SAVE THE DATE

2018 Medical Education Week Seminar Series
Sponsored by the UF COM Society of Teaching Scholars
Date: March 12-15, 2018
Time: 12:00pm - 1:00pm
Location: TBD

A week's schedule of events, sponsored by The Society of Teaching Scholars, to recognize and celebrate the education programs at the College of Medicine. During the week's activities, guest speakers address various aspects of medical education, for students, residents, and faculty.

2018 College of Medicine Celebration of Research
Monday, February 19, 2018
5:30 - 8:30 pm
Location: Stephen C. O'Connell Center

Keynote Speaker

Yang Shi, PhD
Merton Bernfield Professor of Neonatology, Boston Children's Hospital
Professor of Cell Biology, Harvard Medical School
To participate in the poster session, please choose one of the following:

1. **I wish to bring a research poster.**
   Open to College of Medicine faculty and their collaborators. Depending on the number of submissions, we may have to limit the number of accepted posters.

2. **I am an MSRP student and I wish to bring a research poster.**
   This submission form is for MSRP students only.

3. **I wish to host an informational booth or bring an informational poster.**
   For UF support organizations or research groups/centers to display information about their programs and available resources for College of Medicine researchers.

4. **I wish to attend only.**

Submission deadline: **11:59pm on Wednesday, January 10, 2018**

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**New Grant Awarded!**

Habibeh Khoshbouei, PhD  
Associate Professor  
Department of Neuroscience

Wolfgang Streit, PhD  
Professor  
Department of Neuroscience

Gonzalo Torres, PhD  
Associate Professor  
Department of Pharmacology & Therapeutics

**Drs. Khoshbouei, Streit and Torres** have been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R21 grant entitled, "Functional interplay between D2 autoreceptor and dopamine transporter.

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**Dr. Abel Torres Joins UF as Chair of the Department of Dermatology**

Abel Torres, M.D., J.D., M.B.A., will become the chair of the UF College of Medicine department of dermatology effective July 1, 2018.

Dr. Torres is currently chair of the department of dermatology at the Loma Linda University School of Medicine in Loma Linda, California, where he also serves as a professor of dermatology and an associate professor of public health. He was also the recent past chair and a professor of dermatology at the Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine/MetroHealth System campus in Cleveland. Previously, he served as the residency training program director for the Harvard department of dermatology and director of the Mohs surgery and Mohs fellowship training program at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute/Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston.

He has served on premier dermatology professional society boards, including the American College of Mohs Surgery and the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery. He is currently the immediate past president of the American Academy of Dermatology, which represents over 17,000 dermatologists.

Throughout the recruitment process, our search committee sought out a candidate who could build upon the department of dermatology's solid clinical and educational reputation. Dr. Torres' track record for innovating in medicine and education makes him the perfect fit. We look forward to working
Congratulations!

The American Medical Society for Sports Medicine

Jason L. Zaremski, MD. Assistant Professor in the Department of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation has been selected as a "2018 Junior Traveling Fellow" for The American Medical Society for Sports Medicine to tour to Scandinavia. The Traveling Fellowship program offers an opportunity for academic exchange and clinical immersion for sports medicine physicians to teach and learn sports medicine on a global level.

Pfizer Ophthalmics Carl Camras Translational Research Award

Shannon Boye, PhD. Associate Professor in the Department of Ophthalmology has been selected to receive a 2018 AVRO (Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology Foundation)/Pfizer Ophthalmics Carl Camras Translational Research Award. The award presentation will be made at the 2018 ARVO Annual Meeting in Honolulu, Hawaii in April, 2018.

Now available - Mamava privacy pod for breastfeeding.
Heart, vascular and neuro services open in our new hospitals!

Dec. 10, our hospital teams oversaw the successful transfer of 139 inpatients into the new building and the move of approximately 30 patient transfers within our other hospitals as faculty, residents, staff and volunteers began hospital-based care. Today, Dec. 11, four UF Health Physicians specialty practices opened in this new location: UF Health Surgical Specialists - Heart & Vascular Hospital; UF Health Cardiology - Heart & Vascular Hospital; UF Health Neurology - Neuromedicine Hospital; and UF Health Neurosurgery - Neuromedicine Hospital.

Special thanks to the incredible leadership and tireless commitment of our UF Health Shands, UF College of Medicine, UF Health Physicians and UF Health core service colleagues who served on numerous committees, workgroups and teams to plan and roll out every detail of this milestone project.

We acknowledge the dozens of faculty and staff who represented their hardworking departments as members of several transition subcommittees: Communications, IT Services, Orientation, Patient Care and Support Services. We also thank the approximately 250 extra faculty and staff members who worked over the weekend to ensure a safe and efficient patient move process. To everyone who contributed and who is now providing and supporting care in our heart and neuro hospitals, thank you.

You can still go online and take the interactive orientation module to familiarize yourself with the new facilities. These resources - including FAQs, maps, parking and shuttle information - are available on Blueprints on Bridge, under the "News & Events" tab on the homepage. Later this month, 360-degree virtual tours of these hospitals and clinics will be added to this site. You can also visit UFHealth.org/news to read our news announcement about this move.

For our patients and the community, new hospital maps and resources are available on the public Blueprints for Progress website. Visit http://blueprints.UFHealth.org for information.

On "Leaders Online" on the Bridge, we have also posted our Op Ed piece that appeared in the Gainesville Sun yesterday.

In the upcoming weeks, please continue to assist all our colleagues involved in supporting operations as we serve patients, their families and visitors.

Hospitality Training

Required Hospitality Training Sessions are held on Mondays from 8:00am - 11:45am in the Facilities Administration Building for Gainesville campus faculty. Register at: hrd@shands.ufl.edu. Enter your name, UFID, Department and Position, as well as the date you want to attend. An email confirmation will be sent once you are registered".

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Upcoming Wellness Wednesdays...

- January-How to Lose Weight and Keep It Off
- February-Coping with Chronic Pain: Strategies to Improve Quality of Life
- March-Parks: Pathways to Health and Wellness

Register Now! To register for upcoming sessions, go to the Wellness Wednesday course homepage in myTraining. Click the blue registration button to select the session(s) you wish to attend and then click submit at the bottom of the page. Please note: If you have previously registered for a Wellness Wednesday, the registration button will read “Register Again.” Registration is not required for online viewing.

New Weight Management Program for GatorCare Members
Shape Up is an eight-week weight management program for GatorCare members that provides accountability and tools to help you lose weight and create healthy habits that stick. In addition to biweekly weigh-ins, the program will offer educational presentations and a variety of interactive, hands-on activities meant to support weight loss goals. Register by Jan. 5. Program begins Jan. 8. Visit the Shape Up website for more information.

Maintain, don't gain this holiday season
Many Americans gain between 1 and 5 pounds each holiday season. While it might not sound like much, most people never manage to lose those extra pounds. You are invited to join the 11th annual Eat Smart, Move More, Maintain, don't gain! Holiday Challenge. Rather than focusing on trying to lose weight, this FREE seven-week challenge provides you with tips, tricks, and ideas to help maintain your weight throughout the holiday season. The program begins Nov. 13 and runs through Dec. 31. Register now.

New Certificate Program Prepares Biomedical Scientists for Careers with Teaching, Research, and Mentoring Responsibilities.

A 9-credit hour, Biomedical Scientist as Educator Certificate, sponsored by CTSI and the College of Medicine will prepare the next generation of biomedical scientists for proficiency as faculty. These courses, taught with didactic, reflective, and hands-on experiential learning activities have been designed to certify that program participants will be prepared to teach, conduct educational research and mentor students upon entry into their future academic positions. Courses are taught online. Cohort-instructor interactions will occur via the use of online discussion boards. This approach is intended to maximize flexibility for the working professional who has significant laboratory and/or clinical responsibilities. Students will develop course products and outcomes relevant to the development of an educational portfolio. The average workload is estimated at about 3-4 hours per week. Click Here for more information.

CERTIFICATE COURSES

1. GMS 6951 Teaching Biomedical Science (2 credits) - Fall 2017
Students will acquire the skills necessary for creating and modifying biomedical science courses through a combination of self-awareness activities and information that informs teaching. Students will use their skills
2. **GMS 6952 Curricular Models for Biomedical Science** (3 credits) - Spring 2018

Students will be introduced to various models of teaching and their related instructional strategies. A major emphasis will be on (a) assisting students in the development of their teaching repertoire in biomedical science content, (b) adding new instructional strategies and (c) developing and revising biomedical science curriculum for courses that they will teach prospectively. **6951 Teaching Biomedical Science is a prerequisite.**

3. **GMS 6954 Assessing Effectiveness of Biomedical Science Teaching and Curricula** (3 credits) - Summer 2018

Students will receive an overview of the theory of evaluation and apply practice connections to conducting an evaluation study. Working together, students will develop a proposal for an evaluation study, undertake a component of the proposed evaluation study, write and present related findings.

**GMS 6951 Teaching Biomedical Science and GMS 6952 Curricular Models for Biomedical Science are prerequisites.**

4. **GMS 6953 Art and Science of Mentoring** (1 credit) - Summer 2018

Participants will acquire the knowledge and skills required to effectively mentor other professionals who are in early stages of career development and to enhance their own experiences as mentees. Students will use their skills to: (a) complete an individual development plan, (b) identify ethical dilemmas in mentoring and describe strategies to prevent them, and (c) articulate their own mentoring philosophy.

**GMS 6951 Teaching Biomedical Science, GMS 6952 Curricular Models for Biomedical Science, and GMS 6954 Assessing Effectiveness of Biomedical Science Teaching and Curricula are prerequisites.**

Registration: Graduate Students, self-register (no departmental controls); Postdoc and Faculty must submit a UF Registrar; "non-degree" application each term registered. (email sgard@ufl.edu once application has been submitted)

https://registrar.ufl.edu/registration/employeed

https://www.ctsi.ufl.edu/education/

Promoting Deep Thinking
Team-Based Learning (TBL) is an evidence-based collaborative learning method that uses a specific sequence of individual work, group work, and immediate feedback to create a motivational framework in which students increasingly hold each other accountable for coming to class prepared and contributing to discussion. TBL focuses on the immediate application of new knowledge based on high-level learning objectives.

Experience TBL for yourself in these active learning workshops:
- TBL 101: Introduction to TBL
- Creating Effective TBL Modules
- Peer Evaluation Methods for TBL
- TBL Facilitation Skills
- Ensuring Student Buy-In for TBL
- Advanced TBL Module Writing

More information, workshop descriptions, and preregistration links available online at:
http://facdev.uhealth.org/resources/tblatuf/

The 2018 TBL Boot Camp is sponsored by the UF Academy of Distinguished Teaching Scholars, UF Office of Faculty Development & Teaching Excellence, UF College of Medicine Office of Faculty Affairs and Professional Development, UF College of Medicine Office of Educational Affairs, and UF College of Medicine Society of Teaching Scholars.
From mid-October to mid-December, the Health Science Center Library will be hosting a variety of exhibits and programming on the theme of Civil War medicine. For more details, check out our Library Guide: [http://guides.uflib.ufl.edu/civilwarexhibits](http://guides.uflib.ufl.edu/civilwarexhibits)

All of these exhibits and events are free and open to the public, and light refreshments will be provided - please join us!

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**UF Health Highlights**

Meet Kelly Foote, MD in the Department of Neurosurgery

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**Faculty Council Corner**

Next meeting, Tuesday, January 9, 2018 at 5:00 pm in the Harrell Medical Education Building, Room 128

Check the website for information about meetings and activities:

[http://facultycouncil.med.ufl.edu/](http://facultycouncil.med.ufl.edu/)

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**Upcoming Educational & Professional Development Seminars:**

- **Educational Development Seminars**
  - Best Practices in Outpatient and Inpatient Teaching
  - Thursday, December 14, 2017
  - 11am-12pm
  - Communicore Bldg Room C1-11
Communicore Bldg Room C1-11
Livestream link

Expanding Simulation in Medical Education
Thursday January 11, 2018
12 pm-1 pm
Teleconferenced from JAX in Communicore C3-17
Dr. Amanda Crichtlow
Livestream link

Educational Scholarship Program Series

Professional Development Seminars

Avoiding Physician Burn-out
Thursday January 25, 2018 at 5 pm
Harrell Medical Education Building room 128
Dr. Robert Hatch and Dr. Larry Rooks
Click here to register

Physician Wellness in the Multisport of Life: Athletic Participation for Physician Wellness
Thursday March 22, 2018 at 5 pm
Harrell Medical Education Building room 128
Dr. Sharon Byun
Click here to register

If you are not able to attend, click here to view the recorded session