

LSUHSC Physiology Spring 2018 Speaker Name/Title/Department/Email	Seminar Title	Date
Yasuko Iwakiri, Yale	Neural Activation and Lymphangiogenesis in the Liver	August 23
Luis Natividad, PhD The Scripps Research Institute	Impaired Endocannabinoid Signaling in Stress and Addiction.	August 30
Robert Siggins, PhD Department of Physiology	aPCR: Methodologies, Pitfalls and Analyses	September 6
Nikolaos Frangogiannis, MD Edmond J. Safran/Republic National Bank of New York Chair in Cardiovascular Medicine Albert Einstein College of Medicine	The cell biological basis of cardiac fibrosis	September 13
Zhen Lin, M.D., Ph.D. Assistant Professor of Pathology Department of Pathology, SL79 Tulane University School of Medicine Tulane Cancer Center	Comprehensive Omics Analysis of Virus-Associated Human Cancers	September 20
Elizabeth Fucich, PhD Department of Physiology LSUHSC NO	Effects of Psychological Stress on Traumatic Brain Injury Outcomes in Rats	September 27
Frances Ernst, Psy.D. Clinical Psychology Postdoctoral Fellow Department of Psychiatry	Coping with Stress and Burnout – A Review & Practice of Stress Reduction and Meditation Tools	October 4
Dr. Brad McConnell Department of Pharmacological and Pharmaceutical Sciences University of Houston College of Pharmacy, Texas Medical Center	Strategies to Improve Cardiac Function in heart disease	October 11
Sean Farris Postdoctoral Research Fellow The University of Texas at Austin	Hormone & Endocrine Glands	October 18
Chad Steele, Ph.D. Professor and Chair Department of Microbiology and Immunology School of Medicine Tulane University	Immunoprotective vs. Immunopathogenic Responses During Severe Asthma with Fungal Sensitization	October 25
Bruce Bunnell, PhD Director of the Tulane Center for Stem Cell Research and Regenerative Medicine, Center for Gene Therapy Department of Pharmacology Tulane University Health Sciences Center	Development of Novel Therapeutics with Adipose-Derived Mesenchymal Stem Cells	November 1
George Kunos, Ph.D. NIAAA	The CB1 receptor as a therapeutic target – there is life after death	November 8
Van Ninh Department of Physiology LSUHSC NO	Cardiac effects of PAE	November 15
Frank Smart, MD Professor of Medicine Chief, Section of Cardiology	Heart Failure with Preserved Ejection Fraction	November 29
Dr. Keisa Mathis UNT Health Science Center	Neuroimmune Mechanisms Involved in Autoimmune-Induced Hypertension and Renal Injury	December 13