, which cost the world economy hundreds of billions of dollars annually. G20 World Brain Mapping Summit was launched in 2014 on the initiative of The Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics (SBMT).[1]
https://www.worldbrainmapping.org/G20-World-Brain-Mapping-Therapeutics-Initiative/

14. Brain Technology and Innovation Park (BTIP)
Purpose of the Brain Technology & Innovation Park (BTIP) Initiative:
To expedite introduction of diagnostics & therapeutics for neurological disorders by facilitating strategic partnership amongst governmental agencies, academia, various stage biotech & pharmaceutical companies, startups, non-profit organizations, philanthropists, venture funds, hedge funds & angel investors for an Investor Symposium & Workshop
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AD Treatment Panel Discussion: Howard Federoff (Moderator), Qin Wang, Carl Cotman, Margaret Fahnstock, Joy Taylor, Maj-Linda Selenica and Bruce Teter

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8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Oral Posters

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Biography

Saleem Abdulrauf - “TPresidential Lecture: The Future of Neurovascular and Skull-base Neurosurgery” - Friday March 20, 5:10 pm, Concorse Hall 152

A professor of and Chairman of Neurosurgery at St Louis School of Medicine; President of Walter Dandy Society

Biography
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saleem_Abdulrauf

James Peake - “TVA Past and Future” - Friday March 21st
9 AM, Concorse Hall 152

James Benjamin Peake was the sixth United States of Veterans Affairs, serving from 2007 to 2009. He also served as the 40th Surgeon General of the United States Army.

Biography
2020 KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Quin Wang - “The Adrenergic Link Between Amyloid and tau”
Friday March 20, 8 AM, 151 Concourse hall

Dr. Qin Wang received her M.D. degree from Beijing Medical University, China. After traveling to the US, she obtained her Ph.D. degree in December 1999 from University of Iowa. She then did her postdoc work at Vanderbilt University, where she was appointed as a Research Assistant Professor two years later. In June 2005, Dr. Wang joined UAB as an Assistant Professor.

Biography
http://apps.medicine.uab.edu/facultyDirectory/FacultyData.asp?FID=20614

Nicole Hockley - “Epidemics and Neuroscience of Gun Violence: A Big Data Analytic Approach” - Saturday, March 21, 12:45 pm, 151 Concourse hall

Nicole Hockley is a Founder and Managing Director for Sandy Hook Promise (SHP), where she leads and manages the organization’s work, focusing on communications and outreach efforts and frequently serving as its spokesperson.

Biography
https://philanthropyforum.org/people/nicole-hockley/

Montel Williams - “Epidemics and Neuroscience of Gun Violence: A Big Data Analytic Approach” - Saturday, March 21, 12:45 pm, 151 Concourse hall

Montel Brian Anthony Williams (born July 3, 1956) is a former American television personality, radio talk show host, and actor. He is best known as host of the long-running daytime tabloid talk show The Montel Williams Show, which ran in syndication from 1991 to 2008. Williams is active with the nonprofit MS Foundation, which he founded after being diagnosed with multiple sclerosis in 1999. Additionally, Williams is noted for his service in both the U.S. Marine Corps and the U.S. Navy, from which he was honorably discharged after 15 years of service.

Biography
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Montel_Williams
2020 KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

David Cox - “AI and Machine Learning in Neuroscience”
Friday, March 20, 12 pm, 151 Concourse hall

David Cox is the IBM Director of the MIT-IBM Watson AI Lab, a first of its kind industry-academic collaboration between IBM and MIT, focused on fundamental research in artificial intelligence. The Lab was founded with a $240m, 10 year commitment from IBM and brings together researchers at IBM with faculty at MIT to tackle hard problems at the vanguard of AI.

Biography


Nasa Flight Surgeon and Sans Clinical Lead - CNS, and Nasa IRB Physician Member

Biography
https://ntrs.nasa.gov/archive/nasa/casi.ntrs.nasa.gov/20100020255.pdf

Marianne Gausche-Hill - “TEmergency Medical Services in LA”
Friday, March 20, 12 pm Time & Room Number

Medical Director, Los Angeles County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Agency; Professor of Clinical Medicine and Pediatrics, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA; Clinical Faculty, Harbor-UCLA Medical Center; ACEP awards, National Education Award, 2004; “Heroes of Emergency Medicine”, 2008; Outstanding Contribution in EMS, 2014; Speaker of the Year, 2016; PEMSOFT/EBSCO, by ACEP

Biography
https://www.acep.org/acep19/faculty/Profile?id=A062665
Alzheimer’s Disease Conference 2020: Room 409

Organized by: Chris Wheeler, J. Wes Ashford, Maya Koronyo-Hamaoui, Margaret Fahnestock, Rudy Tanzi, and Babak Kateb

Friday, March 20th 10:00-11:30 am
A2 (SLU CME): Alzheimer’s Disease Mechanisms I: Beyond Aβ and Tau

Chairs:

Dr. Margaret Fahnestock
(Professor, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioural Neurosciences, McMaster University)

Dr. John Wesson Ashford
Director, War Related Illness & Injury Study Center, VA Palo Alto Health Care System; Clinical Professor (Affiliated), Psychiatry and Behavioral Science, Stanford University

10:00-10:15 am:
Role of the NGF receptor in age-related axonal degeneration
Margaret Fahnestock, Ph.D. Professor, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioural Neurosciences, McMaster University.

10:15-10:30 am:
A metabotropic glutamate receptor agonist maintains oligodendrocyte function in Alzheimer’s disease.
Cheryl Dreyfus, Ph.D. Distinguished Professor and Chair, Department of Neuroscience & Cell Biology, Rutgers - Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

10:30-10:45 am: Astrocytes in Alzheimer’s disease: Protective or toxic?
Michael V. Sofroniew, Ph.D. Professor of Neurobiology, Brain Research Institute, UCLA

10:45-11:00 am:
TDP-43 cytoplasmic sequestration is regulated by the hypusination of eIF5A in stress induced cellular models.
Maj-Linda Selenica, Ph.D. Assistant Professor, Sanders Brown Center on Aging, UK, KY

11:00-11:15 pm:
Mitochondrial unfolded protein response dysfunction during the progression of AD.
Scott E. Counts, Ph.D. Associate Professor of Translational Neuroscience, Michigan State University

11:15-11:30 am:
Session Discussion
Alzheimer’s Disease Conference 2020: Room 409

Friday, March 20th 1:30-3:00 pm
A14: Alzheimer’s Disease Mechanisms II: Genetics

Chair:

Dr. Carr J. Smith
(Toxicology Advisor at Albemarle Corporation)

1:30-1:45:
Putative Survival Advantages in Young Apolipoprotein ε4 Carriers are Associated with Increased Neural Stress.
Carr J. Smith, Ph.D. Toxicology Advisor, Albemarle Corporation

1:45-2:00:
Does large dose DHA supplementation slow cognitive decline in APOE4 carriers? PREVENTE4 trial.
Hussein Yassine M.D. Assistant Professor of Medicine, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California

2:00-2:15:
Isoform-specific effects of histone variants on memory.
Iva Zovkic, Ph.D. Assistant Professor of Psychology, University of Toronto

2:15-2:30:
Jamaica Perry, Senior Product Scientist, 23andMe

2:30-2:45:
Spastic Paraparesis in Autosomal Dominant Alzheimer’s disease: What’s up with that?
John Ringman, M.D. Professor of Clinical Neurology, University of Southern California

2:45-3:00 pm: Session Discussion
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Friday, March 20th 3:30-5:00 pm 
A26: Alzheimer’s Disease Mechanisms III: 
Brain-Immune Interactions & Inflammation 

Chairs: 
Dr. Maya Koronyo-Hamaoui  
(Associate Professor of Neurosurgery, Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences, Research Scientist Maxine Dunitz Neurosurgical Institute, Cedars Sinai) 
Dr. Chris Wheeler  
(Senior Research Scientist at Brain Mapping Foundation; Chief Science Officer at T-Neuro Pharma, Inc.) 

3:30-3:45 pm:  
ACE-overexpressing Macrophages Alleviate Alzheimer’s-Related Pathology and Cognitive Function  
Maya Koronyo-Hamaoui, Ph.D. Associate Professor, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center 

3:45-4:00 pm: 
APOE4 and neuroinflammation in Alzheimer’s disease: mechanisms and insights.  
Hussein Yassine M.D. Assistant Professor of Medicine, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California 

4:00-4:15 pm: 
Neuroinflammation in a hypertensive transgenic Alzheimer rat model of mixed model of dementia.  
Sally Frautschy, Ph.D. Professor in Residence of Neurology, David Geffen School of Medicine, University of California Los Angeles 

4:15-4:30 pm: 
Role of hematopoietic aging in cognitive decline 
Helen S. Goodridge, Ph.D. Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences and Medicine, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center 

4:30-4:45 pm: 
Antigen-specific CD8 T cells in blood elicit AD-like neurodegeneration in mice and track AD occurrence in patients  
Chris Wheeler, Ph.D. Senior Research Scientist, Brain Mapping Foundation; Chief Science Officer, T-Neuro Pharma, Inc. 

4:45-5:00 pm: Session Discussion
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B38 (SLU CME): Alzheimer’s Disease Diagnosis I: Biomarkers

Chair:

Dr. Howard Federoff
(Vice Chancellor, Health Affairs & CEO at UC Irvine Health)

10:00-10:15 am:
Insights into cognitive dysfunction from analysis of supernormals.
Howard Federoff M.D, Ph.D. Vice Chancellor, Health Affairs & CEO, University of California, Irvine

10:15-10:30 am:
APTUS-AP™: Measurement of plasma Aβ42/40 concentration ratios by mass spectrometry predicts brain amyloidosis in banked samples from multiple, diverse cohorts.
Tim West, Ph.D. VP, Research and Development, C2N Diagnostics

10:30-10:45 am:
Rise, fall, or maintain: latent cognitive aging trajectories and neurobiological associations
Auriel Willette, Ph.D. Assistant Professor of Food Science and Human Nutrition, Iowa State University

10:45-11:00 am:
Is the p3 (A17-40, A17-42) peptide relevant to the pathology of Alzheimer’s Disease?
Jevgenij Raskatov Ph.D. Assistant Professor, Physical & Biological Sciences Division, University of California Santa Cruz

11:00-11:15 am:
Neuroimaging biomarkers for Alzheimer disease in Down syndrome.
Elizabeth Head, Ph. D. Professor of Pathology, University of California Irvine

11:15-11:30 am:
Session Discussion
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Chair:
Dr. Maya Koronyo-Hamaoui (Associate Professor of Neurosurgery, Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences, Research Scientist Maxine Dunitz Neurosurgical Institute, Cedars Sinai)

1:00-1:15 pm:
Imaging amyloid beta in the retina.
Steven Verdooner, CEO, Neurovision Imaging

1:15-1:30 pm:
Retinal amyloid imaging in patients with amnestic MCI
Oana Dumitrascu, M.D. Assistant Professor of Neurology, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

1:30-1:45 pm:
Delia Cabrera DeBuc, Ph.D. Research Associate Professor of Ophthalmology, University of Miami Health System

1:45-2:00 pm:
Snapshot hyperspectral retinal imaging for early diagnosis of AD
Liang Gao, Ph.D. Adjunct Assistant Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Illinois

2:00-2:15 pm:
Hyperspectral Imaging Signatures Detect Amyloidopathy in the Retina of Alzheimer’s Disease patients
Swati S. More, Ph.D. Associate Professor, Center for Drug Design (CDD), University of Minnesota

2:15-2:30 pm:
Session Discussion
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Saturday, March 21st 3:00-4:30 pm
B62 (SLE CME): Alzheimer’s Disease Diagnosis III: Brain Imaging, Brain Stimulation (rTMS)

Chairs:

Dr. Allyson Rosen
(Clinical Associate Professor (Affiliated) [Vapahcs], Psych/Public Mental Health & Population Sciences Staff, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences)

Dr. Joy Taylor
(Clinical Professor in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at Stanford University School of Medicine, Associate Director of the Stanford/VA California Alzheimer’s Disease Center and the Associate Director of the Stanford/VA Aging Clinical Research Center)

3:00-3:15 pm:
Tracking pathways in the brain related to AD, TBI
Ansgar Furst, Ph.D. Associate Director of Neuroimaging Laboratory, War Related Illness & Injury Study Center, (WRIISC), VA Palo Alto Health Care System, Stanford University

3:15-3:30 pm:
Neuronavigation for brain stimulation / rTMS
Allyson Rosen, Ph.D. Director of Dementia Education, Mental Illness Research & Education Center, MIRECC, VA Palo Alto Health Care System, Stanford University

3:30-3:45 pm:
Network-targeted Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (TMS) for Mild Cognitive Impairment
Joy Taylor, Ph.D. Clinical Researcher, Mental Illness Research & Education Center, MIRECC, VA Palo Alto Health Care System, Stanford University

3:45-4:00 pm:
rTMS for Alzheimer’s disease
Joseph Cheng, M.D. Mental Illness Research & Education Center, MIRECC, VA Palo Alto Health Care System, Stanford University

4:00-4:15 pm:
Diffusion Tensor Tractography of the Brainstem and Relevant for rTMS
Yu Zhang, Ph.D. War Related Illness & Injury Study Center, (WRIISC), VA Palo Alto Health Care System, Stanford University

4:15-4:30 pm:
Session Discussion
Alzheimer’s Disease Conference 2020: Room 409

Sunday, March 22nd 10:00-11:30 am

C74: Lifestyle Intervention in Alzheimer’s Disease Prevention and Treatment

Chairs:

Dr. Carl W. Cotman
(Professor of Neurology, School of Medicine. Director, Institute for Brain Aging and Dementia, Research and Graduate Studies)

Dr. Margaret Fahnestock
(Professor, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioural Neurosciences, McMaster University)

10:00-10:15 am:
Exercise and Cognitive Stimulation Drive Youthful Gene Signatures in the Aging Human Hippocampus
Carl W. Cotman, Ph.D. Professor of Neurology, University of California Irvine

10:15-10:30 am:
Exercise opens a ‘molecular memory window’ to facilitate memory and synaptic plasticity
Ashley Keiser, Ph.D. Postdoctoral Fellow, University of California Irvine

10:30-10:45 am:
Use it and boost it with physical and mental activity: A role for BDNF in brain plasticity associated with lifestyle enrichment
Donna Korol, Ph.D. Associate Professor of Biology, Syracuse University

10:45-11:00 am:
Beneficial effects of a single session of high-intensity interval training (HIIT)
Margaret Fahnestock, Ph.D. Professor, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioural Neurosciences, McMaster University

11:00-11:15 am:
Single cell substrates of AD pathology and dietary treatment
Fernando Gomez-Pinilla, Ph.D. Professor and Director of the Neurotrophic Research Laboratory with secondary appointment in Physiological Science, University of California Los Angeles

11:15-11:30
Session Discussion
Alzheimer’s Disease Conference 2020: Room 409

Sunday, March 22nd 1:00-2:30 pm

C86 (SLE CME): Alzheimer’s Disease Treatment I:
Traditional Targets and New Horizons

Chairs:

Dr. Maj-Linda Selenica (Assistant Professor, Sanders Brown Center on Aging)

Dr. Chris Wheeler (Senior Research Scientist at Brain Mapping Foundation; Chief Science Officer at T-Neuro Pharma, Inc.)

1:00-1:15 pm: Immunotherapeutic strategies in Alzheimer’s disease: pre-clinical studies in transgenic mice
Hayk Davtyan, Ph.D. Associate Research Professor, University of California Irvine.

1:15-1:30 pm: Astrocyte signaling as a therapeutic target for Alzheimer’s disease and related disorders.
Christopher Norris, Ph.D. Professor, Pharmacology and Nutritional Sciences, University of Kentucky

1:30-1:45 pm: Therapeutic targeting of the oxytocin receptor for vascular and mixed dementia
Scott Counts, Ph.D. Associate Professor of Translational Neuroscience, Michigan State University

1:45-2:00 pm: ApoE genotypes differentially regulate central carbon metabolism
Ron Brunzt, Ph.D. Scientist III, Molecular & Cellular Biochemistry, University of Kentucky.

2:00-2:15 pm: Immunotherapy against cit-tau.
Maj-Linda Selenica, Ph.D. Assistant Professor, Sanders Brown Center on Aging. UK, KY

2:15-2:30 pm: Session Discussion
Alzheimer’s Disease Conference 2020: Room 409

Sunday, March 22nd 4:00-5:30 pm

C98 (SLU CME): Alzheimer’s Disease Treatment II: Mechanistic & Alternative Targets

Chair:

Dr. Bruce Teter
(Associate Professor of Neurology, UCLA; Associate of GRECC at GLA Veterans Administration)

4:00-4:15 pm: C5a and Traumatic Brain Injury.
Paul Denver, Ph.D. Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Department of Neurology, University of California Los Angeles

4:15-4:30 pm: Dietary Lipids, ApoE4 and Alzheimer Prevention.
Gregory M. Cole, Ph.D. Professor of Medicine and Neurology and Associate Director of the UCLA Alzheimer’s Center, University of California Los Angeles

4:30-4:45 pm: ApoE4-targeted therapeutic candidate that normalizes SirT1 and improves cognition in an AD model
Patricia Spilman, M.A. Senior Staff Scientist at Drug Discovery Laboratory, Department of Neurology, University of California Los Angeles

4:45-5:00 pm: Massive internet testing of theoretical but practical AD treatments (Statins, NSAIDs, Lithium, Magnesium, exercise and diet).
Wes Ashford, Ph.D. Director, War Related Illness & Injury Study Center, (WRIISC), VA Palo Alto Health Care System, Stanford University

5:00-5:15 pm: Apolipoprotein E and Exercise in Epigenetic Regulation of microRNA146a.
Bruce Teter, Ph.D. Associate Professor of Neurology, University of California Los Angeles

5:15-5:30 pm: Session Discussion
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Organized by: Dr. Robert Thatcher, Dr. Warren Boling, Dr. Zoltan Mari, Dr. Babak Kateb

Friday, March 20th 10:00-11:30 am
A6: New Advancements in Electrical Neuroimaging: Neuro-Surgical Planning and Pre vs Post Surgery Assessment

CHAIR:

Chair & Recipient of SBMT 2020 Pioneer in Medicine Award:
Dr. Robert Thatcher (Applied Neuroscience, Inc., CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute, www.appliedneuroscience.com)

10:00-10:15 am: Neuro-navigation of Functional and Effective Connectivity in Epilepsy
Dr. Robert Thatcher, Ph.D. CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute

10:15-10:30 am: Dr. Joel Lubar, Ph.D. Electrical Neuroimaging of Epileptic Foci and Affected Networks
President Southeastern Neurofeedback Institute

10:30-10:45 am: Electrical Neuroimaging for Pre vs Post Treatment Evaluation
Dr. Dale Foster, Ph.D. Clinical Neuropsychologist; NeuroSource, LLC

10:45-11:00 am: 3-Dimensional EEG Evaluation of Brain Networks
Dr. William Lambos, Ph.D. Licensed Psychologist, BCN & Certified Neuropsychologist NESTRE Health and Performance, LLC

11:00-11:15 am: Electrical Neuroimaging and Diffusion Tensor Imaging
Dr. Richard Abbey, Ph.D. Clinical Neuropsychologist, Clinical Psychologist, Abbey Neuropsychology Clinic

11:15-11:30 am: Session Discussion
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Friday, March 20th 1:30-3:00 pm
A18: Epilepsy and Intraoperative Brain Mapping (JHU CME)

Chairs:

Dawn Eliashiv (Professor Co-Director, UCLA Seizure Disorder Center UCLA Department of Neurology)
Dr. Warren Boling (Professor and Chairman, Department of Neurosurgery Loma Linda University)

1:30-1:45 pm: Post-traumatic Epileptogenesis and Its Biomarkers
Dr. Mohammad Dastjerdi, MD Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology, Loma Linda University

1:45-2:00 pm: Surgical Treatment of Epilepsy. A Brief History and Future Directions
Dr. Warren Boling, MD Professor and Chairman, Department of Neurosurgery, Loma Linda University

2:00-2:15 pm: The challenges in converting research and development into successful commercial products or services
Dr. Gordon Baltzer President of MEGIN

2:15-2:30 pm: Neuro stimulation network-based therapy for Epilepsy
Dr. Dawn Eliashiv, MD Professor, Co-Director, UCLA Seizure Disorder Center UCLA Department of Neurology

2:30-2:45 pm: The State of High-quality Dry and ‘Almost-Dry’ EEG Electrodes for Research and Clinical Applications
Dr. Yu Mike Chi, Ph.D. CEO, Cognionics, Inc. and CGX LLC.

2:45-3:00 pm: Session Discussion
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Friday, March 20th 3:30-5:00 pm

A30: MEG/EEG Clinical Applications (JHU CME); The EEG and MEG NeuroNavigator for the Evaluation of Epilepsy and Brain Network Dysregulation Using a Lifespan Normative Database from Birth to Senescence.

Chair:

Dr. Robert Thatcher (Applied Neuroscience, Inc., CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute, www.appliedneuroscience.com)

3:30-3:45 pm: Real-Time Electrical Neuroimaging of the Cerebellum, Red Nucleus and Sub-Thalamus: Future Applications in Parkinsonism and Ataxia.
Dr. Robert Thatcher, Ph.D. CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute

3:45-4:00 pm: Real-Time swLORETA EEG Neurofeedback of Veterans with PTSD
Dr. Dale Foster, Ph.D. Clinical Neuropsychologist; NeuroSource, LLC

4:00-4:15 pm: Real-Time swLORETA EEG Neurofeedback of Autistic Spectrum Disorder
Dr. Richard Abbey, Ph.D. Clinical Neuropsychologist, Clinical Psychologist, Abbey Neuropsychology Clinic

4:15-4:30 pm: Electrical Neuroimaging of in Epilepsy Patients
Dr. Joel Lubar, Ph.D. President Southeastern Neurofeedback institute

4:30-4:45 pm: Real-Time swLORETA EEG Neurofeedback of TBI Patients
Dr. William Lambos, Ph.D. Licensed Psychologist, BCN & Certified Neuropsychologist NESTRE Health and Performance, LLC

4:45-5:00 pm: Session Discussion
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Saturday, March 21st 10:00-11:30 am
B42: Practical Advances in Electrical Neuroimaging: Hands On Training

Chair:
Dr. Robert Thatcher (Applied Neuroscience, Inc., CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute, www.appliedneuroscience.com)

10:00-10:15 am: Electrical Neuroimaging and Diffusion Tensor Imaging of Functional and Effective Connectivity
Dr. Robert Thatcher, Ph.D. CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute

10:15-10:30 am: Time Domain Evaluation of Epileptic Foci and Networks
Dr. Ernesto P. Soler, Ph.D. Applied Neuroscience, Inc., Senior Scientist & Software Engineer

10:30-10:45 am: Real-time Electrical Neuroimaging of the Cerebellum, Red Nucleus and Subthalamus
Dr. Joel Lubar, Ph.D. President Southeastern Neurofeedback Institute

10:45-11:00 am: Wireless Neuro-navigation with Dry EEG Electrodes
Dr. Yu Mike Chi, Ph.D. CEO, Cognionics, Inc. and CGX LLC.

11:00-11:15 am: Real-Time swLORETA EEG Neurofeedback in PTSD
Dr. William Lambos, Ph.D. Licensed Psychologist, BCN & Certified Neuropsychologist NESTRE Health and Performance, LLC

11:15-11:30 am: Session Discussion
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Saturday, March 21st 1:00-2:30 pm

B54: MEG/EEG Clinical Applications II

Chairs:

Dr. Leslie S. Prichep (Chief Scientific Officer, BrainScope Company, Inc.)

Dr. Robert Thatcher (Applied Neuroscience, Inc., CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute, www.appliedneuroscience.com)

1:00-1:15 pm: Triage of acute traumatic brain injury using electrophysiological biomarkers
Dr. Leslie S. Prichep, Ph.D. Chief Scientific Officer BrainScope Company

1:15-1:30 pm: QEEG optimization of TMS treatment
Dr. Robert Isenhart, M.S. Chief Scientist, Wave Neuroscience

1:30-1:45 pm: Electrical Neuroimaging: Linking Symptoms to Dysregulated Networks
Dr. Richard Abbey, Ph.D. Clinical Neuropsychologist, Clinical Psychologist, Abbey Neuropsychology Clinic

1:45-2:00 pm: MEG and EEG Neuroimaging of Functional and Effective Connectivity
Dr. Ernesto P. Soler, Ph.D. Applied Neuroscience, Inc., Senior Scientist & Software Engineer

2:00-2:15 pm: Real-Time Electrical Neuroimaging and EEG Neuromodulation
Dr. William Lambos, Ph.D. Licensed Psychologist, BCN & Certified Neuropsychologist NESTRE Health and Performance, LLC

2:15-2:30 pm: Session Discussio
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Saturday, March 21st 3:00-4:30 pm

B66: Epilepsy & Neurophysiology (JHU CME)

Chairs:

3:00-3:15 pm: Transcranial direct current stimulation to improve motor function in Parkinson’s disease
Dr. Brach Poston, PhD Assistant Professor University of Nevada Las Vegas, Department of Kinesiology and Nutrition Sciences

3:15-3:30 pm: Natural typing as a digital biomarker for fine motor impairment
Dr. Teresa Arroyo-Gallegos, PhD Chief Data Scientist at nQ Medical

3:30-3:45 pm Neuro-engineering and Neuro-Ventures: Neuro-sensing Innovations and a War Story on the Launching of a Venture to Treat Epilepsy
Dr. Daniel Dilorenzo, MD, PhD, MBA Assistant Professor, Neurosurgery and Biomedical Sciences, Loma Linda University / Attending Neurosurgeon, Loma Linda VA Medical Center / President Barinetics Corporation

3:45-4:00 pm Multi Electrode Array (MEA) Technology: Understanding the Neurophysiological Characteristics of Neural Networks Modeling Neurological Disorders In-vitro
Dr. Laszlo Grand, PhD Senior Researcher, Peter Pazmany University, Budapest, Hungary Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology and Neurosurgery, The Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore CEO, APPERCELL Biotech Ltd., Budapest, Hungary R&D Director, Polaritas-GM Ltd., Budapest, Hungary

4:00-4:15 pm “Oscillotherapy – Closed-loop transcranial electric stimulation in epilepsy and PTSD”
Dr. Antal Berenyi, MD, PhD Principal Investigator/senior lecturer; Interdisciplinary Center of Excellence, University of Szeged, Szeged, Hungary / Chief Scientific Officer, Neunos Ltd, Szeged, Hungary / Adjunct Assistant Professor, Neuroscience Institute, New York University, NY

4:15-4:30 pm: Session Discussion

Dr. Zoltan Mari
Ruvo Family Chair and Director Parkinson’s & Movement Disorders Center, Cleveland Clinic Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health, Member of the Science Committee, Chair of Movement Disorders/Neurodegenerative Diseases Subcommittee
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Sunday, March 22nd 10:00-11:30 am
C78: MEG Sensors (JHU CME)

Chairs:

Dr. Peter Schwindt (Distinguished Member of Technical Staff Sandia National Laboratories)

Dr. Amir Borna (Senior Member of Technical Staff Sandia National Laboratories)

10:00-10:15 am: Moving Closer to the Brain: Introduction to On-Scalp Magnetoencephalography
Dr. Peter Schwindt, PhD Distinguished Member of Technical Staff Sandia National Laboratories

10:15-10:30 am: Next Generation Magnetoencephalography (MEG)
Dr. Vishal Shah, PhD Chief Scientist, QuSpin, Inc., CO, US

10:30-10:45 am: Next Generation Neuroimaging with Optically Pumped Magnetometer Magnetoencephalography (OPM-MEG)
Mr. Ryan Hill MEG Researcher, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom

10:45-11:00 am: Towards a MEG system with microfabricated OPMs
Dr. Svenja Knappe, PhD Associate Research Professor, University of Colorado, Fieldline, Inc.

11:00-11:15 am: Non-Invasive Functional-Brain-Imaging with an OPM-based Magnetoencephalography System
Dr. Amir Borna, PhD Senior Member of Technical Staff, Sandia National Laboratories, NM, US

11:15-11:30 am: Session Discussion
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Sunday, March 22nd 1:00-2:30 pm

C90: MEG/EEG Sensors

Chair:

Dr. Yu Mike Chi, Ph.D.
(Cognionics, Inc., CEO and CGX LLC)

1:00-1:15 pm: Tripolar Concentric Ring Electrodes for Two-Way Brain Communication
Dr. Prof. Walt Besio, PhD Dept. of Electrical Computer and Biomedical Engineering, University of Rhode Island

1:15-1:30 pm: EEG biomarkers of stroke recovery
Dr. Prof. Steven Cramer, MD Profesor of Neurology, UCLA

1:30-1:45 pm: Soft Molded Dry EEG Electrodes
Dr. Gary Vissing Business Development Manager, Datwyler Sealing Solutions

1:45-2:00 pm: Studying volition by combining EEG with physiological monitoring, TMS, flotation tank, and other measures
Dr. Prof. Uri Maoz, PhD Assistant Professor, Member of the Institute for Interdisciplinary Brain and Behavioral Sciences

2:00-2:15 pm: Big and Crucial Issues (BCIs) in taking BCIs outside the Laboratory
Prof. Tzyy-Ping Jung, PhD Co-Director, Center for Advanced Neurological Engineering, Institute for Neural Computation (INC) and Institute of Engineering in Medicine (IEM), University of California, San Diego (UCSD)

2:15-2:30 pm: Session Discussion
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Sunday, March 22nd 3:00-5:30 pm
C102: Software Session for MEG/EEG; The Neuro-Navigator for EEG Source and Connectivity Analyses of Cortical and Cerebellar Network Nodes

Chairs:

Dr. Robert Thatcher (Applied Neuroscience, Inc., CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute, www.appliedneuroscience.com)
Dr. Ernesto Palmero Soler (Applied Neuroscience, Inc., Senior Scientist & Software Engineer)

4:00-4:15 pm: Real-Time swLORETA Cerebellar EEG Neurofeedback of Parkinson Patients
Dr. Robert Thatcher, Ph.D. CEO and Director Applied Neuroscience Research Institute

4:15-4:30 pm: Modern Software Tools for MEG/EEG
Dr. Nicholas Peatfield Ph.D. CEO, Proto-Me

4:30-4:45 pm: MEG and EEG Neuroimaging of Functional and Effective Connectivity
Dr. Ernesto P. Soler, Ph.D. Applied Neuroscience, Inc., Senior Scientist & Software Engineer

4:45-5:00 pm: Electrical Neuroimaging and Seizure Localization
Dr. Joel Lubar, Ph.D. President Southeastern Neurofeedback Institute

5:00-5:15 pm: Neuronavigation of EEG Functional and Effective Connectivity and Diffusion Tensor Imaging in TBI patients
Dr. Dale Foster, Ph.D. Clinical Neuropsychologist; NeuroSource, LLC

5:15-5:30 pm: Session Discussion
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Organized by: Dr. Robert Thatcher, Dr. Warren Boling, Dr. Zoltan Mari, Dr. Babak Kateb

Thursday, March 19th: Workshop

Friday, March 20th 10:00-11:30 am
A3: Novel Therapeutics for Combat-Related PTSD

Chair: Michael Roy, MD, MPH
Director, Division of Military Internal Medicine and Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD.

10:00-10:15: Deep Data Analysis of Blood and Imaging Correlates of Post-traumatic Stress Symptoms Following Military Concussive TBI
Pashtun Shahim, MD, PhD, Staff Scientist, RMD at Clinical Center, National Institutes of Health Research Scientist Center for Neuroscience and Regenerative Medicine, Bethesda, MD.

10:15-10:30 Reconsolidation of Traumatic Memories (RTM) protocol: a novel intervention for PTSD
Rick Gray, PhD, Research Director, Research & Recovery Project, Cornell, NY.

10:30-10:45. Update on Realtime Amygdala-Focused Neurofeedback to Treat PTSD
Jerzy Bodurka, PhD, Laureate Institute: Chief Technology Officer, Director, MRI and EEG Facility, Laureate Institute for Brain Research and Associate Professor, University of Oklahoma.

10:45-11:00 Symptoms, Imaging, and Autonomic Outcomes after HIRREM for Symptoms of Military-related Traumatic Stress
Charles Tegeler, MD, Professor of Neurology, Wake Forest University School of Medicine.

11:00-11:15 Art Therapy and creative self-expression for service members and veterans with PTSD, TBI and Gulf War Illness
Girija Kaimal, EdD, MA, ATR-BC, Associate Professor, PhD Program in Creative Arts Therapies Department of Creative Arts Therapies President Elect, AmericanTherapy Association Faculty Senate representative (CNHP) Drexel University.

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
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Friday, March 20th 1:30-3:00 pm

A15: (CME) Innovative Diagnostic and Treatment Approaches in Military TBI.

Chairs:

Michael Roy, MD, MPH
Director, Division of Military Internal Medicine and Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD.

Ken Green, MD
Vice President of Strategic Initiatives for Government and Nonprofit Partnerships, SBMT

1:30-1:45: Allostatic Neurotechnology, a Novel Approach for Re-setting the Brain to Relieve Postconcussive Symptoms
Michael Roy, MD, MPH, Director, Division of Military Internal Medicine and Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD.

1:45-2:00: Innovative Use of the Computer-Assisted Rehabilitation Environment (CAREN) to address TBI, PTSD, and Sleep Difficulties in Military Service Members.
Pinata Sessoms, PhD, Director, CAREN Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA

2:00-2:15: Preliminary Results of the 3MDR Clinical Trial to Treat PTSD after Mild TBI with and without Eye Movement
Michael Roy, MD, MPH, Director, Division of Military Internal Medicine and Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD.

2:15-2:30: Rehabilitation and Neuromarker Identification for mTBI Patients using Immersive Virtual Reality Environments
Weimin Zhang, PhD, and Senior Neuroscientist, Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA.

2:30-2:45: State of the Science on TBI in 2020
Dallas Hack, MD, Colonel, US Army (Retired), Cohen Veterans Bioscience

2:45-3:00 Session Discussion
Military Medicine Conference 2020: Room 406B

Friday, March 20th 3:00-5:00 pm

A27: (CME) Suicide

Chair: Michael Roy, MD, MPH
Director, Division of Military Internal Medicine and Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD.

Ken Green, MD
Vice President of Strategic Initiatives for Government and Nonprofit Partnerships, SBMT

3:30-3:45: Neuropathologic Findings that Distinguish Suicide from other Causes of Death
Daniel Perl, MD, USU TBI Research Center, Director of Brain Bank and Neuropathology

3:45-4:00: Disseminating Evidence Based Practice in Suicide Prevention and Treatment for Military Communities
Sharon Birman USU

4:00-4:15: Understanding and Preventing Suicide. What we Know, What we Think We Know, and What We Will Never Know
Ken Green, MD Vice President of Strategic Initiatives for Government and Nonprofit Partnerships, SBMT

4:15-4:30: Can AI Save Lives? Big Data and Machine Learning in Suicide Prevention
David Luxton, PhD, MS, Associate Professor of Psychiatry University of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle, WA and Rona Margaret Relova, MD VA Palo Alto Healthcare System

4:30-4:45: Addressing Suicide in the US Air Force
Colonel Caesar Junker, USAF Surgeon General’s Office

4:45-5:00 Session Discussion
Military Medicine Conference 2020: Room 406B

Saturday, March 21st 10:00-11:30 am
B39: (CME) Subconcussive Blast Exposure

Chair:

Michael Roy, MD, MPH
Director, Division of Military Internal Medicine and Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD.

Josh Duckworth
Bremerton Naval Hospital, Bremerton, WA

10:00-10:15: Assessment of Blast in U.S. Military Special Forces
Jennifer N. Belding, PhD, Behavioral health researcher at Naval Health Research Center, San Diego California.

10:15-10:30: Investigating Training-Associated Blast Pathology: The INVICTA Study
David Keyser, USU.

10:30-10:45: Combat and training Queryable Exposure/event Repository: The CONQUER Program
Josh Duckworth, Bremerton Naval Hospital, Bremerton, WA

10:45-11:00: Audiologic Impact of SCBE
Doug Brungart, WRNMMC

11:00-11:15: Service Academy Athletes and the NCAA Study
Paul Pasquina, Chair, Dept of Rehabilitation Medicine, and Director, Center for Rehabilitation Sciences Research, USU

11:15-11:30: Session Discussion
Military Medicine Conference 2020: Room 406B
Saturday, March 21st 1:00-2:30 pm
B51: (CME) Diagnostic, Pathology and Epidemiology of TBI in Veterans

Chair: Stuart Hoffman

1:00-1:18: Association of Blast with VA Service Connected Disability, Comorbidities, Health-Services Utilization and Costs: Initial CENC Findings
Clara E. Dismuke, PhD, Health Services Research Enhancement Award Program Ralph H. Johnson VA Medical Center Medical University of South Carolina Center for Health Economics and Policy Studies

1:20-1:38: TBI and Medical Imaging: A picture is worth a thousand words, but is it really saying anything important
David Tate, PhD, University of Utah School of Medicine, Neurology Associate Professor.

1:40-1:58: Opioid and Sedative-Hypnotic Medication Use among Veterans with TBI
Kathleen Carlson, Ph.D., HSR&D Center to Improve Veteran Involvement in Care (CIVIC), VA Portland Health Care System (R&D 66)

2:00-2:18: Long Term Impact of Mild TBI on Bone Metabolism: Brain-Bone Connection
Mohan Subburaman, Ph.D, VA Loma Linda Healthcare System

2:18-2:30 Session Discussion
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Saturday, March 21st 3:00-4:30 pm

B63: Social Impact, Cost and Initiatives relating to Opioid Epidemic

Chair:

Daniel Sipple  
Pain Management Board  
Certified in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Board  
Certified in Pain Medicine

Brian Norling

3:00-3:15 Impact and initiatives relating to California's opioid epidemic  
Mr. Ken Cooley, California State Assembly, 8th Assembly District

3:15-4:30: Data trends involving the opioid epidemic in California and prevention components  
Elizabeth Jones, MPH, Health Education Consultant III, California Department of Public Health

3:30-3:45: Outcome-based compensation for Behavioral Healthcare Providers.  
Tom Meier, PhD, CAO NUWAY Minneapolis, Minnesota

3:45-4:00: PACE model for disenfranchised Veterans  
Dave Wensel, MD, Midland Care Connection

4:00-4:15: Neurobiological Correlates of Rumi Therapy  
Nevzah Tarhan, MD, President of Üsküdar University, Turkey

4:15-4:30 Session Discussion
Military Medicine Conference 2020: Room 406B
Sunday, March 22nd 10:00-11:30 am
C75: Portable Neuromodulation Stimulation and the treatment of symptoms of disease or trauma: Experimental and clinical evidence

Chair:
Ken Green, MD
Vice President of Strategic Initiatives for Government and Nonprofit Partnerships, SBMT
Teodoro “Jun” Tigno, MD
USU Dept of Surgery

10:00-10:15am: Using Advanced Radiology Techniques to Diagnose Traumatic Brain Injury in 2020
Keyne Johnson, MD, Pediatric Neurosurgeon, Brain and Spine Institute for Children, American Association of Neurological Surgeons, Cognitive Neuroscience Society..

10:15-10:30: Preliminary Report on Venous Thrombosis Chemoprophylaxis in the Management of Wartime Head Injuries
Teodoro “Jun” Tigno, MD, USU Dept of Surgery

10:30-10:45am: Potential Applications of MRI with Ultra-high Performance Gradients for TBI Microstructure Imaging
Robert Shih, MD, (WRNMMC Radiology)

10:45-11:00am: The PoNS™ journey: a multidisciplinary collaboration
Phil Deschamps, CEO (Helius Medical Technologies)

11:00-11:15am: Clinical trials of PoNS™ in various neurological diseases
Harry Kovelman, MD, CEO/President (Helius Medical Technologies)

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
Military Medicine Conference 2020: Room 406B

Sunday, March 22nd 1:00-2:30 pm

C87: (CME) Advances in Neurorehabilitation for Veterans with TBI

Chair: Stuart Hoffman

1:00-1:18: Sleep Disturbances in TBI: From Bench to Bedside, and Beyond
Miranda Lim, MD, PhD., OHSU Assistant Professor of Neurology School of Medicine Behavioral Neuroscience Graduate Program School of Medicine

1:20-1:38: Non-pharmacological interventions for insomnia in mild TBI
Ansgar Furst, PhD., Stanford University, Clinical Associate Professor (Affiliated) [VAPAHCS]

1:40-1:58: Compensatory Cognitive Training Interventions to Improve Cognition and Functioning in Neuropsychiatric Disorders
Elizabeth Twamley, PhD, Professor in Residency, USCD Health Sciences.

2:00-2:18: Treatment of Persistent Cognitive Symptoms Following Concussion
Amy Jak, Ph.D Associate Director, Clinical Research Unit University of California, San Diego (UCSD) and a Staff Neuropsychologist and Director of the TBI Cognitive Rehabilitation Clinic at the Veterans Affairs San Diego Healthcare System.

2:18-2:30 Session Discussion
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Sunday, March 22nd 3:00-4:30 pm
C99: Acquired Spine and Brain Injuries

Chairs:

Michael Roy, MD, MPH
Director, Division of Military Internal Medicine and Professor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University, Bethesda, MD.

Alejandro Esteban Mercado Santori, MD
Professor and Chairman of Neurosurgery, Hospital Militar, Mendoza Argentina

3:00-3:15: Combat Casualty Care
Alejandro Esteban Mercado Santori, MD, Professor and Chairman of Neurosurgery, Hospital Militar, Mendoza Argentina

3:15-4:30: Legal Aspects of Neurotrauma
Mr. Michael Flomenhaft, New York Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI)/Concussion Lawyer The Flomenhaft Law Firm, PLLC

3:30-3:45: Translational Research In The Detection Of Brain Injury
Dr. Meijun Ye, Principal Investigator of Neurological Devices Laboratory, FDA

3:45-4:00: Management of Extreme Cervical Deformity
Haroon F. Choudhri, M.D., FAANS, Hudson Neurosurgery

4:00-4:15: TBD
SPEAKER TBA

4:15-4:30 Session Discussion
Neuro-Engineering Conference 2020: Warren Grundfest Neuro-Engineering Memorial - Room 150A

Organized By: Dr. Ted Berger, Dr. R.Werne, Dr. Dong Song, Dr. Babak Kateb, Dr. Jean-Marie C Bouteiller and Dr. Seung-Shick Yoo

Friday, March 20th 10:00-11:30 am
A7: Neural Engineering I: Addressing Challenges in Cochlear Implants (JHU CME)

Dr. Ted Berger PhD.
(Director, Center for Neural Engineering, Professor of Biomedical Engineering, USC)

10:00-10:15 am: Challenges and opportunities in cochlear implants.
Dr. Prof. Fan-Gang Zeng, PhD Professor and Director, Center for Hearing Research, University of California Irvine

10:15-10:30 am: A Manufacturer’s Perspective on Challenges in Cochlear Implantation
Dr. Leonid Litvak, PhD Director of Research and Development, Advanced Bionics Corporation

10:30-10:45 am: Neural modeling in auditory prostheses
Dr. Prof. Hiroyuki Mino, PhD Professor of Biomedical Engineering, Kanto Gakuin University

10:45-11:00 am: Unobtrusive in-ear electrophysiology
Dr. Prof. Gert Cauwenberghs, PhD Professor of Bioengineering, Co-Director, Institute for Neural Computation Jacobs School of Engineering; University of California, San Diego

11:00-11:15 am: NIH support for cochlear implant research and development
Dr. Roger Miller, PhD Program Director, National Institutes of Health / National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders

11:15-11:30 am: Session Discussion
A19: Neural Engineering II: Neuro-Modulation and Ultrasound

Chairs:

Dr. Namath Hussain  
(Neurosurgeon, Loma Linda University, Department of Neurosurgery)

Dr. Spencer Brinker  
(Associate Research Scientist, Yale School of Medicine)

1:30-1:45 pm: Modulation of human anti-saccade behavior using transcranial focused ultrasound  
Dr. Hyungmin Kim, PhD Senior Researcher, Korea Institute of Science and Technology (KIST) on leave to CalTech

1:45-2:00 pm: Safety of the Neuro-modulatory FUS in human epilepsy experimental treatments  
Dr. Alexander Bystritsky, MD, PhD Professor Emeritus, Professor Emeritus University of California of Los Angeles

2:00-2:15 pm: Low Intensity focused ultrasound as a non-invasive intervention in disorders of consciousness  
Mr. Joshua Cain on behalf of Dr. Martin Monti Associate Professor, University of California of Los Angeles

2:15-2:30 pm: Big-Beam Transcranial Ultrasound Stimulation: A Human-Scale Benchtop Feasibility Study  
Dr. Spencer Brinker, PhD Associate Research Scientist, Yale School of Medicine

2:30-2:45 pm: Transcranial focused ultrasound modulates cortical and thalamic motor areas in awake sheep.  
Dr. Hyunchul Kim, MD, PhD Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard Medical School, Brigham and Women’ Hospital

2:45-3:00 pm: Session Discussion
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Friday, March 20th 3:30-5:00 pm

A31: Neural Engineering III: Computational Models for Neural Prosthesis (JHU CME)

Chair: Dr. Dong Song
(Research Associate Professor
Center for Neural Engineering
Department of Biomedical Engineering
Neuroscience Graduate Program
University of Southern California)

3:30-3:42 pm: Closed-loop BCI for Neuropsychiatric disorders
Dr. Yuxiao Yang, PhD Assistant Professor, University of Southern California

3:42-3:54 pm: Modeling the brain-body axis for diagnostic and closed-loop bioelectronic devices.
Dr. Theodoros Zanos, PhD Assistant Professor, The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research

3:54-4:06 pm: Generating Somatosensory Percepts for Bidirectional Brain-Machine Interfaces.
Dr. Spencer Kellis, MD Research Assistant Professor, Keck School of Medicine of USC

4:06-4:18 pm: Computational Models for Hippocampal Memory Prostheses
Dr. Dong Song, PhD Research Assistant Professor, University of Southern California

4:18-4:30 pm: Building Motor Brain Machine Interface Towards a Smart Learner
Dr. Yiwen Wang, PhD Assistant Professor, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

4:30-4:42 pm: Biomimetic sensorimotor control of a dexterous, sensorized bionic arm
Dr. Gregory Clark, PhD Professor, University of Utah

4:45-5:00 pm: Session Discussion
B43: Neural Engineering IV: Neuro-Engineering Research and Development in the Department of Energy

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Saturday, March 21st 1:00-2:30 pm

B55: Neural Engineering V: Multiscale (Hierarchical) Model of the Nervous System (JHU CME)

Chair:

Dr. Jean-Marie C. Bouteiller
(Research Assistant Professor
Department of Biomedical Engineering
Viterbi School of Engineering
University of Southern California)

1:00-1:15 pm: Bridging scales in Multiscale Models of the Nervous System.
Dr. Jean-Marie C. Bouteiller, PhD Research Assistant Professor, University of Southern California

1:15-1:30 pm: Multiscale Population Modeling for Addressing Divergence in Therapeutic Design for Neural Tissue
Dr. James Kozloski PhD Research Staff Member, Manager, Multiscale Computational Modeling — Heart, Brain and Spinal Cord, IBM Research

1:30-1:45 pm: A Computer-Based Quantitative Systems Pharmacology Model for Understanding the Neurobiology Behind; The Effect Of Genotypes On Bold fMRI Readouts.
Dr. Hugo Geerts, PhD Chief Scientific Officer, In Silico Biosciences

1:45-2:00 pm: A large-scale neuronal network model of the tri-synaptic pathway of rat hippocampus.
Dr. Gene Yu, PhD Postdoctoral Research Associate, University of Southern California

2:00-2:15 pm: 3D Mesh Processing Using GAMer 2 to Enable Reaction-Diffusion Simulations in Realistic Dendritic Spine Geometrie
Dr. Christopher T. Lee, PhD Hartwell Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow, UC San Diego

2:15-2:30 pm: Session Discussion
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Saturday, March 21st 3:00-4:30 pm
B67: Neural Engineering VI: Neuromorphic Computing

Chair:

Dr. Roger Werne & Dr. Elsie Quite-Randall
(Senior Advisor Innovation and Partnerships Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory & Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory)

3:00-3:15 pm: Constraints from Cortical and Subcortical Global Brain Anatomy for Brain Inspired Computing
Dr. James Kozloski, PhD Research Staff Member, Manager, Multiscale Computational Modeling — Heart, Brain and Spinal Cord, IBM Research

3:15-3:30 pm: Lessons from dragonflies in brain-inspired computing
Dr. Frances S. Chance, PhD Principal Member of Technical Staff
Department of Cognitive and Emerging Computing, Sandia National Laboratory

3:30-3:45 pm: Brain Inspired Computing on a Chip
Dr. Roger Levinson, PhD Chief Operating Officer, BrainChip Inc.

3:45-4:00 pm: Computational Experience with the IBM TrueNorth computer
David Peter Widemann Senior Researcher, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

4:00-4:15 pm: Brain Inspired Computing using Spiking Neural Networks
Dr. Prasanna Date, PhD Research Scientist, Oak Ridge National Laboratory

4:15-4:30 pm: Session Discussion
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Sunday, March 22nd 10:00-11:30 am
C79: Neural Engineering VII: New Neural Interface for Recording and stimulation

Chairs:

Dr. Dong Song
(Research Associate Professor, Center for Neural Engineering, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Neuroscience Graduate Program, University of Southern California)

Dr. Ellis Meng
(Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Electrical and Computer Engineering, Vice Dean for Technology Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Viterbi School of Engineering, University of Southern California)

Dr. Walid Soussou, PhD CEO, Wearable Sensing, QUASAR.

10:15-10:30 am: Next-Generation Interface Systems for Supporting Cortical Prostheses
Dr. Dong Song, PhD Research Assistant Professor, University of Southern California

10:30-10:45 am: Polymer Implantable Microelectrode Array Neural Interfaces
Dr. Ellis Meng, PhD Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Electrical and Computer Engineering, Vice Dean for Technology Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Viterbi School of Engineering, University of Southern California

10:45-11:00 am: EPIC Microelectrodes for Bi-Directional Sensing and Stimulation
Dr. Jack Whalen, PhD CEO, Platinum Group Coatings, LLC (PGC) University of Southern California

11:00-11:15 am: Exploring the link Between Recording Array Design and Biocompatibility
Dr. Patrick Tresco, PhD Professor, University of Utah

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
Neuro-Engineering Conference 2020: Warren Grundfest Neuro-Engineering Memorial - Room 150A

Sunday, March 22nd 1:00-2:30 pm
C91: Neural Engineering VIII: Artificial Retina (JHU CME)

Chair: Dr. James Weiland (University of Michigan, BME and Ophthalmology)

1:00-1:15 pm: Microstructural properties of visual pathway in blinding diseases
Dr. Jeiran Choupan, PhD Research Scientist, University of Southern California

1:15-1:30 pm: Predicting the perceptual experience of retinal prosthesis patients
Dr. Michael Beyeler, PhD Assistant Professor, University of California Santa Barbara

1:30-1:45 pm: High-density integrated neural interfaces
Dr. Prof. Gert Cauwenberghs, PhD Professor of Bioengineering
Co-Director, Institute for Neural Computation Jacobs School of Engineering; University of California, San Diego

1:45-2:00 pm: An overview of visual prostheses
Dr. James Weiland, PhD Professor, University of Michigan

2:00-2:15 pm: Neuroimaging in the Blind with Retinal Prostheses: Does Sensory Reorganization During Blindness Limit Visual Restoration?
Dr. Noelle Stiles, PhD Research Associate, University of Southern California

2:15-2:30 pm: Session Discussion
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Sunday, March 22nd 4:00-5:30 pm

C91: Neural Engineering VIII: Artificial Retina (JHU CME)

Chairs:

Dr. Qifa Zhou
(Professor of Ophthalmology and Biomedical Engineering Viterbi School of Engineering USC)

4:00-4:15 pm: Ultrasound stimulation on the retina and Visual Cortex for Vision restoration
Dr. Qifa Zhou, PhD Professor of Ophthalmology and Biomedical Engineering Viterbi School of Engineering, USC

4:15-4:30 pm: Simultaneous deep brain calcium imaging and ultrasound based neural modulation
Dr. Meng Cui, PhD Assistant Professor of Purdue, ECE and Biology, Purdue University

4:30-4:45 pm: Central and Peripheral Nervous System Modulation with Focused Ultrasound
Dr. Elisa Konofagou, PhD Professor of Biomedical Engineering, Columbia University

4:45-5:00 pm: MR guided focus ultrasound: from high to low frequency
Dr. Zion Zibly, MD Senior Physician, Department of Neurosurgery Member of Israeli Neurosurgical Society, Congress of Neurological Societies, North American Neuromodulation Society, European Neurosurgical Association Boards, The Israeli Journal of Neurology, Sheba Medical Center

5:00-5:15 pm: Photoacoustic brain imaging: smaller, deeper, and more colorful
Dr. Junjie Yao, Ph.D Assistant professor of biomedical engineering, Duke University

5:15-5:30 pm: Session Discussion
Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020: Room 407
Organized by: Vicky Yamamoto, Babak Kateb, Reinhard Schulte, Jennifer Yu, Mark Torchia, Collin Watt, Terry Burns, Jethro Hu, John Yu, AjitKumar Mulavara, Thomas Williams, Mohammad Avanaki and Fartash Vasefi

Friday, March 20th 10:00-11:30 am
A4: Mars Exploration: Impact of Change to CNS on Operational Performance

CHAIRS:

10:00-10:10: The CBS Integrated Risk Overview and Problem statement
Thomas Williams, PhD; Element Scientist; NASA, JSC
Ajitkumar Mulavara, PhD, CNS/BMed/Sensorimotor (CBS) Portfolio Scientist, NASA, JSC

10:10-10:23: Insights from neuroimaging of astronauts and subjects in space analog conditions
Ruben Gur, PhD, Professor in the Departments of Psychiatry, Radiology & Neurology, Perelman School of Medicine University of Pennsylvania.

Susanna Rosi, Ph.D, Professor & Director of Neurocognitive Research, University of California San Francisco.

10:37-10:50: Fractionated ion delivery effects vs Acute dose effects on CNS/ behavior and operational performance outcomes
Catherine M. Davis, PhD, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.

10:50-11:02: Neurobehavioral biomarkers for monitoring behavior and operationally-relevant performances: ISS and ICE effects on CNS and crew Behavioral Medicine
David F. Dinges, PhD, Professor and Director, Unit for Experimental Psychiatry, Perelman School of Medicine

10:02-11:15: Integrating Performance Impacts: Behavioral Medicine, CNS, and Sensorimotor Effects on operational performance in crew – 6 and 12 months
Scott J. Wood, PhD, Sensorimotor Discipline Scientist, NASA, JSC

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
1:30-1:45: Glioma Stem Cells in Therapeutic Resistance
Jennifer Yu, MD, Radiation Oncology, Cleveland Clinic Cancer Center

1:45-2:00: Targeting mechanisms of acquired temozolomide resistance in glioblastoma
Clark Chen, MD, PhD, Professor, University of Minnesota School of Medicine.

2:00-2:15: The future of Stem cell therapy
Robert Hariri, MD, PhD, Chairman, Founder, Chief Scientific Officer, and former Chief Executive Officer of Celgene Cellular Therapeutic.

2:15-2:30: Precision Oncology: The role of Epigenetic influence and application of a customized epigenetic targeted therapy on Glioma stem cells and reversing radio-resistance
Mohamad Nezami, MD, President and CEO Sahel Oncology LLC, Orange Coast Medical Center of Hope Inc.

2:30-2:45: New therapeutic modalities for cancer and complication of cancer treatment
Ilene C. Weitz, MD, Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine, USC-Keck School of Medicine.

2:45-3:00 Session Discussion
Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020: Meeting Room 407

Friday, March 20th 3:30-5:00  pm

A28: NanoNeuroPhotonics

Chairs:

Babak Kateb, MD  
Chairman/CEO, Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics

Ajeet Kaushik, PhD  
Assistant Professor, Florida Polytechnic University

3:30-3:45: Delivery of magnetic nano-drugs to treat CNS diseases/brain cancer  
Ajeet Kaushik, PhD, Assistant Professor, Florida Polytechnic University

3:45-4:00: The use of MR guided FUs for the delivery of nanoparticles into the CNS  
Zion Zibly, MD, Senior Physician, Sheba Medical Center in Israel

4:00-4:15: Ultra-thin MEMS Contact Stress, Pressure and Temperature Sensors for TBI Studies  
Jack Kotovsky, PhD, Micro and Nanotechnology Section Leader, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

4:15-4:30: Next Generation of Fiber Photometry Tools  
Sage Aronson, PhD, President and CEO, Neurophotometrics Ltd.

4:30-4:45: Magnetofluorescent nanoprobes for the intraoperative resection and image-guided therapy of glioblastoma  
Manuel Perez, PhD, Professor, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

4:45-5:00 Session Discussion
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Saturday, March 21st 10:00-11:30 am

B40: (SLU CME) Neuro-Oncology: Hyperthermia & Other Ablative Therapies

Chairs:

10:00-10:15: LITT and the Blood Brain Barrier – Opportunities
Albert H. Kim, MD, PhD, Associate Professor of Neurological Surgery, Neurology, and Developmental Biology. Surgical Director, Pituitary Center, Washington University School of Medicine

10:15-10:30: Hyperthermia and Ablative Therapy – Technologies
Mark G. Torchia, PhD, Vice-Provost, Executive Director – Centre for the Advancement of Teaching and Learning.

10:30-10:45: Surgical Management of Post-radiation Metastatic Recurrence in the Brain
Veronica Chiang, MD, Professor of Neurosurgery and Radiation Oncology, Yale University School of Medicine.

10:45-11:00: Laser interstitial thermal therapy in glioma
Alireza Mohammadi, MD, Neurosurgeon, Brain Tumor And Neuro-Oncology Center, Cleveland Clinic.

11:00-11:15: Complete resection of high grade gliomas in eloquent areas
Igor DeCastro, MD, Associate Professor Mercer University Medical School Georgia Neurosurgical Institute Macon, Georgia

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020: Meeting Room 407

Saturday, March 21st 1:00-2:30 pm
B52: (SLU CME) Neuro-Oncology: Personalize Medicine

Chairs:

Reinhard Schulte, MD, MS
Professor-Division of Biomedical Engineering Science, Loma Linda University

Terry Burns, MD, PhD
Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery and Neuroscience, Mayo Clinic

1:00-1:15: The use of genomics to personalize therapy in glioblastoma
Colin Watts, MD, Professor of Neurosurgery; Chair Birmingham Brain Cancer Program, University of Birmingham, UK.

1:15-1:30: Translational research in neuro-oncology - clinical trial development
Jing Wu, MD, PhD, Tenure Track Investigator, NCI/NIH

1:30-1:45: An implantable paradigm for in vivo drug testing
Terry Burns, MD, PhD, Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery and Neuroscience, Mayo Clinic, Rochester MN.

1:45-2:00: A personalized targeted approach to treating malignant brain tumors: from bench to bedside
Panagiotis Z. Anastasiadis, PhD, Professor of Cancer Biology, Cell Biology Program Director, Mayo Clinic Cancer Center, Jacksonville, FL.

2:00-2:15: Genomics based stem cell therapies in precision oncology
Vasu Punji, PhD, Associate Professor, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.

2:15-2:30 Session Discussion
Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020: Meeting Room 407
Saturday, March 21st 3:00-4:30 pm
B64: AI Neuro: Machine Learning and Computing in Clinical Neuroscience

Chair:

Babak Kateb, MD
Chairman/CEO, Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics

3:00-3:15: Clinical applications of AI in degenerative spondylosis
Dr. J. Pablo Villablanca, MD, FACR, Professor, Interventional Spine Service

3:15-4:30: Avatar in clinical neuroscience
Dr. Harry Kloor, Chairman and CEO, Byond Imagination

3:30-3:45: AI application in the management of Neurovascular Disorders
Dr. Ambooj Tiwari

3:45-4:00: bossDB – Data Ecosystem for Volumetric Neuroscience Data and Connectomics
Dr. Brock Wester, Ph.D, Group Supervisor, Johns Hopkins University

4:00-4:15: AI and Medical Imaging: State of the Art, Misconceptions and Future Directions
Dr. Anthony Chang, MD, MBA, MPH, MS, Chief Intelligence & Innovation Officer Medical Director, Children’s Hospital of Orange County

4:15-4:30 Session Discussion
Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020: Meeting Room 407

Sunday, March 22nd 10:00-11:30 am
C76: Neurophotonics

Chairs:

Babak Kateb, MD
Chairman/CEO, Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics

Fartsh Vasefi, MD
Chief Technology Officer at Safety Spect, Inc

10:00-10:15: The Role of Functional Near Infrared Spectroscopy (FNIRS) in Neural Engineering
Dr. Nasser Kashou, Associate Professor, Wright State University

10:15-10:30: Focusing light inside live tissue using guide stars by wavefront shaping technology
Dr. Jiamiao Yang, PostDoc, Caltech University

10:30-10:45: Development of a low-cost, portable, tablet-based eye-tracking system for cognitive assessment
Dr. Fartash Vasefi, CTO, Photonic Signatures

10:45-11:00: Simultaneous imaging of neural, metabolic, and hemodynamic activity in awake mice
Dr. Adam Bauer, Assistant Professor, Washington University in St. Louis

11:00-11:15: The application of deep learning in the biomedical field
Dr. Meiyan Liang, Professor, Shanxi University in China

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020: Meeting Room 407

Sunday, March 22nd 1:00-2:30 pm
C88: (SLU CME) Neuro-Oncology: Tumor Treating Fields

Chair:

Reinhard Schulte, MD, MS
Professor-Division of Biomedical Engineering Science, Loma Linda University

1:00-1:15: TT Field Mechanisms of cell death: mitotic interference and beyond
Michael Story, PhD, Vice-Chair, Department of Radiation Oncology, University of Texas, Southwestern Medical Center.

1:15-1:30: TTFields and its Effects on Preclinical Models of Cancer
Edwin Chang, PhD, Laboratory Scientist, Molecular Imaging Program, Stanford University

1:30-1:45: Overview of TTFields Clinical Trials
Chirag Patel, MD, PhD, Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurology and Neurological Sciences and, by courtesy, of Radiology, Stanford University School of Medicine

1:45-2:00: Correlating Tumor Treating Fields dosimetry to patient outcome: Computational modeling based analysis
Noa Urman, PhD, Physics and algorithm project manager, Novocure, Haifa, Israel.

2:00-2:15: Tumor Treating Fields – integration of this new paradigm in oncology
Roger Stupp, MD, Paul C. Bucy Professor and Director, Malnati Brain Tumor Institute of the Lurie Compr. Cancer Center, Departments of Neurology, Neurological Surgery and Oncology, Northwestern University

2:15-2:30 Session Discussion
Neuro-Oncology Conference 2020: Meeting Room 407

Sunday, March 22nd 3:30-5:00 pm
C100: (SLU CME) Neuro-Oncology: Radiation Technologies

Chair:

Reinhard Schulte, MD, MS
Professor-Division of Biomedical Engineering Science, Loma Linda University

3:30-3:45
Charles Limoli, PhD, Professor, University of California, Irvine
The benefits of FLASH radiotherapy for brain tumor management

3:45-4:00: Treatment planning for gliomas using a variable RBE model
Jan Eulitz, MS, Physicist, PhD Student, OncoRay – National Center for Radiation Research in Oncology

4:00-4:15: Targeting resistance in glioblastoma with carbon ions
Jennifer Furkel, cand med, Medical Student, Researcher, Heidelberg University, German Cancer Research Center

4:15-4:30: Accelerator based BNCT: New Opportunities for Malignant Brain Tumors
Hanna Koivunoro, PhD, Chief Medical Physicist, Neutron Therapeutics, Inc

4:30-4:45: Boron and Gadolinium Compounds for Cancer Therapy
Narayan Hosmane, PhD, Professor, Department of Chemistry, Northern Illinois University, Boron and Gadolinium Compounds for Cancer Therapy.

4:45-5:00 Session Discussion
Parkinson/Optometry/Opioid/Psychiatry Conference 2020 - Room 406A
Organized By: Deborah Zelinsky, Mark Ereth, Daniel Sipple, Nevzat Tarhan, Barish Metin, Zoltan Mari, Andreas Lorano and Jonathan Dang

Friday, March 20th 10:00-11:30 am
A5: (JHU CME) Advances in Parkinson’s Disease

Chair:

Zoltan Mari, MD
Director, Cleveland Clinic

Dr. Mark Liker
Assistant Professor, Dept of Neurosurgery Keck School of Medicine
Founder and Partner California Neurosurgical Institute

10:00-10:15: DBS for pediatric secondary dystonia as a model for targeting novel indications
Dr. Mark Liker, Assistant Professor, Founder and Partner. Surgical Director, Pituitary Center, University of Southern California

10:15-10:30: Dystonia is a pattern disorder, and DBS is a pattern treatment
Dr. Terence Sanger, Chair in Health Science and Technology, University of Southern California.

10:30-10:45: Advances in functional neurosurgery I
Dr. Andres Lozano, Senior Scientist, University of Toronto.

10:45-11:00: Advances in functional neurosurgery II
Dr. Andres Lozano, Senior Scientist, University of Toronto.

11:00-11:15: Parkinson’s Disease: General Treatments and Selected Emerging Therapies
Dr. Ejaz A. Shamim, MD, MBA, MS, FAAN", Chief, Department of Neurology, Kaiser Permanente

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
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Friday, March 20th 1:30-3:00 pm
A17: (JHU CME) The Eye: Window to The Mind and Body

Chair:
Deborah Zelinsky, OD
Founder of the Mind-Eye Institute,

1:30-1:45: Updates to the 150+ year-old 20/20 Eye Testing
DeAnn Fitzgerald, O.D, Vice President of the Neuro-Optometric Association, Owner of Fitzgerald and Associates, Iowa, USA

1:45-2:00: 21st Century Visual Testing with Emphasis on Targets that probe Mind-Eye-Body Functions
Derek Tong, O.D., Neuro-Optometrist at Vision Therapy and Rehabilitation, Center for Vision Development, Pasadena, California USA.

2:00-2:15: The Retina as an Interface to the Autonomic Nervous System
Deborah Zelinsky, O.D, Mind-Eye Institute, Northbrook, IL USA

2:15-2:30: Time and Space Factors in Eye Movements and Fixations
Amy Pruszenski, O.D, Neuro-Optometrist, Visual Victory, Concord, New Hampshire, USA

2:30-2:45: The Impact of Optometry on Brain Function after a TBI
Jenny Garbus, COT, CBIS, NeuroVision Rehab, Family Vision Care Optometry, Santa Clarita, California, USA

2:45-3:00 Session Discussion
Parkinson/Optometry/Opioid/Psychiatry Conference 2020: Room 406A
Friday, March 20th 3:30-5:00 pm
A29: (JHU CME) Advance in Parkinson’s Disease II: Imaging and New Treatments

Chair: Zoltan Mari, MD
Director, Cleveland Clinic

3:30-3:45: **Neuroimaging insights into Parkinson’s disease**
Dr. Virendra Mishra, Project Staff, Cleveland Clinic

3:45-4:00: **Could inflow-based vascular space occupancy (iVASO) MRI be a marker for cognitive change in Parkinson’s disease?**
Dr. Liana Rosenthal, Director, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine.

4:00-4:15: **Phase-dependent neuromodulation for treating Parkinson’s disease**
Dr. Yousef Salimpour, The John Hopkins Hospital

4:15-4:30 **Movement Disorder and PTSD**
Feridun Acar, MD, Chairman, Department of Neurosurgery, Pamukkale University, Denizli, Turkey

4:30-4:45: **The future role of neuroimaging in Parkinson’s Disease, modification trials: progression markers to identifying study populations**
Dr. Zoltan Mari, Director, Cleveland Clinic

4:45-5:00 Session Discussion
Parkinson/Optometry/Opioid/Psychiatry Conference 2020: Room 406A
Saturday, March 21st 10:00-11:30 am
B41: Opioid and Substance Abuse: Prevention and Treatment

Chairs:

Mark Ereth, MD
Emeritus Professor of Anesthesiology. Mayo Clinic College

Daniel Sipple, DO
Midwest Spine and Brain Institute

10:00-10:15: Mitigating Post-Surgical Opioids with Peripheral Nerve Blocks
Mark Ereth, MD, Emeritus Professor of Anesthesiology. Mayo Clinic College of Medicine.

10:15-10:30: Upstream Prevention of Addiction: Sustained Release Local Anesthetics, Attachment Based Interventions
Daniel Sipple, DO, F.A.B.P.M.R., D.A.B.P.M., Board Certified in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation– Midwest Spine and Brain Institute

10:30-10:45: Neurobiological Correlates of Rumi Therapy
Nevzah Tarhan, M.D, President of Üsküdar University, Uskudar University

10:45-11:00: Depression and Anxiety in Substance Abuse
Foojan Zeine, Psy.D., LMFT, Clinical Psychotherapist, Beverly Hills and San Clemente, California

11:00-11:15: Drug Abuse in Children and Adolescence
Robert B Imani M.D, Child Psychiatrist, Cedars Sinai Medical Center

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
Parkinson/Optometry/Opioid/Psychiatry Conference 2020: Room 406A
Saturday, March 21st 1:00-2:30 pm
B53: Opioid Addiction: Treatment

Chairs:

Brian Norling
Chief Executive Officer at MEMS Precision Technology, Inc

Nicholas J. Dogris, PhD
CEO and co-founder of NeuroField, Inc, NeuroField, Inc.

1:00-1:15: Combating the Opioid Epidemic with Vaccines
Candy S. Hwang, PhD, Assistant Professor Chemistry, Southern Connecticut State University

1:15-1:30: The Effect of tDCS/tACS/tRNS & pEMF Neuromodulation on Acute Opiate Detoxification
Nicholas J. Dogris, PhD & Tiffany Thompson, PhD, CEO and co-founder of NeuroField, Inc, NeuroField, Inc.

1:30-1:45: Spinal Cord Stimulation for Interventional Pain Management
Yuri Tsirulnikov, D.O, anesthesiologist and interventional pain medicine physician, Swedish Edmonds Specialty Clinic

1:45-2:00: NuHeart/Afterglow; Addiction Treatment Using Plant Medicine
Jeff McNairy, Psy.D., M.P.H, Chief Medical Officer at Rythmia Life Advancement Center, Rythmia Life Advancement Center

2:00-2:15: Mental Health and Substance Abuse - Effect on Families
Sharon S Dunas, LMFT, Co-President, National Alliance on Mental Illness

2:15-2:30 Session Discussion
Parkinson/Optometry/Opioid/Psychiatry Conference 2020: Room 406A
Saturday, March 21st 3:00-4:30 pm
B65: (JHU CME) Updated Retinal Research

Chair:
Deborah Zelinsky, OD
Founder of the Mind-Eye Institute,

3:00-3:15: Macular Function as it Relates to Visual Processing
Heather Heitkotter, Ph.D. Candidate Research Scientist, Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, USA,

3:15-3:30: Seeing the Brain Through the Eye: 21st Century Neuroimaging Applications
Delia Cabrera Deuc, Ph.D., Research Scientist, Bascom Palmer, Miami, Florida, USA

3:30-3:45: Mechanisms of Hypersensitivity to Light in Traumatic Brain Injury
Christopher W. Tyler, Ph.D., D.Sc., Smith-Kettlewell Eye Research Institute, San Francisco, CA USA

3:45-4:00: Effects of Electromagnetic Fields on the Eye and Brain
Gianluca Lazzi, Ph.D., Provost Professor at USC of Ophthalmology, Biomedical, Electrical and Computer Engineering

4:00-4:15: Optometric Research at the Cellular Level
Suraj Upadhyaya, O.D., Ph.D., FAAO, Assistant Professor Midwestern College of Optometry, Downers Grove, Illinois, USA

4:15-4:30 Session Discussion
C77: (JHU CME) Advanced Therapeutics: FDA-Approved Ketamine for the Treatment of Depression

Chair:

Jonathan Dang, MD
Research Fellow, Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics

10:00-10:15: Depression and Quality of Life
Waguih IsHak, MD, FAPA, Vice Chairman for Education & Research & Consultant Psychiatrist, Cedars Sinai Medical Center.

10:15-10:30: Ketamine Infusion
Steven Mandel, MD, Founder/President- Ketamine Clinics. Founder/President American Society of Ketamine Physicians (ASKP), Ketamine Clinics Los Angeles.

10:30-10:45: Mechanism of action of ketamine
Jonathan Dang, MD, Research Fellow - SBMT, Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics

10:45-11:00: TBA
Tiffany Farechione, MD, FDA-Director, Division of Psychiatry Products, FDA

11:00-11:15: Depression and Art
Dave Leon, CEO/Founder- Painted Brain, CEO- Painted Brain

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
Parkinson/Optometry/Opioid/Psychiatry Conference 2020: Room 406A

Sunday, March 22nd 1:00-2:30 pm

C89: (JHU CME) Brain Mapping in Neuro-Psych Behavior

Chairs:

1:00-1:15: Introduction and Facilitating
Nevzat Tarhan, MD, Professor, Uskudar University

1:15-1:30: Human Exposure to Electromagnetic Pollution in the living areas
Osman Cerezci, PhD, Assistant Professor, Uskudar University

1:30-1:45: Neuropsychiatric damage caused by wi-fi signals: Are we overlooking a serious threat
Baris Metin, MD, Assistant Professor, Uskudar University

1:45-2:00: Predicting Health Effects of Electromagnetic Pollution Using Fuzzy Logic
Turker Tekin, PhD, Assistant Professor, Uskudar University

2:00-2:15: Estimating Biological Changes in Human Brain
Dr. Selim Seker, PhD, Professor, Uskudar University

2:15-2:30 Session Discussion
Parkinson/Optometry/Opioid/Psychiatry Conference 2020: Room 406A  
Sunday, March 22nd 4:00-5:30 pm  
C101: (JHU CME) Impact of Stable Visual Skills on Quality of Life

Chair: Deborah Zelinsky, OD  
Founder of the Mind-Eye Institute,

4:00-4:15: Bioelectronic Vision  
Mark S. Humayun, M.D., Ph.D., USC Director at Ginsburg Institute for Biomedical Therapeutics, California, USA

4:15-4:30: The Importance of Movement during Recovery from Brain Injury  
Gabriel Altman, D.C, Chiropractor, Kinetix 365, Beverly Hills, CA USA.

4:30-4:45: Patient Mood and Confidence Affected by Disrupted Visual Skills  
Nancy Major, M.S., Central Coast Vision, Central Coast Vision and Learning Paso Robles, CA USA

4:45-5:00: The Pivotal Effect of Eyeglasses on Heart Rate Stability  
Shannon Mandel, R.N, P.A.-C, Nurse and Physician’s Assistant, Washington, USA

5:00-5:15: Stable Visual Skills affect Blood Pressure Regulation in POTS patient  
Haroon Anwar, M.D., Medical director of Franciscan Center, Fmg-Franciscan Weight Loss Surgery Associates, Federal Way, Washington, USA

5:15-5:30 Session Discussion
Spine Conference 2020: John McDonald III Memorial Spine Program - Room 150B

Organized By: Dr Tobias Mattei, Dr Namath Hussain, Dr Ann Choe and Dr Joson Cormier

Friday, March 20th 10:00-11:30 am
A9: Complex Spine Surgery, Imaging and Reconstruction Techniques

10:00-10:15 am: Lateral approaches for the treatment of adult degenerative scoliosis.
Dr. Dzung Dinh (Neurosurgeon, University of Illinois at Peoria)

10:15-10:30 am: Dr. Ehsan Saadat (Orthopaedic Spine Surgeon, Los Angeles Orthopaedic Institute)
Outpatient spine surgery.

10:30-10:45 am: Prognosticators of Successful Lumbar Endoscopic Decompression: Incidence, Cost, and Management of Complications of Transforaminal Endoscopic Decompression for Herniated Disc and Spinal Stenosis.
Dr. Kai-Uwe Lewandrowski (Founder & President of Center For Advanced Spine Care of Southern Arizona and Surgical Institute of Tucson)

10:45-11:00 am: Surgical approaches for treatment of cervical myelopathy.
Dr. Ehsan Saadat (Orthopaedic Spine Surgeon, Los Angeles Orthopaedic Institute)

11:00-11:15 am: The role and future of endoscopic imaging for the treatment of spine and brain conditions.
Dr. Anthony Yeung (Orthopaedic Spine Surgeon, Desert Institute for Spine Care)

11:15-11:30 am: Session Discussion
Spine Conference 2020: John McDonald III Memorial Spine Program - Room 150B

Friday, March 20th 1:30-3:00 pm
A21: Rehabilitation and Biologics in Spine Surgery

Chair:

Dr. Namath Hussain
(Neurosurgeon, Loma Linda University, Department of Neurosurgery)

Dr. Cristina Sadowsky (Clinical Director - International Center for Spinal Cord Injury, Kennedy Krieger Institute, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine)

1:42-1:54 pm: Clearing Athletes to Play after Spinal Injury.
Dr. Robert Watkins (Orthopaedic Spine Surgeon, Marina Spine Center)

Dr. Albert Recio (Assistant Professor, Kennedy Krieger Institute, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine)

2:06-2:18 pm: Motorsports Safety Group Safety Initiative. Racing is a Contact Sport.
Dr. Jason Cormier (Neurosurgeon, Acadiana Neurosurgery)

2:18-2:30 pm: Osteobiologics in spine - recent advancements.
Dr. Aidin Abedi (Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California)

Dr. Krishnan Chakravarthy (Assistant Clinical Professor, University of California San Diego)

2:45-3:00 pm: Session Discussion
Spine Conference 2020: John McDonald III Memorial Spine Program - Room 150B
Friday, March 20th 3:30-5:00 pm
A33: Management of Spinal Cord Trauma

Chairs:

Dr. Namath Hussain
(Neurosurgeon, Loma Linda University, Department of Neurosurgery)

Dr. Jason Cormier
(Neurosurgeon, Acadia Neurosurgery)

Dr. Ann Choe
( Assistant Professor of Radiology and Radiological Science, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine)

3:30-3:42 pm: Surgical Anatomy of the Lumbosacral Plexus and Lateral Approaches to the Lumbar Spine.
Dr. Namath Hussain (Neurosurgeon, Loma Linda University)

Dr. Tobias Mattei (Assistant Professor, Department of Neurological Surgery - Saint Louis University)

3:54-4:06 pm: Late onset paraplegia in spinal tuberculosis.
Dr. Tariq Sohail (Orthopedics & Spine Surgeon, Doctors Hospital & Medical Centre)

Dr. Ann Choe (Assistant Professor of Radiology and Radiological Science, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine)

4:18-4:30 pm: Comparing the motion of a single piece disc arthroplasty design and a ball and socket multiple piece design using dynamic radiography.
Dr. Keyne Johnson (Pediatric Neurosurgeon, Brain and Spine Institute for Children, American Association of Neurological Surgeons, Cognitive Neuroscience Society)

Dr. Raúl Rincon-Navarro (Neurospine Surgeon, Director of Neuro Spine & Pain Clinic Los Cabos, México)

4:45-5:00 pm: Session Discussion
Spine Conference 2020: John McDonald III Memorial Spine Program - Room 150B
Saturday, March 21st 10:00-11:30 am
B45: Management of Spine Disorders

Chairs:
- Dr. Cristina Sadowsky (Clinical Director, International Center for Spinal Cord Injury, Kennedy Krieger Institute, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine)
- Dr. Mike Chen (Associate Professor, City of Hope)

10:00-10:12 am: Management strategies for the Kyphotic deformity in Tb spine.
Dr. Tariq Sohail (Orthopedics & Spine Surgeon, Doctors Hospital & Medical Centre)

Dr. Jason Cormier (Neurosurgeon, Acadiana Neurosurgery)

10:24-10:36 am: Cervical artificial disc replacement, it's indications, surgical pears, tips and tricks.
Dr. Hooman Melamed (Orthopaedic Spine Surgeon, Marina del Ray Hospital)

10:36-10:48 am: Lateral extracavitary approach for spine tumors: long term follow up results.
Dr. Mike Chen (Associate Professor, City of Hope)

Dr. Brian Mehling (Orthopedic trauma surgeon, Chief Medical Officer, BHI Therapeutic Sciences)

Christie Demirelli

11:15-11:30 am: Session Discussion
Legally Mind Conference 2020: - Room 150B
Organized By: Art McComber

Saturday, March 21st 1:00-2:30 pm
B57: Legally Mine USA: A Common Sense Approach to: Lawsuit Prevention, Tax Reduction & License Protection

Chair:

Art McComber, Presenter, Legally Mind

1:00-02:30 pm: Legally Mine USA: A Common Sense Approach to: Lawsuit Prevention, Tax Reduction & License Protection.
Art McComber (Presenter, Legally Mind)
Neurovascular Conference 2020: - Room 150B
Organized By: Dr. Martin Mortazavi, Dr. Justin Dye, Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf & Dr. Robert Hariri

Saturday, March 21st 3:00-4:30 pm
B69: Neurovascular Disorders

Chairs:

Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf
(MD, MSCR, FAANS, FAHA,
Professor of Neurosurgery, Saint Louis University)

Dr. Justin Dye
(Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery, Loma Linda University)

10:00-10:15 am: Anatomical considerations for open and endovascular treatment of cerebral aneurysms.
Dr. Eric A. Marvin (Director of skull base and vascular neurosurgery, Virginia Tech Carilion School of Medicine)

10:15-10:30 am: Endovascular Therapy of Acute Atherosclerotic vs Embolic Sources of Stroke.
Dr. Hekmat Zarzour (Assistant Professor of Neurological Surgery, Vickie and Jack Farber Institute for Neuroscience Thomas Jefferson University Hospital)

10:30-10:45 am: Surgery for Recurrent Brain Aneurysms after Endovascular Treatment.
Dr. Babak Jahromi (Professor of Neurosurgery, Northwestern Memorial Hospital)

10:45-11:00 am: Awake AVMs.
Dr. Rebeca Pérez-Alfayate (MD, PhD, Hospital Clínico San Carlos)

11:00-11:15 am: How to expand surgical corridors in skull base surgery.
Dr. Antonio Bernardo (Professor of NeurosurgeryDirector, Microneurosurgery Skull Base Laboratory, Weill Cornell Medical College)

11:15-11:30 am: Session Discussion
Neurovascular Conference 2020: Room 150B
Organized By: Dr. Martin Mortazavi, Dr. Justin Dye, Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf & Dr. Robert Hariri

Sunday, March 22nd 10:00-11:30 am
C81: Neurovascular Disorders

Chair:

Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf
(MD, MSCR, FAANS, FAHA,
Professor of Neurosurgery, Saint Louis University)

10:00-10:15 am: Modern Technical Concepts for Clip-Reconstruction of Fusiform Aneurysms.
Dr. Martin M. Mortazavi (MD, FICS, Chairman and Director, Cerebrovascular, Skull Base & Tumor Program California Institute of Neuroscience)

10:15-10:30 am: Approach on unruptured brain aneurysms.
Dr. Ashkan Mowla (MD,FAHA,FAAN, Assistant Professor, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California)

10:30-10:45 am: Cerebral Blister Aneurysms: challenges and management.
Dr. Justin Dye (Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery, Loma Linda University):

10:45-11:00 am: Cavernous malformation: what is it and when to treat?.
Dr. Aziz Alali (Assistant professor of neurosurgery, Saint Louis University)

11:00-11:15 am: Preservation of normal draining veins in resection of brain AVM’s. Two illustrative cases.
Dr. Raghuram Sampath (Cerebrovascular and Skull Base Neurosurgery, Affiliate Clinical Assistant Professor, Charles E Schmidt School of Medicine, Florida Atlantic University / Advanced Neuroscience Network, Palmetto General Hospital, Hialeah, Florida)

11:15-11:30 Session Discussion
Neurovascular Conference 2020: - Room 150B
Organized By: Dr. Martin Mortazavi, Dr. Justin Dye, Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf & Dr. Robert Hariri

Sunday, March 22nd 1:00-2:30 pm
C93: Neurovascular Disorders

Chairs:

1:00-1:15 pm: Tuberculum Sellae and Olfactory Groove Meningiomas: Proposal of a new classification system to predict surgery and outcome.
Dr. Martin M. Mortazavi (MD, FICS, Chairman and Director, Cerebro-vascular, Skull Base & Tumor Program California Institute of Neuroscience)

1:15-1:30 pm: Intracranial atherosclerosis, a challenging form of stroke requiring strategies outside the box for treatment.
Dr. Nestor Gonzalez (Professor of Neurosurgery, Director Neurovascular Laboratory, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center)

1:30-1:45 pm: Artificial Intelligence in neuro-oncology and vascular neurosurgery.
Dr. Antonio Di Ieva (Professor of Neurosurgery & Neuroanatomy, Mac-quarie University & Macquarie Neurosurgery, Sydney, Australia, Head of the Computational Neurosurgery Lab, Macquarie University)

1:45-2:00 pm: Update on acute stroke management.
Dr. Ashkan Mowla (MD, FAHA, FAAN, Assistant Professor, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California)

2:00-2:15 pm: Artificial intelligence in Cardiovascular Imaging.
Dr. Damini Dey (Scientist and Associate Professor, Biomedical Imaging Research Institute, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center)

2:15-2:30 pm: Session Discussion
Neurovascular Conference 2020: - Room 150B
Organized By: Dr. Martin Mortazavi, Dr. Justin Dye, Dr. Saleem Abdulrauf & Dr. Robert Hariri

Sunday, March 22nd 4:00-5:30 pm
C105: Neurovascular / Skull Base Disorders

Chairs:

Dr. Justin Dye
(Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery, Loma Linda University)

4:00-4:12 pm: Intracranial Vessel Wall Imaging: Technical Development and Clinical Applications.
Dr. Zhaoyang Fan (Assistant Professor, Biomedical Imaging Research Institute, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center):

4:12-4:24 pm: Concussion management in the NFL, game day through return to play.
Dr. Casey G. Batten (Director of Primary Care Sports Medicine, Director Sports Medicine Fellowship, Kerlan Jobe Institute, Team Physician Los Angeles Rams)

4:24-4:36 pm: Advanced visualization and characterization of cerebral aneurysms including time-resolved CTA and PC-MR flow hemodynamics.
Dr. J. Pablo Villablanca (Cerebrovascular and Skull Base Neurosurgery, Affiliate Clinical Assistant Professor, Director, Interventional Spine Service, Medical Director of MRI)

4:36-4:48 pm: Combined Anterior & Posterior Petrosectomy for resection of Meckels Cave and Petroclival Meningioma, along with Microvascular Decompression for Trigeminal Neuralgia.
Dr. Raghuram Sampath (Charles E Schmidt School of Medicine, Florida Atlantic University / Advanced Neuroscience Network, Palmetto General Hospital, Hialeah, Florida)

4:48-5:00 pm: Flow Reversal in the setting of Carotid Revascularization.
Dr. Jeffrey Farkas (Neurosurgeon, NYU School of Medicine / Chair, Interventional Neuro Associates, New York)

5:00-5:12 pm: ML-based Exploration of Renal Dysfunction in a patients undergoing Mechanical Thrombectomy for Stroke.
Dr. Ambooj Tiwari (NYU School of Medicine)

5:12-5:30 pm: Session Discussion
Celularity Course on Neurosurgical Innovation Conference 2020: - Room 150C
(Brain and Spine Observatory)
Organized By: Dr. Martin Mortazavi, Dr. Justin Dye and Dr. Robert Hariri

Saturday, March 21st 8:00-12:00 pm
B37: Celularity Neurovascular, Skullbase and endovascular Bioskills labs (Cadaver labs)

Faculty:
- Saleem Abdulrauf, MD (Walter Dandy Society)
- Nestor Gonzalez, MD (CSHS)
- Andrew Grande, MD (UMN)
- Martin Mortazavi, MD (CIN)
- Namath Hussain, MD (LLU)
- Justin Dye, MD (LLU)

Course Description:
This course is designed for neurosurgeons with knowledge and experience in endoscopic surgery, neurotrauma, and/or neurovascular surgery. Short lectures and hands on practical training will be provided to the attendees in the following areas:
- Neurotrauma
- Third ventricular tumors
- Third ventriculostomy
- Skull base tumor
- Aneurysm management/EC-IC bypass

Course Objectives:
At the conclusion of this course, the participant should be able to:

1. Discuss the latest advances and techniques in neurotrauma.
2. Perform relevant psychomotor skills in the practical application of intracranial endoscopy.
3. Describe treatment strategies for neurovascular disorders.

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Courses 

**Neurotrauma Modules**  
Faculty: Robert Hariri, MD, PhD, Martin Mortazavi, MD and Namath Hussain, MD  
Brain Trauma:  
- Craniotomy/decompressive craniectomy  
- Surgical management of Depressed skull fractures  
- Cranialization of frontal sinus  
- Reconstruction of Venous sinus injury  
- ventriculostomy  

**Spine Trauma Module:**  
- Cervical lateral mass screw fixation  
- C2 pars screw fixation  
- Thoracic and lumbar pedicel screw fixation  
- Corpectomy  

**Skull base/Neuroendoscopy Modules**  
Faculty: Martin Mortazavi, MD, Robert Hariri, MD, PhD, Saleem Abdulrauf, MD  
- Endonasal Pituitary Tumor resection  
- Surgical approaches to cerebral aneurysms and skull base tumors  
- Third Ventriculostomy  
- Third Ventricular Tumors  

**EC-IC Bypass Module**  
Faculty: Andrew Grande, MD, Saleem Abdulrauf, MD, and Nestor Gonzalez, MD  
- Principles of Microanastomosis  
- Hands-On Lab Session 1: Microanastomosis  
- Hands-On Lab Session 2: Bypass on Cadavers  

**Endovascular Module**  
Faculty: Nestor Gonzalez, MD and Justin Dye, MD  
- Cerebral angiography  
- Cerebral aneurysm coiling  
- Stent deployment  
- Mechanical thrombectomy
Celularity Course on Neurosurgical Innovation Conference 2020: - Room 150C
(Brain and Spine Observatory)
Organized By: Dr. Namath Hussain, Dr. Jason Cormier

Saturday, March 21st 2:00-4:00 pm
B61: Spine Bioskills labs (Cadaver labs)

Advanced Spinal Reconstruction
1. Minimally Invasive Lumbar OLIF (Oblique Lateral Interbody Fusion)
2. Total CDA (Cervical Disc Arthroplasty) for motion preservation

Course Description
This is a hands-on practical course on cadaver to perform Lumbar OLIFs and Cervical Total Disc Replacements, while teaching spine surgeons the approach and discussing indications, complications, and necessary tools. Performing the approach on a cadaver to show each step of the operation with guidance from experienced spine surgeons in a portable cadaver lab.

Learning Objectives:
1. Learn how to perform this surgical technique with the newest, state-of-the-art instrumentation currently available.
2. Discussing the indications of this approach.
3. Discussing the complications of this approach.
4. Compare and contrast newer techniques and instrumentation with this approach compared with older instrumentation.
5. Have the opportunity to reviews clinical and technical pearls with experienced spine surgeons.
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