Clinical Research Conference Archives
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UT Southwestern Medical Center’s program in Obesity, Diabetes, and Metabolic Research Outreach extends the scope to the medical community, other state institutions, and the general public. The weekly forum is open for discussion of obesity and education programs.

- **January 2, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Shawna Nesbitt, M.D.**
  - Associate Dean, Minority Student Affairs
  - Associate Professor, Internal Medicine
  - “Is aspirin in the elderly really protective?” [ASPREE Project]

- **January 9, 2013 [CME]**
  - **John (Drew) Bird, M.D.**
  - Assistant Professor
  - Pediatrics, Internal Medicine
  - “Investigational Therapies for the Treatment of Food Allergy”

- **January 16, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Roger Rosenberg, M.D.**
  - Professor, Neurology
  - "DNA Aβ42 Vaccine Therapy for Early Alzheimer's Disease"

- **January 23, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Daniel Bowers, M.D.**
  - Associate Professor, Pediatrics
  - "Effects of Hypothalamic Radiation on Metabolism in Survivors of Childhood Brain Tumors"

- **January 30, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Vijay Nambi, M.D.**
  - Assistant Professor
  - Baylor College of Medicine
  - Cardiology Staff, Ben Taub Hospital
  - "Ultrasound Imaging in Cardiovascular Disease Prevention: Where We Have Been, Where We Are and Where We Should Go To"

- **February 6, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Naim Maalouf, M.D.**
  - Assistant Professor, Internal Medicine
  - "Dietary Proteins and Calcium Metabolism"

- **February 13, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Juan M. Pascual, M.D., Ph.D.**
  - Director, Rare Brain Disorders Clinic and Laboratory
  - Departments of Neurology and Neurotherapeutics, Physiology, and Pediatrics
  - Division of Pediatric Neurology
  - "Disorders of Cerebral Intermediary Metabolism and Brain Function"

- **February 20, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Jaime Almandoz, M.D.**
  - Center for Human Nutrition
  - "Systemic Spillover of Dietary Fatty Acids in Type 2 Diabetes: Effect of Weight Loss"

- **February 27, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Catherine McNeal, M.D., Ph.D.**
  - Director of Cardiac Rehabilitation
  - Scott & White Healthcare
  - "Atherogenic HDL Containing ApoC-I"

- **March 6, 2013 [CME]**
  - **Linda Baker M.D.**
  - Professor of Urology and Eugene McDermott Center for Human Growth and Development
  - "Genetics of Prune Belly Syndrome"
• March 13, 2013 [CME]  
Jennifer L. Jones, Ph.D., R.D.  
Nutrition and Wellness Research Center  
Iowa State University  
"The Effect of a Mediterranean-style, Low Glycemic Load Diet on Lipoprotein Metabolism and Inflammation in Women Classified with Metabolic Syndrome"

• March 20, 2013 [CME]  
Carol Wise, Ph.D.  
Director of the Molecular Genetics Program for Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children  
Associate Professor of Orthopedic Surgery, McDermott Center for Human Growth and Development  
UT Southwestern Medical Center  
"GOOD for Kids: Translational genomics at TSRHC"

• March 27, 2013 [CME]  
Gregory Grabowski, M.D.  
Director, Division of Human Genetics  
Director, Medical Genetics Training Program  
Professor, UC Department of Pediatrics  
Cincinnati Children's Hospital  
"Gaucher disease: From the phenome to the genome to the lipidome"

• April 3, 2013  
Richard Bergman, Ph.D.  
Director of Cedars-Sinai's Diabetes and Obesity Research Institute, Los Angeles, Calif.  
"Biography of the Disposition Index"

• April 10, 2013 [CME]  
Scott M. Grundy, M.D., Ph.D.  
Director of the Center for Human Nutrition  
"Body Fat Composition and Metabolic Risk in the Dallas Heart Study"

• April 17, 2013 [CME]  
Ildiko Lingvay, M.D.  
Program Director, Endocrinology Fellowship Program  
Assistant Professor  
Internal Medicine, Department of Clinical Sciences  
"Metabolic Changes After Roux-En-Y Gastric Bypass Surgery in Patients with Type 2 Diabetes"

• April 24, 2013 [CME]  
Sandeep Das, M.D., M.P.H.  
Associate Professor in Internal Medicine  
"Translating Secondary Prevention Guidelines into Practice: The Parkland ACS QI initiative"

• May 1, 2013  
Jay M. Edelberg, M.D., Ph.D.  
Vice President and Head  
PCSK9 Development & Launch Unit  
Sanofi-Aventis USA  
"PCSK9 - A Clinical Trials Update"

• May 8, 2013 [CME]  
Ian Neeland, M.D.  
Research Fellow in Cardiology  
"Relation of Regional Fat Distribution with Left Ventricular Structure and Function"

• May 15, 2013 [CME]  
Sid O'Bryan, Ph.D.  
Assistant Professor Department of Neurology  
Director of Rural Research, F. Marie Hall Institute for Rural Research and Community Health  
Texas Tech University Health Science Center  
Garrison Institute on Aging  
"Metabolic Pathways for Treating Mild Cognitive Impairment among Mexican Americans"

• May 22, 2013 [CME]  
Jaime Davidson, M.D., FACP, FACE  
Clinical Professor of Internal Medicine  
Division of Endocrinology  
Texas Department of Health Services council member  
"The Role of the Kidney in Glucose Homeostasis, SGLT-2s in Clinical Development"
- **May 29, 2013 [CME]**  
  Julia Kozlitina, Ph.D.  
  Assistant Professor  
  Eugene McDermott Center for Human Growth & Development, Internal Medicine  
  "Interpretations and Applications of Accelerometer Data - Physical Activity and Beyond"

- **June 5, 2013 [CME]**  
  Abhimanyu Garg, M.D.  
  Program Director, Nutrition and Metabolic Diseases  
  Department of Internal Medicine  
  "Interesting Lipid Cases"

- **June 12, 2013 [CME]**  
  Jennifer Lambert, Ph.D.  
  Center for Human Nutrition  
  "Effect of Weight Loss on Liver Lipogenesis and NAFLD"

- **June 19, 2013 [non-CME]**  
  Gerald M. Reaven, M.D.  
  Professor of Internal Medicine  
  Division of Cardiovascular Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine  
  "Insulin Resistance: Not A Simple Concept"

- **June 26, 2013 [CME]**  
  Henry J. Pownall, Ph.D.  
  Director, Atherosclerosis & Lipoprotein Research  
  Cardiovascular Disease Program  
  The Methodist Hospital Research Institute  
  Department of Cardiology  
  The Methodist Hospital  
  "Resetting the HDL Compass"

- **July 3 – Sept 4**  
  Summer recess

- **September 11, 2013**  
  Anand Rohatgi, M.D.  
  Assistant Professor  
  Internal Medicine, Division of Cardiology  
  "HDL Function in the Dallas Heart Study"

- **October 2, 2013**  
  Lawrence L. Rudel, Ph.D.  
  Professor of Pathology - Lipid Sciences and Biochemistry  
  Section Head, Lipid Sciences  
  Wake Forest School of Medicine  
  "Treatment and prevention of SOAT2-related atherosclerosis and steatosis"

- **October 23, 2013**  
  Helen Vlassara, M.D.  
  The Mount Sinai Chair on Diabetes and Aging  
  Professor of Geriatrics, Medicine, and Molecular Medicine  
  Director, Division of Experimental Diabetes and Aging  
  Brookdale Department of Geriatrics, Mount Sinai School of Medicine  
  "AGEs and Diabetes: A Paradigm Shift and its Solution"

- **November 20, 2013**  
  Anne Elizabeth Sumner, M.D.  
  Chief - Ethnicity and Health Section  
  NIDDK, National Institutes of Health  
  Bethesda, MD  
  "Challenges with using A1C as a Diagnostic Tool African descent Populations"

- **December 11, 2013**  
  Jennifer Panganiban, M.D.  
  Pediatric GI Fellow working with Charina Ramirez, M.D.  
  "Screening, Diagnosis, and Management of Pediatric Non Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease (NAFLD)"