

Research Seminars Calendar Week of November 24, 2025

• BRI Seminars (Tuesdays @ noon) • JCCC Seminars (Thursdays @ noon) • MBI Seminars (Thursdays @ 4:00) • UCLA CTSI Distinguished Speaker Series (Wednesdays @ noon) • Other Seminars/Symposia (Varies)	• Cardiovascular Theme (Mondays @ 11:00) • I3T Theme Seminars (Tuesdays @ noon) • Health Equity Theme (Fridays @ 12:30) • Metabolism Theme Seminars (Varies) • Journal Clubs (Varies) • Grand Rounds (Varies)	• BSCRC Seminars (Thursdays @ noon) • Human Genetics Speaker Series (Varies) • Vascular Biology Seminar Series (Varies) • UCLA CDI Seminar Series (Varies) • Frontiers in Computational Biosciences & Frontier in Computational Medicine (Varies)
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Monday, November 24	Noon – 1:00 pm, 159 Boyer	Frontiers in Computational Biosciences Seminar Series <i>Interpretable Machine Learning Methods to Understand Tissue Heterogeneity Using Large-Scale Single-Cell Genomics and High-Definition Spatial Transcriptomics</i> Yi Zhang, PhD Assistant Professor, Ecology & Evolution, University Chicago Contact – Caroline Baron – qcboffice@lifesci.ucla.edu Website – https://qcb.ucla.edu/events-calendar/category/research-seminars/
Tuesday, November 25		No Seminars
Wednesday, November 26	9:00 – 10:00 am, Zoom	Global Immunotalks TBD Nicolas Manel, PhD Team Leader, Innate Immunity – Immunity and Cancer, Curie Institut Zoom – https://ucsd.zoom.us/j/91053505061
Thursday, November 27		Thanksgiving – University Holiday – No Seminars
Friday, November 28		University Holiday – No Seminars

Research Seminars Calendar Week of December 1, 2025

Monday, December 1	Noon – 1:00 pm, 159 Boyer	Frontiers in Computational Biosciences Seminar Series TBD Eric Deeds, PhD Professor, Integrative Biology and Physiology, UCLA Contact – Caroline Baron – qcboffice@lifesci.ucla.edu Website – https://qcb.ucla.edu/events-calendar/category/research-seminars/
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Tuesday, December 2	Noon – 1:00 pm, 23-105 CHS	UCLA Immunity, Inflammation, Infection, and Transplantation Theme <i>Guardians of the Gut: Intestinal Immune Responses to Dietary and Microbial Antigens</i> Devesha Kulkarni, PhD Assistant Professor, Medicine - Clinical Nutrition, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA Contact – I3T@mednet.ucla.edu Website – https://medschool.ucla.edu/immunology
Wednesday, December 3	9:00 – 10:00 am, Zoom 9:00 – 10:00 am, Zoom	Grand Rounds/ Neurology TBD Wolfgang Singer, MD, FAAN, FAAS Consultant Professor, Neurology; and Director, Autonomic Laboratories, Mayo Clinic Zoom – https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/94059665246 Passcode – 123456 Contact – Oscar Arellano – Oarellano@mednet.ucla.edu Global Immunotalks TBD Lew Siew Yeap Principal Investigator, Institute of Immunology, Shanghai Jiao Tong University School of Medicine Zoom – https://ucsd.zoom.us/j/91053505061
Thursday, December 4	Noon – 1:00 pm, Zoom Noon – 1:00 pm, 13-105 CHS Noon – 1:00 pm, 1357 Gonda	UCLA Bioengineering Seminar TBD Donghui Zhu, PhD Professor, Biomedical Engineering, Institute for Engineering-Driven Medicine, Engineering and Applied Sciences, Stony Brook University School of Medicine Contact – Emilia Rodriguez-Vera – emilia@seas.ucla.edu Website – https://www.bioeng.ucla.edu/events/ Broad Stem Cell Research Center (BSCRC) Research Seminar <i>Pluripotent Stem Cells to Model and Treat Lung Disease</i> Darrell Kotton, MD Professor, Medicine; and Director, Center for Regenerative Medicine, Boston University Registration – https://wkf.ms/4pjrocm Contact – Noelle Little – nlittle@mednet.ucla.edu Integrative Center for Neurobehavioral Genetics Seminar Series <i>Single-Nucleus Epigenomic Dyregulation Unmasks Genetic Risk-Associated Neurodegenerative Cell States</i> Jessical Rexach, MD, PhD Professor, Neurology - Neurogenetics, David Geffen School of Medicine Contact – CNGT32@mednet.ucla.edu

Thursday, December 4	4:00 – 5:00 pm, 159 Boyer Hall	MBI Seminar Series <i>From Governing Principles of Bacterial Replication to Innate Immunity and Antimicrobials</i> Christine Jacobs-Wagner, PhD Professor, Biology and Microbiology and Immunology, Stanford University Contact – mbiasst@lifesci.ucla.edu Website – https://www.mbi.ucla.edu/seminars
Friday, December 5	8:00 – 9:00 am, Zoom 8:00am – 6:00pm, CNSI Auditorium	Grand Rounds/ Pediatrics Topic – TBD Myke Federman, MD Professor, Pediatric Critical Care; and Medical Director, Pediatric Cardiothoracic ICU, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA Zoom – https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/95221286936 Contact – Jacquelyn Voet – jvoet@mednet.ucla.edu UCLA Comprehensive Liver Research Center Symposium Moderator: Raj Singh, MD, MBBS <i>MASH Fibrosis and HCC: Emerging Mechanisms and Therapeutic Horizons</i> Scott Friedman, MD Icahn School of Medicine <i>Pilot Awardee Short Talk: Utilizing Spatial RNA-Sequencing to Investigate the Role of Senescent Microphages in MASLD</i> Anthony Covarrubias, PhD David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA <i>Endocytic Membrane Trafficking in MASH</i> Bishuang Cai, PhD David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA Moderator: Carrie Wong, MD, PhD <i>Lipid Reprogramming by CUP1B1+ Hepatic Stellate Cells</i> Hidekazu Tsukamoto, MD, PhD, FAASLD Keck School of Medicine, USC <i>Transkingdom Multi-Omic Gut Dysbiosis in Metabolic Dysfunction-Associated Steatotic Liver Disease</i> Long Nguyen, MD, MS Massachusetts General Hospital/ Harvard Medical School Moderator: Claudio Villanueva, PhD <i>Metabolic Stress in Alcoholic Fatty Liver Drives Sublethal Cellular Toxicity via Protein Translation Machinery Perturbation Induced by Ribosome Collisions</i> Takeshi Saito, MD, PhD Keck School of Medicine, USC <i>Pilot Awardee Short Talk: Oral Alph-Ketoglutarate Supplement to Reduce Liver Inflammation</i> Slaudio Scafoglio, MD, PhD David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA - and - <i>Hepatocyte Autophagy Failure and MASH Progression</i> Raja Singh, MD, PhD, MBBS David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA Contact – TrishaJames@mednet.ucla.edu

Friday, December 5	Noon – 1:00 pm, 1357 Gonda	Integrative Center for Neural Development, Degeneration, and Repair Seminar <i>TBD</i> Valerie Tornini, PhD Assistant Professor, Integrative Biology & Physiology, UCLA College of Life Sciences Contact – Dr. Bennett Novitch – bnovitch@g.ucla.edu
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