HARVARD CATALYST PROGRAM FOR FACULTY DEVELOPMENT AND DIVERSITY INCLUSION

2018

Visiting Research Internship Program

Student Presentations

Thursday, July 26, 2018
9:00am-noon
Benjamin Waterhouse Room
Gordon Hall
Harvard Medical School
The Harvard Medical School
Office for Diversity Inclusion and Community Partnership
The Harvard Catalyst Program for Faculty Development and Diversity Inclusion

are pleased to present

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OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION

Carol Martin, MPA
CTSC Program Manager

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS:

William Blake Swicord, University of Alabama School of Medicine
“Role of Activin-A Signaling in Atrial Fibrillation”
Mentor: Anthony Rosenzweig, MD
Massachusetts General Hospital

Mariah Cooper, University of North Dakota School of Medicine New York Medical College
“Translational Innovation in Adipose Derived Stem Cell Science from 2001 to 2016: Analysis of a Patent Database”
Mentors: Giorgio Giatsidis, MD (PI: Dennis P. Orgill, MD, PhD)
Tissue Engineering and Wound Healing Laboratory, Brigham and Women's Hospital

Abraham Isak, Howard University College of Medicine
“Determining Gender Differences in Brain Metabolites after Concussion”
Mentor: Alexander Lin, PhD
Brigham and Women's Hospital

Imazul Qadir, Howard University College of Medicine
“In-silico Approaches to Identify Therapeutic Targets in Primary and Metastatic Small Cell Lung Cancer (SCLC)”
Mentor: Carmen Priolo, MD, PhD
Brigham and Women's Hospital

Cristina Rivera Ramirez, University of Puerto Rico, Medical Sciences Campus
“Variables that Predict Follow-up for Patients with Pulmonary Nodules”
Mentor: Ronilda Lacson, MD, PhD
Center for Evidence Based Imaging, Brigham and Women's Hospital

Godwin Boaful, Brown University Alpert Medical School
“Defining the Spectrum of Pediatric Acute Respiratory Infections”
Mentors: Peter Moschovis, MD, MPH
Massachusetts General Hospital

RECEPTION TO FOLLOW
Harvard Catalyst: The Harvard Clinical and Translational Science Center
Program for Faculty Development and Diversity Inclusion (PFDD)

Under the leadership of Dean Joan Y. Reede, MD, MPH, MS, MBA, the Program for Faculty Development and Diversity Inclusion emphasizes the recruitment and retention of a diverse clinical and translational workforce as a top priority throughout Harvard Catalyst governance, programming, training, and resource allocation.

For more information on PFDD visit: http://catalyst.harvard.edu/programs/diversity/

Office for Diversity Inclusion and Community Partnership

DICP Mission
The mission of the Office for Diversity Inclusion and Community Partnership (DICP) is to advance diversity inclusion in health, biomedical, behavioral, and STEM fields that build individual and institutional capacity to achieve excellence, foster innovation, and ensure equity in health locally, nationally, and globally.

About DICP
The Office for Diversity Inclusion and Community Partnership (DICP) at Harvard Medical School (HMS) was established to promote the increased recruitment, retention and advancement of diverse faculty, particularly individuals from groups underrepresented in medicine (URM), at HMS and to oversee all diversity and inclusion activities involving HMS faculty, trainees, students and staff.

DICP’s Minority Faculty Development Program (MFDP), established in 1990, sponsors programs for the development of HMS faculty, with an emphasis on mentoring and leadership, as well as programs that are designed to reach out to the pre-college and college populations with the goal of bringing outstanding students, particularly URM students, into the pipeline. Under the aegis of MFDP, there are several programs that are designed to nurture and encourage talented students interested in careers in medicine and/or the biomedical sciences.

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