## Research Seminars Calendar  
### Week of February 26th, 2018

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| 11:00 – Noon | 53-105 CHS  | **Cardiovascular Seminar**<br><i>Mitochondrial Signaling in Myofibroblast Differentiation and Fibrosis</i> John Elrod, PhD  
Assistant Professor, Pharmacology, Center for Translational Medicine  
Lewis Katz School of Medicine, Temple University  
Contact - Laura Benscoter - cri@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [http://medschool.ucla.edu/cardiovascular-seminar-series](http://medschool.ucla.edu/cardiovascular-seminar-series) |
| 11:00 – Noon | 1357 Gonda  | **Human Genetics Speaker Series**<br><i>Regulation of Gene Expression in the 3D Genome</i> Yi Shen, PhD  
Assistant Professor, UCSF, Institute of Human Genetics and Neurology  
Contact – Charina McDonald – cmcdonald@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [http://www.genetics.ucla.edu](http://www.genetics.ucla.edu) |
| 4:00 – 5:00 pm | 159 Boyer Hall | **Bioinformatics Seminar**<br><i>Dissecting Functional Regulatory Structures of the Genome from 1D to 3D</i> Michael Zhang, PhD  
Professor and Distinguished Chair, Systems Biology Science,  
University of Texas at Dallas  
Contact – Mandy McWeeney – mandy@lifesci.ucla.edu |
| 4:00 – 5:00 pm | A2-342 MDCC | **Cancer Molecular Imaging Program Monthly Seminar Series**<br><i>PET Tracer Discovery for Drug Development: Lessons Learned, Applications, and Future Directions</i> Eric Hostetler, PhD  
Executive Director, Head of Translational Imaging Biomarkers,  
Merck & Co., Inc.  
Contact – Elizabeth Arce – earce@mednet.ucla.edu |

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| 11:00 – noon | C-138 Semel  | **Grand Rounds/ Psychiatry**<br><i>Addressing Mental Healthcare Disparities Through Community Organizing</i> Cheryl T. Grills, PhD  
Professor, Psychology, Bellarmine College of Liberal Arts,  
Loyola Marymount University  
Contact – Lydia Nguyen – ldnguyen@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website - [http://www.bri.ucla.edu/events/calendar](http://www.bri.ucla.edu/events/calendar) |
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| Tuesday, February 27 | Noon – 1:00 pm, NRB Auditorium | BRI / Joint Seminars in Neuroscience  
*The Anterior Cingulated Cortex in Learning and Changing Behavior*  
Matthew Rushworth, MA, DPhil  
Professor, Cognitive Neuroscience, University of Oxford, United Kingdom  
Contact – Ana Elias – aelias@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: http://www.bri.ucla.edu/events/calendar  
| 4:00 – 5:00 pm, 383 BSRB | Metabolism – Mito Super Group  
Michaela Veliova (O. Shirihi’a Lab), Medicine - Endocrinology, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact - Tracey West - twest@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: http://medschool.ucla.edu/metabolism/education |  |
| Wednesday, February 28 | 7:00 – 8:00 am, B-130 RRMC | Grand Rounds/ Anesthesiology  
*M & M Conference – This Order... Or Disorder?*  
Richard Hong, MD  
Associate Clinical Professor Chief, Obstetric Anesthesiology, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Jason Hirsch, MD  
Fellow Physician, Anesthesiology, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact – Arceli (Sally) Alvarez-deCordova – adecordova@mednet.ucla.edu |  
| 7:00 – 8:00 am, 73-105 CHS | | Grand Rounds/ Surgery  
*Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation for Critically Ill Patients*  
Vadim Gudzenko, MD  
Assistant Professor, Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact – Valentin Ybiernas – vybiernas@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: http://surgery.ucla.edu/academic-calendar |  
| 9:00 – 10:00 am, NRB Auditorium | | Grand Rounds/ Neurology  
*Nature and Nurture of Microglia Development and Function*  
Christopher Glass, MD, PhD  
Professor, Medicine and Cellular and Molecular Medicine, University of California, San Diego  
Contact – Samantha Dearn – sdearn@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: http://www.neurology.ucla.edu/education.jsp?m=3&s=10 |  
| Noon – 1:00 pm, NRB Auditorium | | UCLA CTSI Distinguished Speaker Seminar  
*Genetics of Immunometabolism*  
Richard Flavell, PhD, Dsc, FRS  
Sterling Professor, Immunology, Yale University  
Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Investigator  
Contact - Iman Hussain - CTSISeminar@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: https://ctsi.ucla.edu/seminar/events/index-filter?category_id=167841&timing=future |  
| 3:00 – 4:00 pm, 130 Geffen Hall | Nobel Laureate Seminar  
*Sorting of Small RNAs into Exosomes Secreted by Human Cells*  
Randy Schekman, PhD  
Professor, Cell & Developmental Biology, University of California, Berkeley  
Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Investigator  
Contact – Nai Saeteurn – nsaeteurn@mednet.ucla.edu |  |
| Thursday, March 1 | 11:00 – Noon, Ahmanson-Lovelace Brain Mapping Center, Room 221 | Brain Mapping Center Seminar Series  
*Unconscious Fear Reduction by Multivoxel Neuro-Reinforcement*  
Hakwan Lau, PhD  
Associate Professor, Psychology, University of California, Los Angeles  
Contact – Mary Susselman – mwalker@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [http://bmap.ucla.edu/seminars/](http://bmap.ucla.edu/seminars/)  

| 11:00 - 12:15 pm, Annenberg Community Beach House, Santa Monica | BRI / ICNG  
*The Genetic Architecture of Human Complex Traits: From Polygenic to Omnigenic*  
Jonathan Pritchard, PhD  
Professor, Biology and Genetics, Stanford University  
Contact – Ana Elias – aelias@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [http://www.bri.ucla.edu/events/calendar](http://www.bri.ucla.edu/events/calendar)  

| Noon – 1:00 pm, 53-105 CHS | JCCC Seminar – Broad Stem Cell Research Center  
*Skin Regeneration and Scarless Wound Healing in Mammals*  
Maksim Plikus, PhD  
Associate Professor, Cell Biology, University of California, Irvine  
Contact - Nancy Presseau - npresseau@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [https://cancer.ucla.edu/news-events/events-calendar/gmd-view/-curm-10/-cury-2018](https://cancer.ucla.edu/news-events/events-calendar/gmd-view/-curm-10/-cury-2018)  

| 4:00 – 5:00 pm, 159 Boyer | MBI Seminar  
*Tetraspanin CD82 in Muscle Stem Cells and Muscular Dystrophy*  
Emanuela Gussoni, PhD  
Assistant Professor, Pediatrics, Harvard Medical School, Boston Children’s Hospital  
Contact - mbiast@lifesci.ucla.edu  
Website: [http://www.mbi.ucla.edu/calendar/thursday-seminars/](http://www.mbi.ucla.edu/calendar/thursday-seminars/)  

| Friday, March 2 | 8:00 – 9:00 am, B-130 RRMC | Grand Rounds/ Pediatrics  
*Topic – Eating Disorder*  
Elaine Rosen, MD  
Health Science Assistant Professor, Pediatrics, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact - Atkia Sadia - asadia@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [https://www.uclahealth.org/Mattel/grand-rounds-videos](https://www.uclahealth.org/Mattel/grand-rounds-videos)  

| 9:00 – 10:30 am, 1357 Gonda | BRI / CART  
*Pathways to New Treatments in Autism Spectrum Disorders*  
Jeremy Veenstra-VanderWeele, MD  
Columbia University, New York State Psychiatric Institute  
Contact – Ana Elias – aelias@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [http://www.bri.ucla.edu/events/calendar](http://www.bri.ucla.edu/events/calendar)  

| Noon – 1:00 pm, 911 Broxton Ave, 2nd Floor Conf Rm | General Internal Medicine - Health Services Research Seminar  
*Microbiome as a Biomarker and Potential Modifiable Factor in Disease Risk and Activity*  
Jonathan Braun, MD, PhD  
Chair and Professor, Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact - Victor Gonzalez - vgonzales@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [https://www.uclahealth.org/internal-medicine/seminar-series](https://www.uclahealth.org/internal-medicine/seminar-series)  


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<td>Nivedita Damodaren (Rotating Lab)</td>
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<td>Contact - Kady Alabastro - <a href="mailto:kalabastro@mednet.ucla.edu">kalabastro@mednet.ucla.edu</a></td>
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<td>How Does Mom Tolerate Dad? The Immune Basis of Pre-Eclampsia</td>
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<td>Director, Reproductive and Vascular Immunology, Huntington Medical</td>
<td>Contact – Leslie Henry – <a href="mailto:lhenry@mednet.ucla.edu">lhenry@mednet.ucla.edu</a></td>
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**TBD**  
*Olga Boudker, PhD*  
Professor, Physiology and Biophysics, Cornell University,  
Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Investigator  
Contact – Altagracia Alvarado - mbiasst@lifesci.ucla.edu  
Website: [http://www.mbi.ucla.edu/calendar/thursday-seminars/](http://www.mbi.ucla.edu/calendar/thursday-seminars/) |
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| Friday, March 9  | 8:00 – 9:00 am B-130 RRMC | Grand Rounds/ Pediatrics  
**The Search for a Physiologic Replacement Therapy for Hypoparathyroidism**  
Karen Winer, MD  
Director, Endocrinology and Bone Programs, Pediatric Growth And Nutrition Branch, NICHD  
Contact - Atkia Sadia - asadia@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [https://www.uclahealth.org/Mattel/grand-rounds-videos](https://www.uclahealth.org/Mattel/grand-rounds-videos) |
| Noon – 1:00 pm 154 BSRB | Stem Cell Club Seminar Series  
Contact - Daniel Abib - dabib@mednet.ucla.edu |
| 1:00 – 2:00 pm 383 BSRB | Gene Regulation Journal Club  
**Keaton Barr (Rotating Lab)**  
Contact - Kady Alabastro - kalabastro@mednet.ucla.edu |
| 1:15 – 2:15 pm, B-124 RRMC | Grand Rounds/ Obstetrics-Gynecology  
Annie Yee-Lynn Liu, MD  
Fellow, Gynecological Oncology, David Geffen School of Medicine  
Contact – Leslie Henry – lhern@mednet.ucla.edu |
| 3:30 – 4:30 pm 130 Boyer | Cell Developmental Biology/ Embryo Club  
**Peter Bradley, PhD**, Microbiology, Immunology and Molecular Genetics, David Geffen School of Medicine  
Contact – Joelle Radford – jcradford@mednet.ucla.edu |
| 4:00 – 5:00 pm 154 BSRB | Synapse to Circuit Club  
**Amy Gleichman (T. Carmichael’s Lab)**, Neurology  
Contact – Joelle Radford – jcradford@mednet.ucla.edu |

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