

CF Research Events in April 2016

The Southeast Regional CF Research Symposium

co-sponsored by the CF Foundation

April 11, at the Health Science Research Building auditorium

8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Welcome, Introduction to the Atlanta Center: Nael McCarty, PhD, Emory; Arlene Stecenko, MD, Emory

Morning Session: Focus on Inflammation

Keynote Speaker: Marcus Mall, MD, German Center for Lung Research

Speakers: Amit Gaggar, MD, PhD, UAB; Rabin Tirouvanziam, PhD, Emory

Discussion and Panel: Clinical Trials - Inflammation

Lunch and Poster Session/Contest

Introduction to the UAB Center: Dave Bedwell, PhD, UAB

Afternoon Session: Focus on Drug Discovery

Speakers: Eric Sorscher, MD, Emory; Nael McCarty, PhD, Emory; Dave Bedwell, PhD, UAB

Discussion and Panel: Clinical Trials - Drug Discovery

Closing Remarks, Poster Awards, Continued Poster Viewing with CF families

Parents and caregivers from Egleston (North Druid Hills), Scottish Rite, and Emory Adult CFF accredited programs are invited to attend this event. Researchers and clinical staff associated with these programs are also invited. Due to infection control risks to people with CF, we ask that no patients attend.

Register at: www.surveymonkey.com/r/CFResearchSymposium2016

The Second Annual Dr. Dan Caplan Family Science Dinner

April 11, at the Health Science Research Building auditorium

5:15 – 6:00 p.m.: Refreshments and Viewing of Poster Session with Scientists

6:00 – 6:55 p.m.: Buffet Dinner

7:00 – 8:00 pm: Scientific Program for CF Families

“Personalized Drug Development for CF”

- Eric Sorscher, MD, Emory

“Healthier and Happier CF People: Decreasing Depression and Anxiety in CF”

- Rachel Linnemann, MD, Emory

“Insight on the Causes of Pulmonary Flare Ups and How This Could Lead to Better Treatment”

- Arlene Stecenko, MD, Emory,

“New Advances in European Approach to CF Care”

- Keynote: Marcus Mall, MD, German Center for Lung Research

CF Foundation - Scot Rittenbaum, Executive Director, GA Chapter

William Skach, MD, Vice President for Research Affairs

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Register at: www.surveymonkey.com/r/CaplanFamilyDinnerRSVP

Annual CF Research Retreat

April 12, at the Atlanta Botanical Gardens

Attendees: Atlanta CF core team faculty, staff, and trainees. External Advisory Board Members, and CF Foundation Representatives

This event is by invitation only

