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136TH ANNUAL

REUNION DINNER

May 20-22 2016

New York Marriott at the Brooklyn Bridge



ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR SUNY DOWNSTATE

FRIDAY, MAY 20, 2016

Tour and Welcoming Receptions

12:15 PM

Complimentary transportation from NY Marriott at the Brooklyn Bridge Hotel (333 Adams St. entrance) to Medical School

12:45 PM

Welcoming Reception

Lecture Hall 1A in the Education Building at SUNY Downstate (Enter at 395 Lenox Road)

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Tour Medical Center and Kings County Hospital. Compare old and new facilities. (Enter at 395 Lenox Road)

3:00 PM

Complimentary transportation from Medical School to NY Marriott at the Brooklyn Bridge Hotel

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Cocktail Reception (for alumni & the graduating Class of 2016) – NY Marriott at Brooklyn Bridge (Salon H & I)

SATURDAY, MAY 21, 2016

Annual Business Meeting, Scientific Program, President's Address, Awards Ceremony, Lunch and Dinner Dance

All events will be held at the New York Marriott at the Brooklyn Bridge

8:00 AM

General Membership/Business Meeting

William Kutcher, MD '78
President, Alumni Association

Alumni Association Presents our Scientific Program: "New Diagnostic and Treatment Tools"

8:45 AM

Presentation of Program

Jenny Libien, MD '01
Chairman, Scientific Program

8:55 AM

Noel H. Kleppel, MD '56, FACS
"S-H-T Happens" (Fecal Transplants)

9:25 AM

Susan E. Krown, MD '71
"Challenges in Development of a Clinical Trials Network for Treatment of AIDS-Associated Malignancies in sub-Saharan Africa"

10:05 AM

Mark Stewart, MD '96, PhD
"An Explanation for Sudden Death in Epilepsy"

10:35 AM

Mark Stewart, MD '96, PhD
Dean, School of Graduate Studies
Vice Dean for Research
"Research at Downstate – What's New?"

10:50 AM

Coffee Break

11:00 AM

Address to Alumni

Carlos Pato, MD
Dean, College of Medicine

11:30 AM

Awards Ceremony

12:30 PM

Complimentary Alumni Celebration Luncheon

DINNER DANCE GALA in Grand Ballroom

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
Cocktail Reception

7:30 PM - 11:30 AM
Dining and Dancing

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2016

Complimentary breakfast (for Hotel Guests)

Complimentary breakfast is offered from 7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. to alumni and their family/guest staying at the New York Marriott at the Brooklyn Bridge.

Dinner Dance

Registration

Registration is required. Please check in at the Alumni Desk.

Parking

The Hotel has indoor parking for a fee. Enter on Adams St.

Hotel Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved at the NY Marriott Brooklyn Hotel, 333 Adams Street, Brooklyn for the reunion weekend. Singles and doubles are \$199 (plus tax) per night. Reservations must be made before **Monday, April 25th, 2016** (to ensure special rate) by calling the hotel directly at 1-877-303-0104 and mention you are with the "Alumni Association Downstate".

Sabbath Observer Program

Friday evening services and dinner with the Rabbi, as well as Saturday morning & afternoon Shabbat services are available at a nearby modern Orthodox synagogue.

A complimentary Saturday Kosher Shabbat lunch is also available at the Brooklyn Marriott Hotel. Contact the Alumni Office (718-270-2075) for further details and to make arrangements.

Scientific Program

Speakers, Titles, and their Affiliations

Noel H. Kleppel, MD '56, FACS

Phillip E. Lear Master Teacher of Surgery
SUNY Downstate College of Medicine
The title of the talk: "SHT Happens" (Fecal Transplants)

Susan E. Krown, M.D.

Member Emerita, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center
Vice-chair for International Activities, AIDS Malignancy Consortium
The title of the talk will be: "Challenges in Development of a Clinical Trials Network for Treatment of AIDS-Associated Malignancies in sub-Saharan Africa"

Mark Stewart, MD, PhD

Dean, School of Graduate Studies
Vice Dean for Research
Professor of Physiology & Pharmacology
Professor of Neurology
State University of New York (SUNY) Downstate Medical Center
The title of the talk: "An explanation for sudden death in epilepsy" would focus on: treatment of C-Diff and use of fecal transplants, sudden death from epilepsy, and cancer and malignancies in HIV positive patients.

2016 Alumni Reunion Scientific Program

Target Audience

This program is designed for physicians of all specialties and health care professionals, (both active and retired) and all medical students.

Program Description

Based on identified patient needs as reported by the alumni board members and the 2015 scientific program evaluations, it was determined that this year's program would focus on the rationale and the bacteriology and antibiotic treatment of C Difficile enterocolitis, the range of cancers observed in HIV-infected people, their growing importance as a cause of morbidity and mortality in HIV-infected individuals, and the challenges faced in diagnosing and treating these malignancies in low resource areas, and the mechanism(s) of sudden death in epilepsy.

Objectives

As a result of attending this activity participants will be more able to: recognize uses of fecal transplant for antibiotic resistant infections, how to set up specific clinical trials in resource poor areas including those for HIV associated malignancies, and exposure to sudden death in epilepsy and addressing the symptoms with patients.

Accreditation Statement

The State University of New York (SUNY) Downstate Medical Center is accredited by the Accreditation

Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. SUNY Downstate Medical Center designates this live activity for a maximum of 2 *AMA PRA Category 1 credits*[™]. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Disclosure Statement

SUNY Downstate Medical Center Office of CME (OCME) and its affiliates are committed to providing educational activities that are objective, balanced and as free of bias as possible. The OCME has established policies that will identify and resolve all conflicts of interest prior to this educational activity. All participating faculty are expected to disclose to the audience, verbally or in writing, any commercial relationships that might be perceived as a real or apparent conflict of interest related to the content of their presentations, and unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs and devices. Detailed disclosures will be made verbally and/or in writing during the program.

ADA Statement

Special Needs: In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, SUNY Downstate Medical Center seeks to make this conference accessible to all. If you have a disability which might require special accommodations, please contact the Alumni office at 718-270-2075 or e-mail your needs to alumni@downstate.edu.

Event Registration Form - Join Us

Please check the following if planning to attend:

FRIDAY MAY 20, 2016

TOUR Downstate Medical Center and Kings County
of people attending _____

Complimentary Transportation from hotel-school-hotel
of people attending _____

Cocktail Reception for All Alumni

Cocktail Celebration for 5 and 10 Year Classes (Classes of 2006 and 2011)
of Guests _____

SATURDAY MAY 21, 2016

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM
of people attending _____

AWARDS CEREMONY
of people attending _____

Complimentary Luncheon (Limit 3 guests per person)
of people attending _____

DINNER-DANCE
Please make _____ reservations at \$250/person (Special rate of \$100/person for alumni in Classes of 2006 or 2011)*

SUNDAY MAY 22, 2016

Complimentary Breakfast for Hotel Guests Only
of people attending _____

Name: _____ Class: _____
(Please Print)

Spouse/Guests: _____ Class: _____
(Please note if spouse/guest is also an alumna/us)

Special Diets: Kosher # _____ Vegetarian # _____ Other _____

Preferred Seating: _____

(Seating arrangements will be honored whenever possible.)

Journal Agreement Form - Join Us

Take an ad in our 2016 Dinner Dance Journal and support our medical students.

This is an important fundraiser to help underwrite tuition scholarships.

Tuition alone is over \$38,000 for the 2015-2016 year, a big increase from previous years. A Gold Page Ad entitles you to 2 complimentary Dinner Dance tickets (\$500 value). **All personal and business ads are welcome and are tax deductible.** Visit www.downstate.edu/alumni/reunion/journal.html or call the Alumni office at 718-270-2075 to place your ad. The students appreciate your gracious support.

Journal contributions also count towards the Class Funds of 1956, '61, '66, '71, '76, '81, '86, '91, '96, '01, '06, and '11.

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* Includes 2 complimentary dinner dance tickets.

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SUNY Downstate Medical Center MSC 1204
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Brooklyn, NY 11203-2098**

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Please note: Your Dinner Dance or Journal payment is tax deductible and very much appreciated. When 2 complimentary dinner dance tickets are included, your total contribution minus \$375 is tax deductible.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Phone: 718.270.2075 / Fax: 718.270.4196 / E-mail: alumni@downstate.edu

Web Site: www.downstate.edu/alumni

We look forward to having a spectacular weekend.

JOIN US!

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