

Department of Internal Medicine
Section on Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine
Spring 2016 Schedule for the Sticht Center Conference on Aging
Date and Time: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm
Location: Sticht Center Auditorium

Date		Speaker	Title/Topic	Host	
Jan 2016	13	J. Mark Cline, DVM, PhD, DACVP Professor and Section Head, Comparative Medicine Department of Pathology Kylie Kavanagh, DVM, MS, MPH Assistant Professor, Section on Comparative Medicine Department of Pathology	Effects of Radiation on the Brain Long-Term Effects of Radiation Exposure on the Skeletal Muscle Structure and Function of Monkeys	Geriatrics	
	27	Matthew J. Gymer, MLA, MBA, DM Chief Consumer Products Officer Department of Strategy and Network Development	Citizen Groups, Meeting Patients Where They Are	Geriatrics	
Feb 2016	10	Gary H. McCullough, PhD Professor and Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Education, Beaver College of Health Sciences, Director, BCBS-NC Institute for Health and Human Services, Appalachian State University Rebecca Kappus, PhD Assistant Professor, Department of Health and Exercise Science, Beaver College of Health Sciences, Appalachian State University Kevin Zwetsloot, PhD Assistant Professor, Department of Health and Exercise Science, Beaver College of Health Sciences, Appalachian State University Kim McCullough, PhD Associate Professor, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders, Beaver College of Health Sciences Appalachian State University	Advancing Rural Health and Wellness: A Collaborative Approach to Building Evidence-Driven Models of Education, Assessment, and Intervention Impact of Race, Aging, and Sex on Vascular Function: Role of Oxidative Stress Inflammation and Related Mechanisms that Contribute to Sarcopenia and the Regulation of Skeletal Muscle Repair after Damage Mild Cognitive Impairment: Assessment, Early Intervention, and Implications for Long Term Cognitive Functioning	Geriatrics	
		24	Kathryn E. Callahan, MD, MS Assistant Professor, Section on Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine, Department of Internal Medicine Tan Zhang, MD, PhD Assistant Professor, Section on Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine, Department of Internal Medicine	Promoting Active Aging – An Innovation in Primary Care Cardiac Troponin T and Fast Skeletal Muscle Denervation in Older Adults	Geriatrics

Department of Internal Medicine
Section on Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine
Spring 2016 Schedule for the Sticht Center Conference on Aging
Date and Time: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm
Location: Sticht Center Auditorium

March 2016	9	Megan J. McManus, PhD Post-Doctoral Researcher Center for Mitochondrial and Epigenomic Medicine (CMEM) The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia Research Institute	The Mitochondrial Etiology of Neurodegenerative Disease	Geriatrics
	17-18	Please join us for an exciting interdisciplinary symposium that discusses what it means to age purposefully. This 2-day event will focus on mobility, mind, mortality, and meaning and will take place on the Reynolda Campus of Wake Forest University at Farrell Hall on 3/17, 4 pm – 7:15 pm and at the Bridger Field House on 3/18, 8 am – 8 pm. For more details, visit http://agingre-imagined.events.wfu.edu/ or contact Stephanie Reitz at reitzsct@wfu.edu	Aging Re-Imagined	WFU
	23	No Conference on Aging on March 23. Please plan to attend the Aging Re-Imagined Symposium on March 17-18th.		
April 2016	13	Akiva Mintz, MD, PhD, MHA, CFA Associate Professor and Vice Chair of Finance, Department of Radiology Section Head, Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging	Imaging Metabolism: An Overview of Current PET Technologies	Geriatrics
	27	Victor A. Hirth, MD, MHA, FACP, AGSF Professor and Chief, Division of Geriatrics Medical Director, Geriatric Services Medical Director, Health Science Center Medical Director, Senior Primary Care Practice Palmetto Health and University of South Carolina, School of Medicine	Applications of Technology in the Care of Older Adults	Geriatrics
May 2016	11	AGS Presentations	Recent findings in Gerontology from the Sticht Center on Aging to be presented at the 2016 American Geriatrics Society Annual Meeting	Geriatrics
	25	Benjamin A. Eaton, PhD Associate Professor, Department of Physiology Barshop Institute for Longevity and Aging Studies University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio	Adaptive Changes in Neurotransmission During Aging and the Consequences for Neural Function	Geriatrics

Department of Internal Medicine
Section on Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine
Spring 2016 Schedule for the Sticht Center Conference on Aging
Date and Time: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm
Location: Sticht Center Auditorium

June 2016	8	Sue A. Shapses, PhD, RD Professor, Department of Nutritional Sciences School of Environmental and Biological Sciences Director, New Jersey Obesity Group Rutgers University	Interventions Targeting Bone in Obesity During Weight Loss	WFU Department of Health & Exercise Science/Geriatrics
	22	Derek M. Huffman, PhD Assistant Professor, Department of Molecular Pharmacology and Medicine Co-Director, Chronobiosis and Energetics/Metabolism of Aging Core (CEAC), Institute for Aging Research Albert Einstein College of Medicine	Central Versus Peripheral IGF-1 Action for Healthy Aging and Longevity	Geriatrics