# Research Seminars Calendar

## Week of December 12, 2022

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<td><strong>Monday, December 12</strong></td>
<td>11:00 am – Noon</td>
<td>53-105 CHS</td>
<td><strong>Cardiovascular Seminar</strong>&lt;br&gt;&lt;i&gt;Aging and Arteries: Noncanonical Wnt Signaling in Cardiovascular Disease&lt;/i&gt;&lt;br&gt;Dwight Towler, PhD, MD&lt;br&gt;Professor, Internal Medicine; Associate Dean, Resident Research, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center&lt;br&gt;Contact – Rosemary Portal – <a href="mailto:cri@mednet.ucla.edu">cri@mednet.ucla.edu</a>&lt;br&gt;Website – <a href="https://medschool.ucla.edu/cv-theme-seminars">https://medschool.ucla.edu/cv-theme-seminars</a></td>
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<td><strong>Tuesday, December 13</strong></td>
<td>Noon – 1:00 pm</td>
<td>53-105 CHS</td>
<td><strong>I3T Theme Seminar Series</strong>&lt;br&gt;&lt;i&gt;Immunosuppressive T Cells in Cancer Immunotherapy Resistance&lt;/i&gt;&lt;br&gt;Roberta Zappasodi, PhD&lt;br&gt;Assistant Professor, Medicine – Hematology, Weill Cornell Medical College&lt;br&gt;Contact – Jillian Chopra – <a href="mailto:jchopra@mednet.ucla.edu">jchopra@mednet.ucla.edu</a>&lt;br&gt;Website – <a href="https://it.uclahealth.org/events/research-publishing-and-reproducibility-brown-bag-10">https://it.uclahealth.org/events/research-publishing-and-reproducibility-brown-bag-10</a></td>
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<td>Noon – 1:00 pm</td>
<td>Zoom</td>
<td>DGSoM DGIT/ Research Publishing and Reproducibility Brown Bag&lt;br&gt;&lt;i&gt;UCLA Research for NIH’s New Data Management &amp; Sharing Policy&lt;/i&gt;&lt;br&gt;Clifford Kravit&lt;br&gt;Research Informatics Program Manager, DGIT&lt;br&gt;- and -&lt;br&gt;Ibraheem Ali, PhD&lt;br&gt;Research Informatics Program Manager, DGIT&lt;br&gt;Zoom – <a href="https://uclahs.fyi/publishing-brownbag">https://uclahs.fyi/publishing-brownbag</a>&lt;br&gt;Contact – Cindy Rivas – <a href="mailto:cerivas@mednet.ucla.edu">cerivas@mednet.ucla.edu</a>&lt;br&gt;Website – <a href="https://medschool.ucla.edu/cv-theme-seminars">https://medschool.ucla.edu/cv-theme-seminars</a></td>
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<td><strong>Wednesday, December 14</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Grand Rounds/ Surgery</strong>&lt;br&gt;&lt;i&gt;Thoracic Surgery 101&lt;/i&gt;&lt;br&gt;Sha’Shonda L. Revels, MD, MS&lt;br&gt;Assistant Professor, Surgery – Thoracic Surgery, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA&lt;br&gt;Zoom – <a href="https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/571420558">https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/571420558</a>&lt;br&gt;Contact – Valentin Ybiernas – <a href="mailto:vybiernas@mednet.ucla.edu">vybiernas@mednet.ucla.edu</a></td>
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- 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)
- OHRC Musculoskeletal (Wednesdays @ 1:00)
- Bioinformatics Seminars (Mondays @ 4:00)
- BSCRC Seminars (Thursdays @ noon)
- Human Genetics Speaker Series (Varies)
- Vascular Biology Seminar Series (Varies)
- UCLA CDI Seminar Series (Varies)
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| 8:30 – 9:30 am, Zoom | Grand Rounds/ Medicine 2022 – State of the Department of Medicine     | E. Dale Abel, MD, PhD  
Chair & Executive Medical Director, Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Zoom – [https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/92158575964?pwd=UJvhoV3FjTcrUTcxUGxQUnY2TFRpdz09](https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/92158575964?pwd=UJvhoV3FjTcrUTcxUGxQUnY2TFRpdz09)  
Password: MEDICINEGR  
Contact – Amanda Lozano – amandalozano@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website – [https://www.uclahealth.org/departments/medicine/education-training/grand-rounds-schedule](https://www.uclahealth.org/departments/medicine/education-training/grand-rounds-schedule) |
| 9:00 – 10:00 am, Zoom| Grand Rounds/ Neurology Why Is Our Approach Not Working in Disease Modification in Atypical Parkinsonian Disorders?  
Irene Litvan, MD, FAAN, FANA  
Professor, Neuroscience; and Director, Movement Disorders Center, University of California, San Diego  
Zoom – [https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/99539066811](https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/99539066811)  
Password – 123456  
Contact – Oscar Arellano – oarellano@mednet.ucla.edu |
| Noon – 1:00 pm, NRB Auditorium, and Zoom | Global Immunotalks TBD  
Keke Fairfax, PhD  
Associate Professor, Microbiology & Immunology, and Pathology, And Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Program, University of Utah  
Zoom – [https://ucsd.zoom.us/j/91053505061](https://ucsd.zoom.us/j/91053505061)  
Organizers – Carla V. Rothin, PhD – carla.rothlin@yale.edu  
and Elina I. Zúñiga, PhD – eizuniga@ucsd.edu  
| Noon – 1:00 pm, Zoom | UCLA CTSI Distinguished Speaker Seminar – Metabolism Theme CNS-Dependent Control of Metabolism  
Jens Brüning, MD  
Director, Max Planck Institute for Metabolism Research; and Director, Policlinic for Endocrinology, Diabetes and Preventive Medicine, University Hospital in Cologne  
Zoom Registration – [https://uclahs.fyi/ctsi-seminar](https://uclahs.fyi/ctsi-seminar)  
Contact – Lucy Vaca – ctsisecondinar@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website – [https://ctsi.ucla.edu/seminar/](https://ctsi.ucla.edu/seminar/) |
| Noon – 1:00 pm, Zoom | DGIT Amazon Web Services Information Technology Resources Available for Researchers Clifford Kravit  
Research Informatics Program Manager, DGIT  
Zoom – [https://uclahs.fyi/dgit-aws](https://uclahs.fyi/dgit-aws)  
Contact – Cindy Rivas – cerivas@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website – [https://it.uclahealth.org/events/ask-about-dgits-amazon-web-services-open-office-hours-19](https://it.uclahealth.org/events/ask-about-dgits-amazon-web-services-open-office-hours-19) |
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| Wednesday, December 14 | 1:00 – 2:00 pm, 154 BSRB, and Zoom | OHRC Musculoskeletal Research Seminar Series  
*Targeting the Balance of BMP/TGFβ Signaling for Cartilage Maintenance and Osteoarthritis Therapy*  
*Weiguang Wang, PhD*  
Postdoc, Orthopaedic Surgery (K. Lyon’s Lab), David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact – Fabrizio Billi, PhD – fabriziobilli@mednet.ucla.edu |
| Thursday, December 15 | 9:00 – 10:00 am, Zoom | Cancer to Moonshot Seminar/ NIH  
*Molecular Dissection of Tumor Biology*  
*Katia Rebola, PhD*, Postdoc, Oregon Health and Science University  
*Frank Szulzewsky, PhD*, Postdoc, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center  
Zoom – [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85187519100?pwd=ckY4eXUzWGNIM2x0cWZySkJsTW44UT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85187519100?pwd=ckY4eXUzWGNIM2x0cWZySkJsTW44UT09)  
Passcode – 810141  
Contact – Claire.maccarthy@nih.gov  
Website – [https://www.cancer.gov/research/key-initiatives/moonshot-cancer-initiative/seminar-series](https://www.cancer.gov/research/key-initiatives/moonshot-cancer-initiative/seminar-series) |
|                     | Noon – 1:00 pm, Zoom | Islet Research Seminar Series 2022 - 2023  
*TBD*  
*Efsun Arda, PhD*  
Stadtman Investigator; and Head, Developmental Genomics Group, National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health  
Zoom – [https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/94954973558](https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/94954973558)  
Contact – Kenneth Thai – kthai@mednet.ucla.edu |
|                     | 4:00 – 5:00 pm, Zoom | Integrative Biology & Physiology – Special Lecture  
*SexDifferences in B Cell Development and Vaccine-Induced Antibody Responses*  
*Rebecca Ursin, PhD*  
Postdoc Fellow, Ragon Institute of MGH, MIT and Harvard University  
Zoom – [https://ucla.zoom.us/j/94699385359?pwd=c0xvQURuUYtWZVQ4dFHLzVLbDFaUT09](https://ucla.zoom.us/j/94699385359?pwd=c0xvQURuUYtWZVQ4dFHLzVLbDFaUT09)  
Contact – Art Arnold, PhD – arnold@ucla.edu |
| Friday, December 16  | 8:00 – 9:00 am, Zoom | Grand Rounds/ Pediatrics – Performance Gap  
*Topic – Pediatric Mental Health*  
*Eraka Bath, MD*  
Associate Professor, Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Zoom – [https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/94757709669](https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/94757709669)  
Contact – Savannah Downey – sdowney@mednet.ucla.edu |
|                     | 9:30 – 10:30 am, Zoom | Integrative Center for Learning & Memory Journal Club  
*TBD*  
*Mae Guthman, PhD*  
Postdoctoral Researcher, Psychology, University at Buffalo  
Contact – ICLM.journalclub@gmail.com  
# Research Seminars Calendar
## Week of December 19, 2022

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| Monday, December 19 | Noon – 1:00 pm, Zoom | UCLA Center for AIDS Research (CFAR) Clinical Science Core – Clinical Discovery Seminar | TBD                                                                          | **Theodoros Kelesidis, MD, PhD, MSc**  
Associate Professor-in-Residence, Medicine – Infectious Diseases, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
- and -  
**Cherie Blair, MD, PhD**  
Health Sciences Assistant Clinical Professor, Medicine – Infectious Diseases, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Zoom Registration – [https://uclahs.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJYldOCsqD8pGNAcNoVPvoVJvZEhZ2N2AU6P8](https://uclahs.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJYldOCsqD8pGNAcNoVPvoVJvZEhZ2N2AU6P8)  
Contact – Stephanie Buchbinder – [sbuchbinder@mednet.ucla.edu](mailto:sbuchbinder@mednet.ucla.edu) |
| Tuesday, December 20 | 9:00 – 10:00 am, Zoom | I3T / Early Career Immunology Digital Seminar Series | TBD                                                                          | **Tsukasa Nabekura, PhD**  
Assistant Professor, Life Science – Survival Dynamics and Tsukuba Advance Research Alliance (TARA), University of Tsukuba, Japan  
Livestream Zoom – [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bxlaTSL-n4c](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bxlaTSL-n4c)  
Contact – Jillian Chopra – [jchopra@mednet.ucla.edu](mailto:jchopra@mednet.ucla.edu)  
Website – [https://www.earlycareerimmunology.com/](https://www.earlycareerimmunology.com/) |
| Wednesday, December 21 | 7:00 – 8:00 am, Zoom | Grand Rounds/ Anesthesiology & Perioperative Medicine | **Topic – Perioperative Brain Health: A Patient Safety Imperative**  
Daniel Cole, MD, Professor, Anesthesiology and Perioperative Medicine; and Vice Chair, Professional and Business Development, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Zoom Information – [https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/99095097109?pwd=dzhVdjhKUC92K1dyMGxOZ1hVYlpDQT09](https://uclahs.zoom.us/j/99095097109?pwd=dzhVdjhKUC92K1dyMGxOZ1hVYlpDQT09)  
Password – 092369  
Contact – Araceli (Sally) Alvarez-deCordova – [adedcordova@mednet.ucla.edu](mailto:adedcordova@mednet.ucla.edu) |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Thursday, December 22 |               |                                               | No Seminars                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Friday, December 23  |               |                                               | University Holiday                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |

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