

## Newsletter of The Multicampus Program in Geriatric Medicine and Gerontology

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### Updates from Multicampus Programs & Units

#### Awards Season

1. Congratulations to Dr Susan Leonard for receiving the *Renata '58, MA '61, MA '66 and Peter '51, MD '56 Landres Award* for Clinical Teaching and Research Excellence for 2025 at the School of Medicine Awards for Education Ceremony on May 21<sup>st</sup>.
2. Congratulations to Dr. Constance Fung for receiving the 2024 VA Health Services (HSR) Best Research Paper of the Year Award for her SWITCH Study testing a novel program to help older veterans decrease or discontinue benzodiazepine medications.
3. Congratulations to Dr. Jennifer Martin for receiving the 2024 VA HSR Health System Impact Award.

HSR gives out only a handful of awards each year; we are extremely proud that two of our faculty were recipients of these national awards.

#### Geriatric Medicine Fellowship:

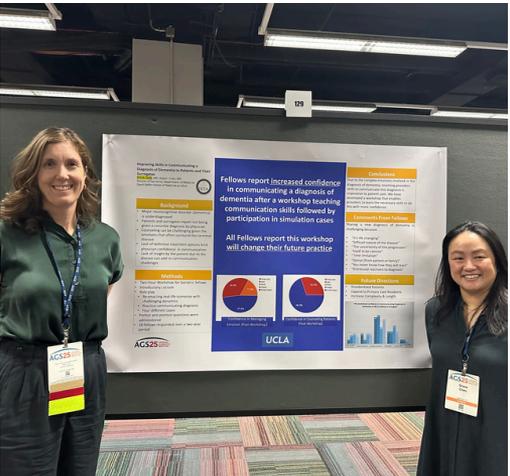
We had a strong presence in the 2025 American Geriatrics Society annual meeting in Chicago; each of our fellows presented at least one poster. The Fellowship Alumni event was well attended.

Fellowship Graduation will take place on June 11<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm at Kerchoff Hall.

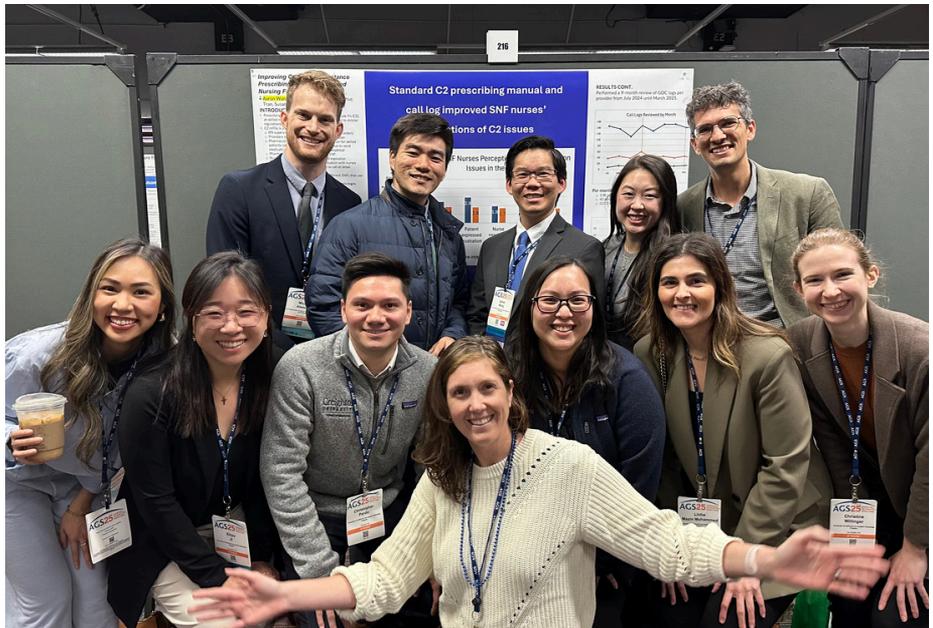
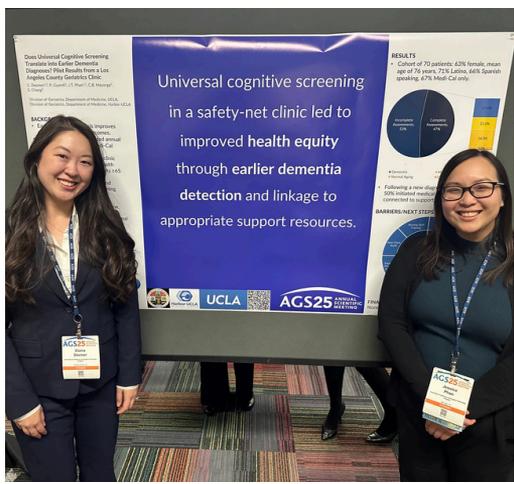
The fellows' end-of-year lectures are seeing solid faculty turnout from all three fellowship training sites.



*Congratulations Dr. Leonard!*



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