

# Emory Alzheimer's Disease Research Center Scientific Retreat

*November 5, 2011*

<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Presenter</b>
8:00	<b>Welcome &amp; Overview</b>	Allan Levey MD, PhD
<b>Risk Factors</b>		
8:15 – 8:35	The role of late-life depression in cognitive deterioration	N. Kyle Steenland, PhD
8:35-8:55	Hypertension and the Risk for Cognitive Impairment in Older Adults	Felicia Goldstein, PhD
8:55 – 9:15	Early Onset Alzheimer's disease likely has recessive causes	Thomas Wingo, MD
9:15 – 9:30	Discussant	Viola Vaccarino, MD, PhD
<b>Early detection</b>		
9:30 – 9:50	Screening for Dementia in Primary Care	Janet Cellar, DNP
9:50 – 10:10	Can a simple behavioral task reveal risk for Alzheimer's disease?	Stuart Zola, PhD
10:10 – 10:30	Clock Me with Automatic Clock Drawing Test	Hyungsin Kim
10:30 – 10:45	Discussant	James Lah MD, PhD
10:45 – 11:00	<b>Break</b>	
<b>Norepinephrine &amp; Inflammation in AD</b>		
11:00 – 11:20	Functional Consequences of Locus Coeruleus and Norepinephrine Loss in Alzheimer's Disease	David Weinschenker, PhD
11:20 – 11:40	Role of TNF-Dependent Neuroinflammation and Regulators of Microglia Activation in Models of Neuronal Death	Malu Tansey, PhD
11:40 – 12:00	In vivo MRI measurement of Locus Coeruleus degeneration in Alzheimer's disease and Parkinson's disease	Dan Huddleston, MD
12:00 – 12:15	Discussant	Ray Dingledine, PhD
12:15 – 12:45	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:00 – 1:30	<b>Keynote Address:</b> Medical Advances in Alzheimer's: Some Ethical Reflections	Paul Root Wolpe, PhD
<b>Preserving &amp; Enhancing Cognition</b>		
1:30 – 1:50	Memory Rehabilitation Techniques in Mild Cognitive Impairment	Ben Hampstead, PhD
1:50 – 2:10	Musical Training and It's Mediating Effects on Cognitive Aging	Brenda Hanna-Pladdy, PhD
2:10 – 2:30	Exercise: An intervention for Cognitive Protection in the Elderly?	Bruce Crosson, PhD
2:30 – 2:45	Discussant	Melanie Greenaway, PhD
<b>Closing Remarks</b>		
2:45 – 3:15		Mahlon Delong, MD