

WED CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 1 1:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Women With Disabilities and Pelvic Health: Overcoming Barriers to Health Education Using a Webinar Series (Heather Taylor, Sophie Fletcher, Leanne Beers, Margaret Nosek) #297360 SCI		Spinal Cord Injury Patient Reported Outcomes: Transition From Research to Practice (Pamela Kisala, David Tulsy, Allen Heinemann, Vanessa Noonan, Dale Strasser) #295759 SCI, MES, CP
THU CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 2 10:30 AM – 11:45 AM	Translating SCI Rehabilitation Patient Education Research Models Into Family Education Practice (Julie Gassaway, Tamara Young, Kimberly Queen) #288126 SCI, CP	Exercise and Cardiometabolic Health in Spinal Cord Injured Humans • Time to Raise the Intensity? (James Bilzon, Mark Nash, Tom Nightingale) #289691 SCI, POL, CP	Functional Plasticity in Neurorehabilitation of Spinal Cord Injury Survivors; Findings and Clinical Implications (Steven Wolf, Aiko Thompson, Randy Trumbower) #289911 NP, SCI CROSSTAGGED 
CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 3 1:45 PM – 3:00 PM	Experimental Approaches to Enhance Physiological Function after Spinal Cord Injury (Hannah Mercier, Christopher Minson, Randy Trumbower, J. Andrew Taylor) #312775 SCI	Comparison of SCI Patient Outcomes Based on Amount of Recreation Therapy Received During Inpatient Rehabilitation (Team from Shepherd Center: Julie Gassaway, Kelly Edens, Madalyn Weber, Cecilia Rider) #302968 SCI, CP 	The Impact of Traumatic Brain Injury in Persons with Spinal Cord Injury (Linda Isaac, Jeanne Hoffman, Kathleen Castillo, Thao Duong) #295053 SCI, BI 
CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 4 5:00 PM – 6:15 PM	Developing Health and Wellness Community Programs After SCI • Lessons Learned (Shari McDowell, Kelly Edens, Rebecca Washburn) #295733 SCI, CP	Diet and Exercise Interventions to Improve Metabolic Health and Body Composition After Spinal Cord Injury (Ceren Yazar-Fisher, Brooks Wingo, Kevin McCully) #295850 SCI, CP 	A stimulating solution: targeting spasticity through mechanical and electrical stimulation (Edelle Field-Fote, Jennifer Iddings, Stephen Estes) #292902 CC CROSSTAGGED
FRI CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 5 10:30 AM – 11:45 AM	<p style="text-align: center;">SPECIAL SYMPOSIUM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">STEVEN KIRSHBLUM, Senior Medical Officer and Director of SCI, Chair of PM&R and Research Professor, Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation and Rutgers New Jersey Medical School</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Kirshblum will also be doing a lecture luncheon THU 12:00 – 1:30 PM <i>only \$69</i>  <i>Get your ticket before this sells out</i></p> 		
CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 6 2:30 PM – 3:45 PM	Data Sharing in Rehabilitation research: Accessing National Spinal Cord Injury Database and SCIRehab data (Yuying Chen, James Graham, Julie Gassaway, Shilpa Krishnan) #311509 SCI	Multiple Training Paradigms of Functional Electrical Stimulation after a Spinal Cord Injury. (Gail Forrest, Ashraf Gorgey, Therese Johnston) #297353 SCI, LL	
SAT CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 7 9:45 AM – 11:00 AM	PAPER SESSIONS 		
CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 8 11:30 AM – 12:45 PM	Peer Mentorship • Integrating Research Paradigms Into Rehabilitation Culture (Julie Gassaway, Pete Anziano, Karen DeVault) #289374 SCI	Performance-Based Framework for Overground Locomotor Training in Spinal Cord Injury (Jared Gollie, Andrew Guccione, Peter Jo) #311619 SCI	
CONCURRENT SESSIONS BLOCK 9 1:00 PM – 2:15 PM	Psychological Issues Related to Adjustment Following Spinal Cord Injury (Casey Azuero, Zina Trost, Ceren Yara-Fisher) #311544 SCI, CP	Demographic, Cultural, Psychosocial and Health Factors Associated with Wheelchair Outcomes in Spinal Cord Injury (Denise Fyffe, Lynn Worobey, Larissa Myaskovsky) #312674 SCI	

Lecture Luncheon Featuring STEVEN KIRSHBLUM

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SESSION DETAIL

Following upper motor neuron injury (i.e. SCI, MS, acquired BI and cerebral palsy), spasticity can diminish an individual’s quality of life. Given that spasticity can manifest in an array of clinical presentations, including hyperreflexia, hypertonia, and clonus, treatment can often be challenging and fail to effectively manage all symptoms. Research has provided new insight into the characterization and management of spasticity, indicating that interventions targeting spinal and supraspinal mechanisms hold the potential to be both clinically accessible and effective.

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— Yuying Chen —

STEVEN KIRSHBLUM, Senior Medical Officer and Director of SCI, Chair of PM&R and Research Professor, Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation and Rutgers New Jersey Medical School.

LECTURE LUNCHEON THU 12:00 – 1:30 PM 
“A View of the Past, Present and Future of SCI Care and Research”

This talk will review a history of spinal cord injury medicine, current leading areas of excitement and concern in SCI care and research, and offer a vision for the future.

SPECIAL SYMPOSIUM FRI 10:30 AM – 11:45 AM
“Controversies in SCI Care and Research”

This talk will tackle specific controversies specific to current SCI care and research directions with the goal to encourage thought, offer a greater understanding of what and why we do what we do and study, and what we need to consider moving forward. This will be followed by panelists offering their thoughts on these areas.

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