Grand Rounds for Wednesday, October 21, 2015

Gut Microbiome in Health and Disease

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Grand Rounds are held every Wednesday from 12:00pm – 1:00pm
Location: Myrna Daniels Auditorium, 1st floor, Milstein Family Heart Center, 173 Fort Washington Ave.
To see Grand Rounds Schedule click here

Announcements

Dr. Wei Shen
Imaging Award, Irving Institute for Clinical and Translational Research
"MRI Protocol Characterizing Brown White Fat Dynamic Conversion for Brown Fat Autograft Therapy"

Dr. Emmanuel Zorn
4-year new R01, NIH/NIAID
"Contribution of B Cells to Human Cardiac Allograft Vasculopathy"

Dr. Siqin Ye
Health Practice Research Pilot Award, Irving Institute for Clinical and Translational Research
"Implementing Statin Choice Decision Aid at Point of Care"

Save the Date!

Friday, October 23, 2015 7:30am-5:30pm
Palliative Care: Exploring the Frontiers – Revisiting the Challenges
Click Here to register

Thursday, November 12, 2015 8:00am-4:00pm
CUMC O’Brien Cooperative Urology Center Symposium
Click Here to register

Saturday, December 5 - Sunday, December 6, 2015
8:00am-5:00pm
CPC15 Primary Care Conference and Expo
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Message From The Chair’s Office

Please welcome the newest faculty members in the Division of Cardiology.

Yee-Ping Sun MD Assistant Attending and Instructor in Medicine
Subspecialty: Cardiology
Where are you from? Boston, Massachusetts
What track are you in? Clinical

Ramin Hastings MD Interventional Fellow
Subspecialty: Interventional Cardiology
Where are you from? Grew up in Northern New Jersey
What track are you in? Clinical track, doing an extra year of training with the heart valve team
Current Project Clinical training within the structural and heart valve team

Nisha Jhalani MD Assistant Professor of Medicine
Subspecialty: Center for Interventional Vascular Therapy (CIVT), Division of Cardiology
Where are you from? Grew up in NJ and moved to NY for residency and fellowship at NYP – Weill Cornell Medical Center
What track are you in? Clinical
Current Project Assistant director of inpatient services for CIVT – supervising and educating the physician assistants on the service.

Mona Kinkhabwala MD Assistant Professor of Clinical Medicine
Subspecialty: Cardiology & Cardiovascular Diseases
Where are you from: Born in NYC, raised in Duluth, Georgia; Undergraduate: University of Pennsylvania; Medical School: Johns Hopkins School of Medicine; Internal Medicine Residency and Chief Residency: New York Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University Medical Center; Fellowship: New York Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University Medical Center; Advanced Cardiovascular Imaging Fellowship: New York Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University Medical Center
What track are you in? Clinical
Current Project Use of technetium pyrophosphate planar and spect imaging of the diagnosis of TTR cardiac amyloidosis; Use of FDG PET/CT for diagnosis of inflammatory diseases such as sarcoid, vasculitis.
Zankhana Raval MD  Assistant Attending and Instructor in Medicine
Subspecialty: Interventional Cardiology & Endovascular
Where are you from? Trained at Northwestern in Chicago
What track are you in? Clinical, Teaching, Research
Current Project The application of clinical cardiovascular strategies in special populations such as non-cardiac transplant populations.

Juan A. Terré MD  Assistant Attending Physician and Instructor in Medicine
Subspecialty: Interventional Cardiology
Where are you from? I was born in Rosario, Argentina, where I have also received my medical degree. Completed cardiovascular training at the Hospital Privado de Comunidad in Mar del Plata, Argentina, Interventional cardiology training at Instituto Cardiovascular Atlantico, and Interventional cardiology fellowship and structural heart disease interventional fellowship at Mount Sinai.
What track are you in? Clinical
Current Project I am involved in the structural heart disease research trial in which the SHVC is participating. Also, I am investigating predictive factor for complications during TAVR by CT analysis.

Emily J. Tsai MD  Assistant Professor of Medicine at CUMC
Subspecialty: Division of Cardiology, Center for Advanced Cardiac Care; Advanced Heart Failure and Transplant Cardiology
Where are you from? I grew up in Stamford, CT and have lived in essentially every major city along Amtrak’s Northeast Regional Corridor— Cambridge/Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington, DC. After fellowship training at Johns Hopkins, I joined the faculty at Temple University School of Medicine as an Assistant Professor in Medicine and Physiology and a principal investigator in their Cardiovascular Research Center. As a native of the NYC area, I’m thrilled to be back in THE city.
What track are you in? Research
Current Project I study the molecular signaling of heart failure, primarily in animal models. My lab focuses on the nitric oxide receptor soluble guanylyl cyclase and the molecular pathophysiology of right ventricular dysfunction.

Joseph Vozzolo MD  Assistant Professor of Medicine at Columbia University Medical Center
Subspecialty: Cardiovascular Disease
Where are you from? Born in Rockland, undergrad: Fordham University, Med School: NY Medical College, Residency: Westchester Medical Center, Fellowship: Hofstra Northshore-LIJ
What track are you in? Predominantly Clinical. I also am involved in education, specifically as a Foundations of Clinical Medicine Faculty Preceptor
Current Project Foundations of Clinical Medicine Faculty Preceptor

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