| Monday, March 18 | 11:00 – Noon, 1357 Gonda | Human Genetics Speaker Series
*Inferring Human Evolution in Tens to Hundreds of Generations*
Amy Goldberg, PhD
Assistant Professor, Evolutionary Anthropology, University Program in Genetics & Genomics, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina
Contact – Charina McDonald – cmcdonald@mednet.ucla.edu

| 1:00 – Noon, 6-740 MRL | Molecular Metabolism Journal Club
*Polyunsaturated Fatty Acid Desaturation is a Mechanism for Glycolytic NAD+ Recycling*
Xu Xiao, PhD
Postdoc, Pathology & Laboratory Medicine (P. Tontonoz Lab), David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA
Contact – Stephen Lee, PhD – sdlee@mednet.ucla.edu

| Tuesday, March 19 | Noon – 1:00 pm, 63-105 CHS | DGSoM Junior Faculty lecture Series (JFLS) Navigating the Academic Roadmap: A Lecture Series Designed for Junior Faculty
*Patient Focused Research*
Mitchell Wong, MD, PhD
Professor, Medicine – General Internal Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA DGSoM
RSVP: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdZJ9FAAaYhgFwwo0URJZrt8kOklk31Qwm6ICTXIF-3MwEA/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1
Contact – Isadora Avendano – iavendano@mednet.ucla.edu

| 4:00 – 5:00 pm, 27-200C CHS | Metabolism/ Mito Super Seminar
*Developing Mitochondrial Transfer Methods to Model Mitochondrial-Nuclear Interactions*
Alex Sercel
PhD Candidate, Pathology & Laboratory Medicine (M. Teitell’s Lab), David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA
Contact – Tracey West – twest@mednet.ucla.edu
Website: http://medschool.ucla.edu/metabolism/education |
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*Tumor Microenvironment: A Gold Mine of Biomarkers and Therapeutic Targets*  
Sandra Orsulic, PhD  
Professor, Obstetrics & Gynecology, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact – Ashley Leung – ashleyleung@mednet.ucla.edu |  

| Wednesday, March 20 | 7:00 – 8:00 am, 73-105 CHS | Grand Rounds/ Surgery  
*Pancreatic Cancer: Much Accomplished and the Future Looks Bright*  
Keith D. Lillemore, MD  
Professor & Chief, Surgery, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA  
Surgery Contact – Valentin Ybiernas – vybiernas@mednet.ucla.edu |  

| Wednesday, March 20 | Noon – 1:00 pm, Cancelled | UCLA CTSI Distinguished Speaker Seminar  
*Cancelled*  
Ronald Germain, MD, PhD  
Chief, Laboratory Immune System Biology, NIAID, NIH  
Contact – Elizabeth Boystok - CTSISeminar@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [https://ctsi.ucla.edu/seminar/events/index-filter?category_id=167841&timing=future](https://ctsi.ucla.edu/seminar/events/index-filter?category_id=167841&timing=future) |  

| Wednesday, March 20 | 5:00 – 6:00 pm, NRB Auditorium | UCLA Head & Neck Distinguished Speaker Series  
*Otolaryngologists and Sleep Medicine*  
Kathleen Yaremchuk, MD, MSA  
Professor & Chair, Otolaryngology and Head & Neck Surgery, Wayne State School of Medicine, Henry Ford Health System  
Contact – Penny Amescua – pamescua@mednet.ucla.edu |  

| Thursday, March 21 | Noon – 1:00 pm, A2-342 MDCC | UCLA Children’s Discovery and Innovation Institute (CDI)  
*Where Are We on the Path to HIV CURE and Remission?*  
Yvonne Bryson, MD  
Professor, Pediatrics – Infectious Disease, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact – Jaspreet Saini, MPH – jsaini@mednet.ucla.edu |  

| Thursday, March 21 | 1:00 – 2:00 pm, 154 BSRB | OHRC Musculoskeletal Research Seminar Series  
*Cyclin-Dependent Protein Kinase 9 (CDK9) and Osteosarcoma*  
Zhenfeng Duan, MD, PhD  
Professor, Orthopaedic Surgery, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact – Gloria Kiel-Gutierrez – gskiel@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [https://www.uclahealth.org/ortho/musculoskeletal-calendar](https://www.uclahealth.org/ortho/musculoskeletal-calendar) |  

| Friday, March 22 | 8:00 – 9:00 am, B-130 RRMC | Grands Rounds/ Pediatrics – Friedman Lectureship  
*Topic – Pediatric Infectious Disease*  
Grace M. Aldrovandi, MD  
Professor, Pediatrics – Infectious Disease, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
*and*  
Sean Fitzwater, MD  
2nd Year Fellow, Pediatrics – Infectious Disease, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Contact – Jacquelyn Voet – jvoet@mednet.ucla.edu |
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Contribution of the Microcirculation to Cardiovascular Disease  
David Gutterman, MD  
Professor, Medicine, Medical College of Wisconsin  
Contact – Rosemary Portal – cri@mednet.ucla.edu  
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| Tuesday, March 26 | Noon – 1:00 pm, 53-105 CHS | I3T Seminar – Research in Progress (RIP)  
Immune Pathogenesis of Prenatal Infection  
Sing Sing Way, MD, PhD  
Professor, Cincinnati Children’s Hospital  
Contact - Emma Planas - eplanas@mednet.ucla.edu  
Website: [https://medschool.ucla.edu/immunology-seminar-series](https://medschool.ucla.edu/immunology-seminar-series) |  
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Grand Rounds/ Surgery  
Preoperative Medicine: Processes and Cardiac Optimization  
Sondra Vazirani, MD, MPH  
Associate Clinical Professor, General Internal Medicine/ Health Services Research, VA Greater Los Angeles Health Care System  
Surgery Contact – Valentin Ybiernas – vybiernas@mednet.ucla.edu  
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