



CDI Scientific Seminar Series 2015-2016

Join us for "Third Thursdays" 12:00-1:00pm in Moss Auditorium (A2-342 MDCC)

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- Sep.17.2015** **LOCATION: 53-105 CHS.** UCLA Child Health Research Center Development Award K12 Scholars:
 Nutrition, Metabolism & Growth: **Mark Hanudel, M.D.**, Clinical Instructor, Pediatric Nephrology
"Fibroblast growth factor 23 and iron in chronic kidney disease"
 Infection, Inflammation & Immunity: **Caroline Kuo, M.D.**, Clinical Instructor, Ped. Allergy & Immunology
"Targeted gene therapy in the treatment of X-linked hyper-IgM syndrome"
- Oct.15.2015** **LOCATION: Tamkin Auditorium, 7:00am-12:00pm.** In lieu of a seminar this month, CDI is supporting
Dr. Satiro De Oliveira (K12 Scholar) for a special **"Scientific Symposium on Cellular Therapies"**
 followed by faculty meetings with the speakers in the afternoon (Theme: Cancer and Regeneration)
- Nov.19.2015** Nutrition, Metabolism & Growth: **Isidro Salusky, M.D.**, Professor, Pediatric Nephrology
"Bone and vascular health in chronic kidney disease: A potential systemic disorder"
- Dec.17.2015** Infection, Inflammation & Immunity: **Anna-Barbara Moscicki, M.D.**, Professor, Adolescent Medicine
"Human papillomavirus: Transmission patterns and immune responses"
- Jan.21.2016** Health Services Research: **Roshan Bastani, Ph.D.**, Professor, School of Public Health
"Intervention research to mitigate child health disparities"
- Feb.18.2016** Brain, Behavior & Development: **Raman Sankar, M.D., Ph.D.**, Professor, Pediatric Neurology
"More to epilepsy than just seizures: Importance of comorbidities and research to untangle the connection"
- Mar.17.2016** UCLA Child Health Research Center Development Award K12 Scholars:
 Cancer & Regeneration: **Satiro De Oliveira, M.D.**, Assistant Professor, Pediatric Hematology/Oncology
"Gene-modified hematopoietic stem cells for cancer immunotherapy"
 Brain, Behavior & Development: **Alison Chu, M.D.**, Clinical Instructor, Pediatric Neonatology
"Epigenetics of cardiovascular disease: Clues from the placenta"
- Apr.21.2016** Brain, Behavior & Development: **Eric Vilain, M.D., Ph.D.**, Professor, Human Genetics, Peds. & Urology
"The sex-ome: Novel approaches to disorders of sex development"
- May.19.2016** Health Services Research: **Stephen Shew, M.D., FACS, FAAP**, Professor, Pediatric Surgery
"Defining quality and value in pediatric surgical care"
- Jun.16.2016** Health Services Research: **Tumaini Coker, M.D., MBA**, Assistant Professor, General Pediatrics
"Using telehealth to improve specialty behavioral health services for children at community clinics"
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