

Program

7:30-8:00 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

Lang Auditorium lobby

8:00-8:05 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

Phyllis August, M.D., M.P.H.

*Theresa Lang Director of the Theresa and Eugene M. Lang
Center for Research and Education, New York Hospital Queens
Ralph A. Baer, M.D. Professor of Medical Research,
Weill Cornell Medical College*

8:05-8:10 a.m.

The Importance of Research in a Community Hospital

George F. Heinrich, M.D.

Chairman of the Board of Trustees

8:10-8:15 a.m.

The Significance of Residents and Fellows Research Day

Stephen S. Mills, F.A.C.H.E.

President and Chief Executive Officer

8:15-8:20 a.m.

Introduction of the Keynote Speaker

Chaim Charytan, M.D., F.A.C.P.

*Chief, Renal Division
Medical Director, Dialysis Unit
Department of Medicine
Division of Nephrology*

8:20-9:05 a.m.

Keynote Address

Basic Science to Medicine:

Important Discoveries I Have Made

During a Quarter Century as a Physician-Scientist

Ronald J. Falk, M.D.

*Allen Brewster Distinguished Professor of Medicine, School of Medicine,
University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill (UNC)
Professor of Medicine, UNC Hospitals
Chief, UNC Division of Nephrology and Hypertension*

9:05-9:20 a.m.

**Racial Impact on Bone Metabolism
Parameters: A Retrospective Review**

Sajeet Sawhney, M.D.
*Department of Medicine
Division of Nephrology*

9:20-9:35 a.m.

**Progression of Pulmonary Hypertension
In Dialysis Population Is Associated
With Increased Mortality**

Nimra Sarfaraz, M.D.
*Department of Medicine
Division of Nephrology*

9:35-9:50 a.m.

**First-Year Experience of a Hospital-
Based Outpatient Antimicrobial
Parenteral Therapy Unit**

Javeira Shakil, M.D.
*Department of Medicine
Division of Infectious Diseases*

9:50-10:30 a.m.

**Poster Presentations
Coffee Break**

10:30-10:45 a.m.

**Age, Hormone Receptor Status, Ethnicity and
Adjuvant Radiation Therapy as Predictive Factors
For Cancer-Related Death in Elderly Patients
Aged 70 Years and Older, With Early Stage pT1a, b N0
Breast Cancer: An NCI-SEER Database Analysis**

Weisi Yan, M.D.
Department of Radiation Oncology

10:45-11:00 a.m.

**Coronary Collaterals Are not Cardioprotective
In Multiethnic STEMI Patients With Successful
Revascularization**

Abhishek Jaiswal, M.D.
*Department of Medicine
Division of Cardiology*

11:00-11:15 a.m.

**Cognitive Changes After Surgery in the Elderly:
Does Minimally Invasive Surgery Influence the
Incidence of Postoperative Cognitive Changes,
Compared to Open Colon Surgery?**

Christopher Tan, M.D.
Department of Surgery

11:15-11:30 a.m.

**An Attempt to Reduce Unnecessary and
Repetitive Daily Laboratory Testing in the
Inpatient Hospital Setting**

Hein Htet, D.O.
Department of Medicine

11:30-11:45 a.m.

**Factors Associated With Positive Catheterization
Among Patients Who Present to the Emergency
Department With Prehospital ST-Elevation
Myocardial Infarction Notification**

Ke Zheng, M.D.
Department of Emergency Medicine

11:45 a.m.-12:00 noon

**To Code or Not to Code: An Educational Intervention
To Improve Discussions About Resuscitation Decisions
In a Community Hospital**

Archana Bushan, M.D.
Department of Medicine
Division of Palliative Care

12:00-12:15 p.m.

**Poor Outcomes in *Clostridium difficile* Enteritis
Is Associated With Low Vitamin D Levels**

Wallace Wang, M.D.
Department of Medicine
Division of Gastroenterology

12:15-12:30 p.m.

**Evaluation and Treatment of Very Low Birth Weight
Infants, <1500g, With Suspected Late Onset Sepsis:
A Clinical Practice Surveillance From Community-
Based Level III Neonatal Intensive Care Units
Affiliated With a Regional Perinatal Center**

Piyush Jain, M.B.B.S.
Department of Pediatrics
Division of Neonatology

12:30-12:45 p.m.

**Single Center Experience With Paclitaxel (T),
Carboplatin (C) and Capecitabine (X) in
Treatment of Advanced Esophagogastric Cancer**

Carl Ruoff, M.D.

Department of Medicine

Division of Oncology

12:45-1:00 p.m.

**Mammary Analog Secretory Carcinoma:
20 Cases in Minor Salivary Glands**

Jessica Wollenberg, D.M.D.

Department of Oral and Dental Medicine

1:00-1:15 p.m.

**Impact of Ethnicity 25-hydroxyvitamin D
Deficiency in Outcomes of the Critically Ill**

Liam Gross, D.O.

Department of Medicine

Division of Critical Care

1:15 p.m.

Award Ceremony and Luncheon

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