

# Monthly Update

10 –January 2019



## REMINDER!

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FASTEST	Joe Broderick, Jim Grotto, Jordan Elm	Acute	5-November study section
PAST-TIME	Jason McMullan, Opeolu Adeoye, Nerses Sanossian	Acute	5-November study section
ARCADIA -CSI	George Howard, PhD Maarten Lansberg, MD/PhD Ronald Lazar, PhD Kevin N. Sheth, MD David Tirschwell, MD	Acute	5-November study section
IMPACT	Andrew Naidech	Acute	6-November study section

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VERITAS II	Sepideh Amin-Hanjani	Prevention	6-November study section
IACQUIRE (formerly IRIIS)	Warren Lo, Sharon Ramey	Recovery	August 2018 study section
SPLASH	Jose Suarez, DaiWai Olson (contact PI)	Acute	October 2018 submission
CAPTIVA	Brian Hoh PI, Marc Chimowitz Co-I	Prevention	October 2018 submission
FURRTHER	Bernadette Boden-Albala	Prevention	November 2018 resubmission
COAST (CASH)	Adnan Qureshi	Acute	February 2019 submission; per WG 1-Nov-2018
1-WITNESS TEST OF TIME	Lee Schwamm, Ona Wu, Steve Warach, Larry Latour, Shlee Song	Acute	February 2019 submission; per WG 1-Nov-2018
PreLIMBS II	Sebastian Koch, Nestor Gonzalez, Neeraj Chaudhary	Acute	February 2019 submission; per WG 1-Nov-2018
SUCCESS	E. Sander Connolly Jr., John D. Lambris, Jan Claassen	Acute	In concept development – possibly February 2019; waiting for Saver input, per WG 1-Nov 2018
PRECISE MRI-T2	Natalia Rost, Shyam Prabhakaran, Rebecca Gottesman, Clinton Wright	Prevention	In concept development
NEPTUNE (ARCADIA ancillary study)	Ajay Gupta, Hooman Kamel	Prevention	In concept development until all ARCADIA sites are up
Claassen	Jan Claassen	Acute	In concept development; per WG 1-Nov 2018.

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CIAT RCT	Jerzy Szaflarski, MD	Recovery	In concept development; per WG 1-Nov 2018.
TACOCAT (COAT)	Brett Cucchiaria, MD Scott Kasner, MD	Prevention	In concept development
SCOUT (Ancillary to Sleep Smart)	Sandeep P. Khot, Martha E. Billings	Recovery	In concept development; per WG 1-Nov 2018.
WISC-R	Matthew Durand, Robert Dempsey, Allison Hyngstrom, John McGuire	Recovery	In concept development; per WG 1-Nov 2018.
ERSIAS	Nestor Gonzalez, Jeff Saver	Prevention	In concept development
BLAST	James Meschia	Prevention	In concept development
FOCAS	Heather Fullerton, Mitch Elkind	Prevention	In concept development
CAVIS	Mark Harrigan	Prevention	In concept development
SPLIT	Andrew Naidech	Prevention	In concept development
START	Steve Warach, Truman Milling	Prevention	In concept development
ICAS	David Hasan	Prevention	In concept development
Emokpae	Lloyd Emokpae, Roland Emokpae, Nelson Emokpae (LASARRUS Clinic and Research Center	Recovery	In concept development; verified 1-Nov 2018
PERFUSE-ICAS	S. Yaghi, P. Khatri, D. Liebeskind, S. Prabhakaran	Acute	In concept development; awaiting contact from ASWG via J. Saver, per WG 1-Nov 2018

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STEP-STONE	C. Meinzer, C. Derdeyn, P. Khatri	Acute	In concept development; preparing budget for ESC review, per WG 1-Nov 2018
SIMVICH	C. Chen, A. Southerland, K. Johnston, B. Worrall, N. Naval, D. Ding	Acute	In concept development
SCORE	David Hasan	Acute	In concept development; could be prevention
IMAGING U	David Hasan, Edgar Samaniego	Prevention	In concept development
VERIFY	Pooja Khatri, Steve Cramer	Recovery	In concept development; on schedule to go to ESC in the next few weeks, per WG 1-Nov 2018.
PETITE	Greg Albers	Acute	In concept development
RHAPSODY 2	Patrick Lyden, Kent Pryor	Acute	In concept development; bypassing ASWG for ESC discussion to determine whether or not to require SPAN, per WG 1-Nov 2018
URIC	Enrique Leira	Acute	In concept development; on hold by the NINDS – redirected to SPAN initiative, per WG 1-Nov 2018
MATRICES	Maarten Lansberg, Greg Albers, Albert Yoo, Sam Zaidat	Acute	In concept development (no CSP on file) on hold until EVT platform is created, per WG 1-Nov 2018
ETHER	Stephan Mayer	Acute	On hold for EVT Platform

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HEMERA	Italo Linfante, Raul Nogueira	Acute	On hold for EVT platform
ALISAH 2	Jose Suarez	Acute	
Tempo-EMS	Nerses Sanossian, William Meurer, Jeffrey Saver, David Hess	Acute	Hold for now; per WG 1-Nov 2018.
ARCADIA ORACLE	Babak Navi	Prevention	Hold ARCADIA ancillary study
RAFT	Truman Milling, Steve Warach	Acute	In concept development; gathering preliminary data for a future application, per WG 1-Nov 2018
BrainPulse	Kyle Walsh, Shakeel Chowdhry, Julian Bailes, Andrew Russman	Acute	In concept development; unlikely to move forward, per WG 1-Nov 2018





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## NINDS News and Resources

**Does your RCC want a way to shine on your Annual Performance Evaluation in 2019? Then take the Online (FREE) Clinical Research Training Course: IPPCR**

IPPCR course participants who receive a certificate of completion can be acknowledged in the RCCs quarterly activity reports (QARs).

Certificates are awarded to registered participants who achieve a score of 75% or higher on the final exam.

If you are interested in expanding your clinical research knowledge base? Registration for the 2018-2019 NIH Introduction to the Principles and Practice of Clinical Research (IPPCR) course is now open!

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### Spring 2019 NIH Regional Seminar

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[NIMICT](#) is an online toolkit for researchers to support recruitment and retention of women and underrepresented racial/ethnic minorities in neurological clinical trials. Online tools include videos, infographics, diagnostic quizzes and resource collections, which distill best practices from leading Principal Investigators and Clinical Research Coordinators on topics such as building community partnerships, recruitment and retention best practices,

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It depends on whether the FOAs are Program Announcements (PA, PAR, PAS or Parent) or Requests for Applications (RFA).

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[https://grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/coi/tutorial2018/story\\_html5.html](https://grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/coi/tutorial2018/story_html5.html)

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We are looking for driven, motivated and enthusiastic doctoral candidates and recent doctoral program graduates in epidemiology, bio-statistics or data science who have a strong quantitative background along with an understanding of research design and research methods. The UTHealth Institute for Stroke and Cerebrovascular Disease will provide support for the pre-doctoral / post-doctoral position at the NIH salary guidance levels for up to three years. The trainee will have a unique opportunity to apply their research and analytic skill set in epidemiological, population health, and clinical areas pertaining to stroke and cerebrovascular diseases. They will train with highly skilled and reputable clinical and research stroke faculty at the Stroke Institute of UTHealth. The program will be tailored to individual trainee's background and career goals. Benchmarks of success will be determined based on research productivity (abstracts, manuscripts, grant submissions). Support will be provided for further training and certifications. UTHealth in partnership with its clinical affiliate, Memorial Hermann, is one of the largest stroke care providers in the world and has a strong and well-established track record of research productivity and stroke training programs. Individuals interested in applying their skill set towards solving complex research questions in cerebrovascular disease are encouraged to apply.

This is a non-clinical training slot for folks who have Masters or PhDs in bio-statistics / epidemiology / bio-informatics or data science. Individuals will require a work authorization in the US. There are no citizenship or residency requirements.

Please forward:

1. CV



2. School Transcripts (Masters or PhD)
3. 2 letters of recommendation
4. Brief personal statement (not more than 1,000 words)

Email ([Farhaan.vahidy@uth.tmc.edu](mailto:Farhaan.vahidy@uth.tmc.edu)) with application materials or for any questions.

## NIH StrokeNet Employment Opportunities

### Stroke Neurologist at Weill Cornell Medicine

**Job Description:** The Department of Neurology at Weill Cornell Medicine is seeking a full-time stroke neurologist at the Assistant or Associate Professor level to lead the stroke program at its Brooklyn Methodist Hospital campus. This neurologist would be a faculty member within the Division of Stroke and Hospital Neurology and their clinical, academic, and educational responsibilities would be governed by Weill Cornell Medicine. As part of their duties, they would serve as the Stroke Director at Brooklyn Methodist Hospital, where they would perform inpatient and outpatient consultations, develop and update stroke protocols and best practices, supervise quality improvement initiatives, and lead the program towards comprehensive stroke center certification—currently Brooklyn Methodist performs 24-7 thrombectomies but its stroke designation remains primary. Brooklyn Methodist Hospital is an academic, 650-bed, tertiary-care medical center located in the beautiful Park Slope neighborhood of Brooklyn, New York.

**Requirements:** The applicant must be a board certified physician in neurology and have completed an ACGME fellowship in vascular neurology. Further, the applicant should have a track record of achievement in patient care, academic scholarship, and professionalism.

**How to Apply:** Interested parties should contact Dr. Matthew Fink, Chair of Neurology at Weill Cornell Medical College, at: [mfink@med.cornell.edu](mailto:mfink@med.cornell.edu).

### Yale University Vascular Neurologists

The Department of Neurology at Yale University is accepting applications for **two** full-time neurologists specializing in Vascular Neurology with a firm commitment to clinical research. Candidates must hold an MD or equivalent, be board certified or board eligible, and meet requirements for appointment at the rank of Instructor or Assistant Professor. Fellowship training in an ACGME fellowship in vascular neurology is necessary. Further, applicants must meet the criteria for medical licensure in the State of Connecticut. The essential duties for this position include: 1) providing acute stroke evaluations for patients at Yale New Haven Hospital, 2) providing inpatient care to the dedicated stroke service at Yale New Haven Hospital, 3) providing specialized stroke clinics through Yale Medicine, 4) providing acute stroke evaluations through the Yale New Haven Telestroke Program, 5) developing a clinical research program with anticipated long-term academic development, 6) participating in ongoing clinical research activities within the stroke and neurocritical care divisions and StrokeNet program, and 7) teaching residents, fellows, and medical students. It is anticipated that this position will be 50% clinical and 50% clinical

research and will be located in New Haven, CT. Please submit a CV and brief statement of interest to [apply.interfolio.com/57355](https://apply.interfolio.com/57355).

Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

*Yale University is an Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity Employer and welcomes applications from women, persons with disabilities, protected veterans, and members of minority groups.*

### **Wake Forest Vascular Neurologist**

The Department of Neurology is seeking an exceptional Vascular-Certified Neurologist to join the team at Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center. This is an opportunity to be a part of a comprehensive, academic stroke program focusing on clinical, research, education and community outreach.

## **THE STROKE DIVISION AT WAKE FOREST BAPTIST HEALTH**

### **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

- 7 vascular board-certified neurologists and 3 stroke Nurse Practitioners
- Leading the way with the most advanced, trusted and successful stroke care
- Large academic practice with blend of acute hospital practice, telestroke consultation, and clinic practice
- The largest network of telestroke hospitals in North Carolina, with 20 hospitals across the state
- Cutting edge stroke research across the continuum, with institutional (CTSA) and departmental infrastructures (StrokeNet) for supporting NIH and industry trials
- Interdisciplinary team approach to stroke care with Neurosurgery, Neurocritical Care, Emergency Medicine, and Rehabilitation Medicine.

## **REQUIREMENTS**

- MD/DO
- BC/BE Vascular Neurology
- ACGME accredited fellowship training in Vascular Neurology
- Successful record of clinical and service excellence, leadership and an interest in graduate medical education
- Strong interest stroke continuum of care, including inpatient stroke service, telestroke consults, and outpatient stroke follow-up
- Research experience is preferred
- North Carolina licensure or eligible

## **COMPENSATION**

The successful applicant will be appointed to the faculty of Wake Forest University School of Medicine at a level commensurate with experience and academic achievement. An



attractive salary, benefits, relocation allowance, and non-clinical time for academic development are offered. Board certification and eligibility for NC licensure is required.

## WAKE FOREST BAPTIST HEALTH NEUROLOGY

Wake Forest Baptist Health Neurology is a multispecialty, well-established and highly regarded practice and academic department with a diverse team of 54 faculty members in the following areas:

- Vascular Neurology
- Alzheimer's Disease
- General Neurology
- Multiple Sclerosis
- Neuro-Critical Care
- Neuromuscular Disease
- Pediatric Neurology
- Headache

### DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

- **US News & World Report** ranks Wake Forest Baptist #1 in NC and #47 in the nation for **Neurology and Neurosurgery**
- Joint Commission designated **Comprehensive Stroke Center**- one of just 33 centers in the United States designated to-date as comprehensive
- **Movement Disorders Center**- one of the oldest and most highly regarded programs in the country
- **Comprehensive Epilepsy Center**- ranked among the top epilepsy programs in the U.S.; one of the few Epilepsy Centers in the Southeast to have met the Level IV guidelines of the National Association of Epilepsy Centers
- **ALS Center**- one of only 34 in the U.S.-provides exceptional care for patients with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis and engages in cutting-edge research and translational science

### Full-time Vascular Neurology Faculty Position, Spectrum Health Medical Group

Title: Attending Vascular Neurologist

Field of Specialization: Stroke

Link to apply:

[https://careers.peopleclick.com/careerscp/client\\_spectrumhealth/external/gateway/viewFromLink.html?jobPostId=92992&localeCode=en-us](https://careers.peopleclick.com/careerscp/client_spectrumhealth/external/gateway/viewFromLink.html?jobPostId=92992&localeCode=en-us)

Job Description: Spectrum Health's Department of Neurological Health is seeking to add a full-time vascular neurologist to their five board-certified vascular neurologist team. This new addition will participate in the Joint Commission certified Comprehensive Stroke Center at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids, Michigan and support outreach to our surrounding regional hospitals. In addition to research opportunities, the position includes neurology residency and medical school teaching with faculty appointments through Michigan State University.

Spectrum Health Butterworth Hospital is a hub for regional stroke network in

West Michigan.  
Annual Stroke Volume: 1500+  
Annual intravenous thrombolysis Volume: 150+  
Annual Thrombectomy Volume: 150+

Requirements: MD or DO, BC/BE, ACGME-approved Vascular Neurology Fellowship

Contact: Christine Powers, [Christine.powers@spectrumhealth.org](mailto:Christine.powers@spectrumhealth.org)

### **Two Full-time Neurologists Columbia University**

**Title:** Assistant/Associate Professor of Neurology

**Field of Specialization:** Stroke

**Link to Apply:** <http://pa334.peopleadmin.com/postings/1605>

#### **Job Description:**

The Department of Neurology at Columbia University is seeking two full-time neurologists at the assistant or associate professor level specialized in the area of Stroke.

These neurologists will be participants in the Joint Commission certified Comprehensive Stroke Center at New York Presbyterian Hospital Columbia sites in Manhattan and Westchester County.

Requirements: must be board certified in neurology and have cerebrovascular fellowship training. Candidates should possess a demonstrated record as a clinician and should possess excellent patient care, teamwork, and interpersonal skills.

**Position 1:** Stroke faculty at New York Presbyterian Hospital – Columbia University Medical Center in Manhattan. This position will include inpatient and outpatient clinical practice, teaching fellows and residents, and may include work on clinical trials or research. Hospital duties include Quality Assurance participation in addition to attending on the inpatient stroke and consultation services.

**Position 2:** Stroke Director at New York Presbyterian Lawrence Hospital in Bronxville, Westchester County, New York. This position will include inpatient stroke consultations, development and updating of stroke policies and procedures, overseeing data analysis and quality improvement for this primary stroke center, part-time participation in general neurology inpatient and ED consultation, and working with ICU physician and nursing leadership to develop protocols for and enhance care of critically ill neurology patients.

Please apply by following this link: <http://pa334.peopleadmin.com/postings/1605>

#### **Requirements:**

- M.D.
- All applicants MUST meet these minimum qualifications to be considered for the position.

M.D. and board certified in Neurology is required. Faculty rank is expected to be at the Assistant or Associate Professor level, commensurate with experience and achievement.

- Must be able to meet New York Presbyterian and Columbia Doctors credentialing. Must be board certified in neurology and have cerebrovascular fellowship training. Candidates should possess a demonstrated record as a clinician and should possess excellent patient care, teamwork, and interpersonal skills.

\*For more information on these and other conferences and seminars, please see:

<http://nihstrokenet.org/in-the-news>

Please share this with your clinical performing and satellite sites! Contact: Jamey Frasure, PhD, RN,  
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