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| **Epilepsy Focus Research Forum** |
| **September Theme: “ESES (Electrical Status Epilepticus in Sleep)”**  **“Glutamate Receptor Mutations in Children with Epileptic Encephalopathy”**  Hyunmi Kim, MD, PhD, MPH  Director, Pediatric Epilepsy Program  Associate Professor, Department of Pediatrics and Neurology  Emory University School of Medicine  **“Human Variation in the GRIN Family of Genes Encoding the NMDA Receptors”**  Stephen Traynelis, PhD  Professor, Department of Pharmacology  Emory University School of Medicine  September 14, 2016  6:00 PM – 7:30 PM  Egleston Classrooms 5-7  [RSVP for Dinner](https://doodle.com/poll/b7f7zgqwufif8zme)  [Add to Calendar](http://www.pedsresearch.org/calendar/export/1171)  Hosted by Children’s Center for Neurosciences Research & Emory Epilepsy Program  To be added to the Epilepsy Focus distribution list, please contact [Tracy Willoughby](mailto:twillo2@emory.edu?subject=Epilepsy%20Focus). |
| “Epilepsy Focus” is a monthly dinner meeting to encourage collaborations among all persons interested in epilepsy at Emory University. We largely consist of clinicians (both pediatric and adult epileptologists), neurosurgeons (both pediatric and adult), neuroradiologists (both pediatric and adult) as well as scientists from diverse disciplines including Epidemiology, Human Genetics, Neuropsychology, Neuroscience and Pharmacology. Learners of all levels - principal investigators, attendings, RNs, APNs, fellows, residents, postdoctoral fellows, research specialists and students - are welcome to join us. Each evening (6:00pm-7:30pm) will feature two, 20 minute presentations, ideally one clinical and one basic science, either an original work or a critical review of a published article. From time to time, we will have an invited speaker. We expect 30-50 people to gather over a buffet dinner to have friendly and informal round table discussions.  **2nd Wednesday of Every Month • 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM • Egleston Classrooms 5-7**  **Next Meeting: October 12, 2016**  **Theme: Functional MRI**  **Speakers: Nadja Kadom, MD – Radiology, Hui Mao, MD - Radiology** |