

RCCN Workshop: Aging, Race, and Health Disparities

June 28-29, 2022

Bethesda, MD & Virtual

Tuesday, June 28, 2022

- 12:00 – 12:30 pm *Welcome, Overview, and Goals of the Workshop*
Stephen Kritchevsky, Wake Forest School of Medicine
- 12:30 – 1:00 pm *Plenary: NIA’s Health Disparities Framework*
Patricia Jones, National Institute on Aging (Virtual)
- 1:00 -1:10 pm Q&A
- 1:10 – 1:40 pm *Plenary: What Do We Mean When We Say ‘Health Disparities’*
Shannon Zenk, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities
and National Institute of Nursing Research
- 1:40 - 1:50 pm Q&A
- 1:50 - 2:00 pm *Break*
- Topic I: Frameworks and Methodologic Approaches for Health Disparities Research**
Moderator: Lourdes Guerrero, University of California, San Diego
- 2:00 – 2:15 pm *Life Course Racial Disadvantage in Exposure to Family Member Deaths*
Debra Umberson, University of Texas at Austin (Virtual)
- 2:15 – 2:30 pm *Social Networks*
Alyssa Goldman, Boston College
- 2:30 – 2:45 pm *Social Determinants of Health, Particularly Racism and Colorism*
Taylor Hargrove, University of North Carolina
- 2:45 – 3:00 pm *Social Determinants Driving Racial-Ethnic Disparities in Alzheimer’s Disease (AD) Diagnosis and Treatment*
Annalise Rahman-Filipiak, University of Michigan
- 3:00 - 3:15 pm *Break*
- 3:15 -- 3:30 pm *Consequences of Status / Hierarchy in Animal Models*
Nicole Thompson-Gonzalez, University of California, Santa Barbara
- 3:30 – 3:45 pm *Qualitative Methods / Ethnographic*
Liz Dzung, University of California, San Francisco
- 3:45 – 4:00 pm *Weathering and social epigenetics: racial disparities in biological aging*

Isabel Yannatos, University of Pennsylvania

4:00 – 4:15 pm *A Technological Solution to Overcome Disparities in Research Participation*
Emily Smail, University of Florida

4:15 - 4:30 pm *Vascular Contribution to Cognitive Aging Among Older Adults Living with HIV*
Ray Jones, University of Alabama at Birmingham

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8:30 – 9:00 am *Plenary: Research to Action: Linking Exposome, Brain Health and Health Equity Policy*
Amy Kind, University of Wisconsin

9:00 - 9:10 am Q&A

Topic II: Biologic, Physiologic, and Health Care Implications

Moderator: Jay Magaziner, University of Maryland

9:10 – 9:25 am *Functional Phenotypes: Frailty as an Example*
Karen Bandeen-Roche, Johns Hopkins University

9:25 – 9:40 am *Measuring the Pace of Biologic Age*
Sarah Forrester, University of Massachusetts

9:40 – 9:55 am *Evidence of Biological Age Advancement as a Mediator Between the Environment and Health Outcomes*
Ganga Bey, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

9:55 - 10:10 am *Break*

10:10 – 10:25 am *Socioeconomic Differences in Patient-Centered Outcomes Following Hospitalization*
Snigda Jain, Yale University

10:25 – 10:40 am *Community Engagement of Underserved Populations for Research (Methodologic)*
Ronit Elk, University of Alabama at Birmingham

10:40 – 10:55 am *Use Case: Brain Donation*
Crystal Glover, Rush University

10:55 – 11:10 am *Statistic Modelling as it Relates to Race, Ethnicity, and Health Disparities*
Wassim Tarraf, Wayne State University

11:10 - 11:25 am *Break*

- 11:25 - 11:40 am *Developing Health Disparities Investigators*
Raegan Durant, University of Alabama at Birmingham
- 11:40 – 11:55 am *Non-Pharmacologic Approaches for Improving Lives of Older Adults Living with Cognitive Impairment*
Darina Petrovsky, Rutgers University
- 11:55 am – 12:10 pm *Genetics of Dementia in a Turkish Cohort*
Nadia Dehghani, Van Andel Institute