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September 2019 Faculty Orientation

A special thank you to the following faculty for attending the September 2019 orientation session.
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Dr. Christina Chadwick Department of Pediatrics
Dr. Joanna Chaffin Department of Pathology
Dr. Gajapathiraju Chamarthi Department of Medicine
Dr. Si Chen Department of Otolaryngology
Dr. Shirley Susana Cruz Beltran Department of Pediatric Cardiac Anesthesiology
Dr. Keith Howell Department of Anesthesiology
Dr. Brian Hughley Department of Otolaryngology
Dr. Patricia Peters Department of Dermatology
Dr. Kerri Peters Department of Psychiatry
Dr. Bashar Qumseya Department of GI
Dr. Laurie Solomon Department of Psychiatry
Dr. Brian Stover Department of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology

Welcome New Faculty

Click here for photos and more information

Abbas Shahmohammadi M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Alaina Ritter M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Argyle Bumanglag Ph.D. Research Assistant Professor, Department of Neuroscience
Baldwin Christina M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics
Bavana Patel D.O., M.S. Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology
Bradley Bruggeman M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Brian Harlan M.D. Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry
Brian Ramnaraign M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Brian Stover M.D. Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics
Brittany Beel M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine
Brochhausen Mathias Ph.D. Associate Professor, Department of Health Outcomes and Biomedical Informatics
Celine Cattier M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Chang Zoon Chun Ph.D. Assistant Scientist, Department of Surgery
Chen Jinghua M.D., Ph.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Ophthalmology
Chen Si M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Otolaryngology
Christopher Harden M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Covey Matthew M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Daniel Castro M.D. Visiting Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics
Dave Meera M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
David McLean M.D. Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Derek Merck Ph.D. Research Associate Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine
Duarte Sergio Ph.D. Assistant Scientist, Department of Surgery
Dubin Andrew M.D. Professor, Department of Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation
Frances Saccoccio M.D., Ph.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics
Gajapathiraju Chamarthi M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Georgia Graham M.D. Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Giles Peek M.D., Ph.D. Clinical Professor, Department of Surgery
Graves Gabrielle M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Guy El Helou M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Hadigal Susheela M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Harold Hunt M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Radiology
Heft Jessica M.D., M.S. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Howell Keith M.D. Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Anesthesiology
Hughley Brian M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Otolaryngology
Janelle Wilkinson M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine
Jimmy Brown M.D., F.A.C.S. Clinical Professor, Department of Otolaryngology
Jin Linchun M.D., Ph.D. Assistant Scientist, Department of Neurosurgery
Joanne Chaffin M.D. Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
Next meeting, Tuesday, October 1, 2019
at 5:00 pm in M112

Check the website for information about meetings and activities:

http://facultycouncil.med.ufl.edu/

UF Health Highlights

Meet Dr. Jeremy McIntyre in the Department of Neuroscience
UF CTSI Mentor Academy

Is Accepting Nominations for Fall

Who Should Attend the Mentor Academy?

The Mentor Academy is for faculty at all levels. We are looking for faculty who are currently active in mentoring early career scientists, including graduate students, postdocs, and junior faculty.

Faculty who serve as mentors on training grants are encouraged to attend.

Any UF faculty member who attends at least seven of the eight sessions will be inducted as a "Master Mentor."

Give your faculty the tools for successful mentoring...
Join the Mentor Academy!

What Is the Mentor Academy?

The mission of the mentor academy is to promote the development of the next generation of clinical and translational scientists by promoting a culture of support for mentoring and by providing training in optimizing mentoring relationships for mentors and mentees at all levels of career development.

The Mentor Academy is structured around a four-month, eight-session seminar series on topics relevant to successful mentor-mentee interactions.

If you are interested in learning about mentoring best practices, then the Mentor Academy is the place to be. For more information, contact:

Dr. Roger Fillingim, PhD
Director, Mentor Academy
rfilling@ufl.edu

UF Clinical and Translational Science Institute
UNIVERSITY of FLORIDA
Sessions will be held in Room 3256 of the CTRB (North Side)

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SEMINAR SERIES

https://graddev.ufhealth.org/professional-skills/

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Second Fridays of each month, 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm (feel free to bring your lunch!) All sessions in room C1-17 unless otherwise noted

Smart Couples
Smart Couples

Good news!
Thanks to the overwhelming response to the survey I sent regarding the FREE relationship workshops, we were able to arrange for both classes to be offered here at the UF Health Science Center beginning the first week of October! Registration information is included below and on the attached flyer. Information about alternate days/sites that the workshops are offered is also below and on the second attached flyer. As a reminder:

* Workshops are 100% free.

* Dinner is provided.

* Attendees earn gift cards for participation and completion of surveys.

The "Before You Tie the Knot" course for couples or singles will be offered Mondays from 6pm-8:30pm in the Communicore Building (C1-17). The class will meet 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28
Registration will be limited to individuals affiliated with the UF HSC (faculty, staff, and trainees) and will remain open until slots are filled.
**You MUST pre-register for the UF HSC "Before You Tie the Knot" course here:**
https://alachua-fy5-bytk-s1a-private.eventbrite.com

The "Elevate" course for couples to attend WITH their partner will be offered Tuesdays from 6pm-8:30pm in the Communicore Building (C1-17).
The class will meet 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29
Registration will be limited to individuals affiliated with the UF HSC (faculty, staff, and trainees) and will remain open until slots are filled.
**You MUST pre-register for the UF HSC "Elevate" course here:**
https://alachua-fy5-elevate-1sa-private.eventbrite.com
Did You Know?

SMART Couples Florida
Making SMART Choices for Healthy Relationships

Relationship Skills Workshops

FREE, FUN, FOOD, AND GIFT CARDS

*Improve Communication. Resolve Conflicts. Strengthen Your Relationship.*

**Premarital Workshop**

*Before You Tie the Knot: For Singles or Couples*

**Mondays:** Sept. 30th, Oct 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th
**Time:** 6:00pm - 8:30
**Location:** Communicore Rm C1-17

**Couples Workshop**

*ELEVATE: Taking Your Relationship to the Next Level*

**Tuesdays:** Oct. 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th
**Time:** 6:00pm - 8:30
**Location:** Communicore Rm C1-17

All classes meet once a week for 5 weeks

Enroll in a SMART Couples workshop today

Preregistration is required.

Please go to Classes & Events at smartcouples.org or contact

Jaime Haynes (BYTK) 352-273-3539
j.haynes@ufl.edu

Stephanie Norman (Elevate) 352-273-3499
Snorman06@ufl.edu

Check out our easy-to-use website at SMARTcouples.org

Funding for this project is provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Grant: 90CT1077-02-00. These services are available to all eligible persons, regardless of race, gender, age, disability or religion, in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 504. P.L. persons needing accommodations or an interpreter to participate in programs should contact their UF/IFAS Extension office no later than 5 days prior to the scheduled meeting time or call 1-800-955-6771 (TDD).
Did You Know?

The S.A.F.E. (Self-Defense Awareness and familiarization Exchange) program is taught by nationally certified instructor who is dedicated to help members of our community become more aware of and better familiar with basic self-defense concepts. The course is a 2 hour class geared toward adult and teenage women. The class starts with a short introduction video, then progresses into a 1 1/2 hour physical self-defense familiarization presentation.

The class are free, but enrollment is limited to ensure the highest level of quality instruction. Here is the current schedule for the 2019 year.

2019 Schedule:

Tuesday, October 15, 2019 / 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday, December 10, 2019 / 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

All classes will be held at the UFPD - Community Services Division classroom (Building 596). The UFPD is located at the corner of Museum Road and Newell Drive.

To register, please email the Program Coordinator using our online Inquiries & Registration form or by calling (352) 273-3328. Please provide your name, email address, phone number, and which class dates you would like to attend.
Get the house in-law ready.

Find a housekeeper

Hate finding rogue tinsel... in March?

Find a housekeeper

School is closed for how long?

Find a sitter

Mom and dad could use some extra help.

Get started
Open Enrollment Information Expo!
Wednesday, October 16, 2019
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Join us at the College of Medicine Founder’s Gallery in the Shands Hospital

Open Enrollment Dates:
October 14, 2019 - November 1, 2019

Come and learn about...

Benefits Information
Connect with Retirement Vendors
RecSports Offerings
Wellness Information

For questions contact HR@comfs.ufl.edu

New Grants Awarded!
Catherine Flores, PhD. Assistant Professor, Department of Neurosurgery has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R01 grant entitled, "Hematopoietic stem cells overcome treatment resistance to adoptive cellular therapy against malignant gliomas".

Jinying Zhao, PhD. Professor, Department of Epidemiology has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R01 grant entitled, "Genome-wide mapping and integrative analysis of DNA 6mA methylome in human AD brain".

Robert Mankowski, PhD. Assistant Professor, Department of Aging and Geriatric Research has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R21 grant entitled, "Nicotinamide riboside as an Enhancer of Exercise Therapy in hypertensive older adults: The NEET Trial".

Rui Xiao, PhD. Assistant Professor, Department of Aging and Geriatric Research has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R01 grant entitled, "Active roles of glial cells in olfaction and age-related olfactory decline".

Shannon Boye, PhD. Associate Professor, Department of Ophthalmology has been...
Shannon Boye, PhD. Associate Professor, Department of Ophthalmology has been awarded a National Institutes of Health R01 renewal grant entitled, "Engineering AAV for safe and efficient gene delivery to the human retina".

Jose Trevino, MD. Associate Professor, Department of Surgery has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R01 grant entitled, "Use of BCL-xL Proteolysis targeting chimeras to treat pancreatic cancer".

Wen-Tao Deng, PhD. Associate Scientist, Department of Ophthalmology has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R01 grant entitled, "Disease mechanisms of cone opsin mutants and treatment strategies".

Jose F. Abisambra, PhD. Associate Professor, Department of Neuroscience has been awarded a new National Institutes of Health R56 grant entitled, "Tau-mediated Regulation of Ribosomes in Health and Disease".
Salvatore Scali, MD. Associate Professor, Department of Surgery, has been awarded a National Institutes of Health R01 grant entitled, "Impaired Mitochondrial Energetics is a Driver of Hemodialysis Access Related Hand Dysfunction".

Jada M. Lewis, PhD
Professor
Department of Neuroscience

David R. Borchelt, PhD
Professor
Department of Neuroscience

Jose F. Abisambra, PhD
Associate Professor
Department of Neuroscience

Dr. Lewis, Dr. Borchelt, and Dr. Abisambra have been awarded a new National Institutes of Health new R61 grant entitled, "Developing new conditional models to study tauopathy, amyloidosis, and their interaction".

Rene Przkora, MD, PhD
Professor
Department of Anesthesiology

Patrick J. Tighe, MD
Associate Professor
Department of Anesthesiology

Dr. Przkora and Dr. Tighe have been awarded a new National Institutes of Health U24 grant entitled, "University of Florida Early Phase Pain Investigation Clinical Center".
Dr. Golde, Dr. Bizon, and Dr. Lewis have been awarded a new National Institutes of Health new R01 grant entitled, "Immunotherapy targeting the HPA axis in Alzheimer’s disease".

Congratulations

**Researcher of the Year**

Monica Aggarwal, MD. Associate Professor, Department of Medicine has been named the "Stop Heart Disease" Researcher of the Year at the annual meeting of the Florida Chapter of the American College of Cardiology on August 17, 2019. Click here to read more.
Thank you

Your support for Raising Hope at Work means so much. Because of your generosity, we raised $124,207.33 for UF Health! More importantly, we came together to raise hope for children, education, discovery and care.

Team Champions for this year’s Raising Hope at Work employee giving campaign gathered for a final update. This year, we celebrated TEN years of Raising Hope at Work!

Top teams

Our congratulations and sincere thanks to the following teams for their passionate support during Raising Hope at Work.

Top Teams by Dollars Pledged
1. UF College of Medicine - Department of Psychiatry: $19,289
2. UF Health Finance: $17,898
3. UF Health Shands Facilities: $10,877
4. UF Health Supply Chain Services: $6,077
5. UF Health Development: $5,092

Top Teams by Participation
1. UF Health Operational Effectiveness: 100%
2. UF College of Medicine Department of Finance and Administration: 94%
3. UF Health Finance: 94%
4. UF Health Compliance and Privacy: 88%
5. UF Health Development: 58%

Privileged to serve
Thank you for giving back to support those we serve. We look forward to our next Raising Hope at Work employee giving campaign in 2020!

Funding Opportunities

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Funding Opportunities

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If you have questions, please contact the Division of Research Program Development.
Inviting all College of Medicine employees (Faculty/Staff)! COM-HR Specialists are available onsite to help answer questions regarding your UF employee benefits (medical, dental, vision, retirement, etc.). Feel free to stop by or schedule an appointment by emailing us at: hr@comfs.ufl.edu

Come by and visit us any time between 8:00am – 12:00pm (noon) or 1:00pm – 5:00pm

- August 13, 2019
- September 10, 2019
- October 8, 2019
- November 12, 2019
- December 10, 2019

ARB - R1-106
Hugh Hill Conference Room (near Founder's Gallery)

For questions or additional information please email us at: hr@comfs.ufl.edu
Gator Lift provides reliable, convenient and free shuttle service to accessible locations within the boundaries of the campus of the University of Florida for students, faculty, and staff with temporary or permanent mobility-related disabilities.

http://parking.ufl.edu/transit-commuting/gator-lift-2/