

Monthly Update

8-February 2017



REMINDER!!!

Monthly Coordinator Call

The next Coordinator call is scheduled for **Thursday, February 16th at 10.30am**

Neuro Teleconference Line:
USA Toll-Free: (877)848-7030
Access Code: 3386580

Enrollment Update

- **iDEF – 212**
- **MISTIE III – 442**
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- **Telerehab in Stroke – 74**
- **DEFUSE 3 – 108**
- **POINT – 4,149**

Reminder to review and complete SOPs forms!

We will also be touch to have Conflict of Interest forms updated.

RCC24 is currently enrolling in Defuse 3, MISTIE III, POINT and Crest-2

We will continue schedule satellite site visits. We have two coming up within the next two months!

The renewal grant will be submitted in the fall. Participation is more important than ever!

Please note the scholarship program for minority or disabled physicians.

At the end, please find the latest bi-weekly StrokeNet newsletter.

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Trial Proposal Status

Project Name	Protocol PI	Prevention/ Acute/Recovery	Status Update
RISiS	Julius Fridriksson, Ron Lazar, Ed Jauch, Jordan Elm, Leonardo Bonilha	Recovery	Pending score/critiques
ALISAH 2	Jose Suarez	Acute	Pending score/critiques
IMPACT	Andrew Naidech	Acute	Pending score/critiques
CREST-P	Brajesh K Lal, Ronald Lazar, Randolph Marshall	Prevention	Pending score/critiques
CREST-T	Brajesh K Lal, Ronald Lazar, Randolph Marshall	Prevention	Pending score/critiques
CREST H	Randy Marshall	Prevention	Pending score/critiques; to be presented to Council for funding
STEPSS (Dose Response Aerobic Exercise in Subacute Stroke)	Sandra Billinger	Recovery	Pending resubmission and critiques
SATURN	Magdy Selim	Prevention	Pending resubmission and critiques

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TRANSPORT	Wayne Feng, Gottfried Schlaug	Recovery	Pending resubmission and critiques
I-WITNESS	Lee Schwamm, Ona Wu, Steve Warach, Larry Latour, Shlee Song	Acute	June 2017 planned grant submission
VERITAS II	Sepideh Amin- Hanjani	Prevention	June 2017 planned grant submission.
ASPIRE (formerly SCORPION)	Kevin Sheth	Prevention	June 2017 planned grant submission.
MOST	Opeolu Adeoye, Andrew Barreto, Joe Broderick, James Grotta	Acute	March 2017 planned re-submission.
ARREST	Robert Brown, James Torner, David Hasan	Prevention	March 2017 planned re-submission.
Sleep SMART (C-PAP)	Devin Brown	Prevention	March 2017 planned re-submission.
PreLIMBS	Sebastian Koch	Acute	March or July 2017 planned re-submission.
PICASSO	Marc Chimowitz	Prevention	Redesigning as Phase I, with plan to possibly submit in June 2017.
IRIIS	Warren Lo	Recovery	June 2017 planned grant submission.
PHAST	Kate Amlie- Lefond, Michael Rivkin, Joan Cox Gill	Acute	June 2017 planned grant submission.
CRISIS	Brian Hoh	Prevention	June 2017 planned grant submission. On ESC agenda for 20-Dec 2016.
ETHER	Stephan Mayer	Acute	June 2017 planned grant submission.

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iTREAT	Andrew Southerland	Acute	June 2017 planned grant submission.
RAFT	Truman Milling, Steve Warach	Acute	June 2017 planned grant submission.
CAVIS	Mark Harrigan	Prevention	June 2017 planned grant submission.
PRECISE MRI-T2	Natalia Rost, Shyam Prabhakaran, Rebecca Gottesman, Clinton Wright	Prevention	In concept development.
Ankle rehabilitation in acute stroke	Li-Qun Zhang	Recovery	In concept development.
FURRTHER	Bernadette Boden-Albala	Prevention	Discussed with ESC, have not received permission to move forward at this time.
Bozoki study	Andrea Bozoki	Prevention	Discussed with ESC, have not received permission to move forward at this time.
DOSER	Alex Dromerick	Recovery	Discussed with ESC, have not received permission to move forward at this time.
Contralateral Rehab	Jayme Knutson	Recovery	Discussed with ESC, have not received permission to move forward at this time.
Tempo-EMS	Nerses Sanossian, William Meurer, Jeffrey Saver, David Hess	Acute	Discussed with ESC, have not received permission to move forward at this time.

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21	MedStar (RCC 06)	43	5	89.6	<div style="width: 89.6%;"></div>
22	U Cincinnati (RCC 14)	31	2	93.9	<div style="width: 93.9%;"></div>
23	U Wisconsin (RCC 24)	19	2	90.5	<div style="width: 90.5%;"></div>
24	Vanderbilt (RCC 25)	0	0		

E. New Project Development Progress

Type	Project	NINDS Grant Submission				Project Initiation				
		Concept Synopsis Approved by NINDS ESC	Feasibility Assessment	Grant Submit to NINDS	Scientific Peer Review	Awarded	Protocol Submit to CIRB	CIRB Approval	First Site Released	First Subject Enrolled
	Summary		Min=6 Max=89 Med=25	Min=30 Max=224 Med=76	Min=92 Max=162 Med=150	Med=97	Med=1	Med=15	Med=168	Med=35
Acute (44.4%)	DEFUSE 3	5/7/2014	-6 1/26/2015	31 58	162 92	11/10/2014				
	ICTUS 3	6/4/2014	89	30	155	3/5/2015				
	MOST	8/13/2014	-1	50	155	3/5/2015				
				7/5/2015 12/11/2015	131 177	11/13/2015 11/8/2016				
	IMPACT	6/2/2015	20	106 7/5/2016	147 126	3/1/2016 11/8/2016				
	PreLIMBS	7/23/2015	21	54	147	3/1/2016				
	Tempo-EMS	2/22/2016	25	80	155	11/8/2016				
	ALISAH 2	3/23/2016	14	61	155	11/8/2016				
I-WITNESS	3/23/2016	14 4/6/2016								
Prevention (38.9%)	PICASSO	10/16/2014	55	53 3/5/2016	144 124	6/25/2015 7/7/2016				
	ARCADIA	3/6/2015	21 1/27/2016	80 37	150 125	11/12/2015 7/7/2016				
	SleepSMART	11/3/2015	22	76	150	7/8/2016				
	ARREST	11/3/2015	22	76	150	7/8/2016				
	SATURN	2/3/2016	21	224 10/5/2016						
	VERITAS II	8/10/2016	84 11/2/2016							
	ASPIRE	10/21/2016	25 11/15/2016							
Recovery (16.7%)	RISIS	12/15/2015	45	128	156	11/8/2016				
	STEPSS	4/29/2016	56	103	10/5/2016					
	TRANSPORT-II	7/25/2016	36	36	10/5/2016					

Active Inactive Awarded 30 # of days since previous milestone



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Training – Programs and Courses

TRANSCENDS Scholars Program

(Training in Research for Academic Neurologists to Sustain Careers and Enhance the Numbers of Diverse Scholars)

The AAN is collaborating with the Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC) to offer the **TRANSCENDS** (Training in Research for Academic Neurologists to Sustain Careers and Enhance the Numbers of Diverse Scholars) Scholars program. This program is funded by a National Institutes of Health (NIH) R25 grant and is being administered by MUSC and the AAN. The TRANSCENDS program is designed to train and mentor promising early-career neurologists to conduct high-quality neurologic research and achieve a successful academic career. Eligibility is limited to those who are disabled

and/or belong to an underrepresented minority in neurology including Black/African American, Hispanic, Latino, Native American, Pacific Islander, Native Alaskan, or Hawaiian, and are in any of the following career stages: *a) Fellows in a formal neurology sub-specialty training program; b) Neurology faculty three years or less from first academic appointment, or c) Neurologists five years or less from completion of residency.*

- Application Deadline: February 22, 2017, at 11:59 p.m. ET.
- Applications received after February 22 will not be considered.
- New scholars will be notified by March 15, 2017.

Please find more information and application details at: https://www.aan.com/research-and-awards/transcends-scholar-program-application/?utm_source=Informz&utm_medium=Email&utm_campaign=17+TRANSCE NDS+1&_zs=h8mgd1&_zl=qDCX3

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UPMC Acute Stroke Management Nursing Symposium

Friday, 21-April, 2017

Hilton Garden Inn, Canonsburg, PA

This symposium targets nurses or other healthcare providers involved in or interested in the care of stroke patients. Registration is now open for the UPMC Acute Stroke Management Nursing Symposium. See the attached brochure for details. Early registration until 6-April. Visit <https://ccehs.upmc.com/liveFormalCourses.jsf> for additional information. Questions? Contact Holly Kromer at <mailto:strokeconf@upmc.edu>.

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Presentations:

- 1:00 PM - Weifei Zhu, MD** - Case Western - The role of gut microbes in altering susceptibility for the development of stroke
- 1:30 PM – Emily Goldman, PhD** – NYU - A prediction model for depression symptom course during the first year following stroke or transient ischemic attack (TIA)

When: Tuesday, February 28, 2017 - 1:00 PM ET

Moderator: TBA

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Grand Rounds

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The Grand Rounds previously scheduled for **23-February has been rescheduled**. Look for the new date soon.

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IMPORTANT: StrokeNet Network Meeting

Houston, TX 20-Feb 2017

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VA CIRB News

The NIH StrokeNet will soon be able to add VA facilities to your RCC, beginning with the ARCADIA trial, and eventually for future trials. While there will be more information to follow, the instructions for adding VA facilities, along with “ADM 23 SOP NIH StrokeNet and VA Central IRB Collaboration”, is attached to this Biweekly Update. This SOP can also be found on the nihstrokenet.org website at http://nihstrokenet.org/sop_gcp. For questions in regard to adding VA facilities, contact Diane Sparks, dsparks@uc.edu.

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Webinar, 24-January, 2017, 12-1:00 PM ET

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When: **Tuesday, January 24, 2017 - 1:00 PM ET**

Moderator: Farhaan Vahidy, MD, PhD – University of Texas, Houston

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Presenters: Bruce Dobkin, MD – Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA

Moderator: Randy Marshall, MD, Columbia University

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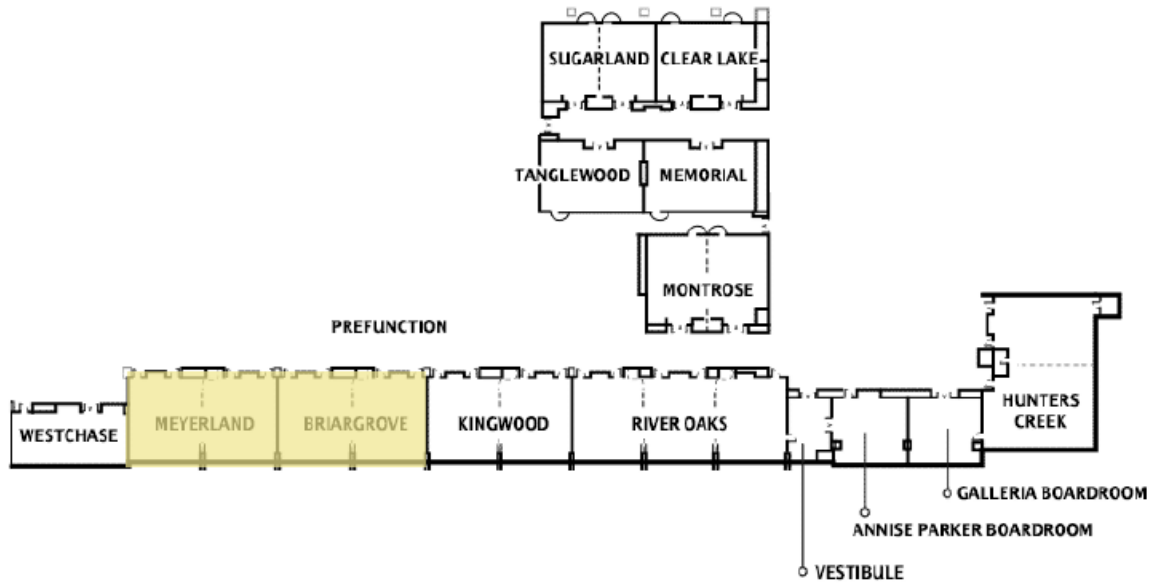
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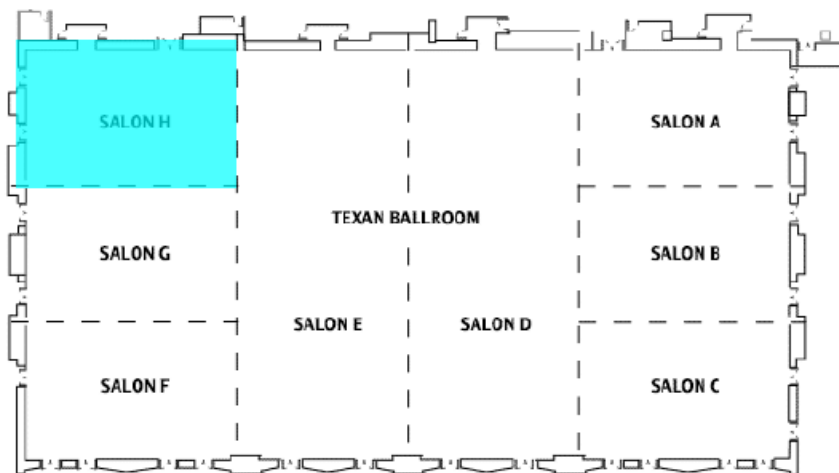
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