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Hello ACRM members & friends,

I am honored to invite you — and every member of your rehabilitation team — to experience the most exciting ACRM event ever — the **ACRM 93rd Annual Conference: Progress in Rehabilitation Research (#PIRR2016)**. Returning to our roots in Chicago, this year's event is already record-breaking for unprecedented variety, value, AND quality.

While the ACRM Conference has exploded in depth and breadth in recent years, ACRM will always make **QUALITY** the #1 priority AND will maintain that sense of intimacy and the opportunities for close interactions within our communities that is so much a part of ACRM.

Exciting new additions this year are the result of the incredible Program Committee led by the tireless **Pamela Roberts**, PhD, OTR/L, SCFES, FAOTA, CPHQ, FNAP, Cedars-Sinai Health System. **NEW in 2016:**

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- **WELCOMING** BRAND NEW ACRM community groups: Arts & Neuroscience Group, Limb Loss Rehabilitation Group, Physicians & Clinicians Group, and Technology Group

FEATURING SUPER SPEAKERS **Pamela Duncan** — leader in neurorehabilitation and measurement of rehabilitation outcomes; **Joy Hammel** from the University of Illinois at Chicago; **Lisa Lezzoni** from Harvard Medical School; Special Session on **FUNDING** with **Alison Cernich**, Director of NCMRR **John Tschida**, Director of NIDILRR, and **Theresa Bringer**, DOD Director with invaluable insights on the funding climate in Washington; **Daniel Corcos** — from Northwestern University, leading researcher on Parkinson's disease and the effects of progressive resistance exercise on motor symptoms of the disease and cognition; **Alan Jette**, 2016 John Stanley Coulter Award lecturer from Boston University School of Public Health. *And so many more.*

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ACRM is COMMUNITY — Whether you are a researcher or administrator, clinician, student or experienced professional, ACRM provides a supportive professional home for you and like-minded others who are trying to solve the same problems you are.



ACRM is NONSTOP CONTENT — Whether your interest is one diagnostic or multiple, ACRM offers continuous symposia from beginning to end in all of the key areas: brain injury, spinal cord injury, stroke, cancer, neuroplasticity, neurodegenerative diseases, pain, military/veterans affairs, international, health policy & legislation, pediatric rehabilitation, geriatric rehabilitation, technology, measurement and arts & neuroscience.

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- The latest research and its impact on practice
- Advancing the field of rehabilitation
- Mentoring others / giving back
- Learning with others in a cooperative, inspiring environment
- Discovering innovative technologies and solutions
- Improving lives through interdisciplinary rehabilitation research
- Meeting top researchers and clinicians from around the world
- Networking, Networking, Networking!

5 REASONS YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS THIS EVENT



1

MAKE VALUABLE CONNECTIONS — There is no substitute for meeting in-person to share experiences, ideas, knowledge and know-how in the same space. The ACRM Conference brings all the puzzle pieces together (YOU & your like-minded peers) to create an inclusive and welcoming environment for essential interdisciplinary exchange.

2

STRENGTHEN YOUR SKILLS — The latest and greatest research is presented at ACRM. Whether you attend for one day, all six or any number in between, you can take away evidence-based knowledge you can put to work ASAP. Improve your care, improve efficiencies and bring back the latest science to your practice.

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SHAPE THE FUTURE OF REHABILITATION — ACRM is THE VOICE for rehabilitation research and its translation into clinical practice. With dozens of ACRM meetings, and 20 community groups there are plenty of places to pitch in and help advance the field. ACRM provides the opportunity to roll-up your sleeves, meet and connect, affect policy and IMPROVE LIVES.

5

MAKE LIFELONG FRIENDS — ACRM is the HOME for the best rehabilitation research and those who clamor for it. It's easy to make and keep friends in this welcoming community.

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- » Occupational Therapists
- » Psychiatrists
- » Physicians
- » Psychologists
- » Recreational Therapists
- » Rehabilitation Nurses
- » Rehabilitation/Academic Researchers
- » Speech-Language Professionals
- » Students, Residents and Fellows
- » All members of the rehabilitation team



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"ACRM's annual meeting provides an unprecedented opportunity to remain current on rehabilitation research advances and to meet authors, reviewers and editors of the Archives."

—Allen W. Heinemann, PhD, ABPP, FACRM
CO-EDITOR-IN-CHIEF, ARCHIVES OF PHYSICAL
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"ACRM is a home where I can combine clinical interests with my research and interact with people who are making decisions about rehab research"

—Deborah Backus, PT, PhD, FACRM
ACRM PRESIDENT-ELECT, DIRECTOR OF MULTIPLE
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"ACRM is a great conference to come to especially as a young researcher to experience the multi-disciplinary nature here. It's a fantastic place for researchers and clinicians to come together to share their research and experiences"

—Julia Totosz de Zeptnek, PhD
MCMASTER UNIVERSITY, ON CANADA



"ACRM is very relevant to the therapy services we provide in our post-acute rehab facility, and our staff found it very beneficial and educational!"

—Sid Dickson, PhD, ABPP
NEUROPSYCHOLOGIST AT BAYLOR INSTITUTE FOR
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"ACRM is a great organization for early career professionals to advance their career with limitless networking opportunities."

—Monique R. Pappadis, MEd, PhD
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS
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"The ACRM conference is the premier rehabilitation conference in the world with an outstanding mix of research and best practices, but also the opportunity to network with national and international leaders and contribute to the field of rehabilitation through the different task forces."

—Lance E. Trexler, PhD, FACRM
DIRECTOR REHABILITATION NEUROPSYCHOLOGY,
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"The ACRM Annual Conference has grown to become the world's largest interdisciplinary conference in the field of rehabilitation research, and as a result, the peer-to-peer networking is second to none."

—Gary Ulicny, PhD, FACRM
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Members of the ACRM Military / Veterans Affairs Networking Group flank the group co-chairs Risa Nakase-Richardson, PhD, James A. Haley Veterans Hospital and Joel D. Scholten, MD, Washington DC VA Medical Center. The group held a lively meeting last year with plans for Task Force expansions. Leaders wanted! Don't miss their meeting in Chicago.



“ACRM is a wonderful organization because it's one of the few where you bring together providers and researchers in the world of rehabilitation... where they can exchange ideas, collaborate, problem-solve, and really take a look at what's important for the person who is receiving services.”

— *Chris MacDonnell, FACRM*
MANAGING DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL REHABILITATION,
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“Participating in the “Early Career” workshop at the ACRM Conference connected me with unique mentoring opportunities in various disciplines of rehabilitation, which have continued to promote my development as a clinician and scientist.”

— *Saurabha Bhatnagar, MD*
HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL / VA BOSTON,
INNOVATION OFFICER & MEDICAL DIRECTOR OF
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“ACRM membership allows one to really engage in clinical science and team science building. It's the way research is going in the future, and ACRM really fosters that from all different disability perspectives.”

— *Stephanie A. Kolakowsky-Hayner, PhD, CBIST, FACRM*
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER, BRAIN TRAUMA FOUNDATION



“This was the most organized, comprehensive, inclusive, and embracing conference that I have ever attended. I definitely plan on attending more in the future and getting involved in the ISIGs and letting others know that THIS is the conference to attend.”

— *Shannon L. Scott, OTD, OTR/L*
STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY AT SOUTHAMPTON, NY



“This conference exceeded my expectation. As both a clinician and a researcher, I gained valuable knowledge that will change both aspects of my practice.”

— *Casey Kandilakis, PT, DPT, NCS*
PHYSICAL THERAPIST, CLINICAL RESEARCH
SCIENTIST, SHEPHERD CENTER



“Cutting edge research, education and horizon scanning by the world leaders in rehabilitation in one conference; simply the best!”

— *Mohammed Sakel, FRCP MD*
DIRECTOR / CONSULTANT, EAST KENT UNIVERSITY
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“As a first-time attendee of the ACRM, I was inspired and challenged. Thank you for providing such a wide variety of very relevant learning opportunities and forums!”

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WELCOME REMARKS & **PLENARY I**

WED 2 NOV 8:15 AM

“Preparing Rehabilitation Clinicians and Researchers for Transformative Health Care and Pragmatic Research” #1001

PRESENTER: Pamela Duncan, PhD, PT, Professor of Neurology and Senior Policy Advisor for Transitional Outcomes, Wake Forest Baptist Health, Winston-Salem, NC



Pamela Duncan is a nationally and internationally renowned expert in health policy, outcomes research and clinical epidemiology. Her expertise is in post-acute management of the elderly and individuals with stroke and falls management and prevention. She is Professor of Neurology and Senior Policy Advisor for Transitional Outcomes for Wake Forest Baptist Health. Her secondary appointments are in the Division of Geriatrics and Gerontology, Division of Public Health Sciences, and the Translational Sciences Institute. Dr. Duncan has led or co-led multiple studies related to falls in the elderly and stroke survivors, she has developed measures of balance and stroke outcomes, analyzed the physical determinants for falls in the elderly, evaluated the benefits of strength training to reduce falls, and developed international trials to evaluate home based exercise for those who suffered an injurious fall.

PLENARY II

THU 3 NOV 8:15 AM

“Health, Health Care & Participation Disparities Experienced by People with Chronic Disabilities” #1002

Despite 26 years since the Americans with Disabilities Act, a growing body of research has documented disparities experienced by people with disabilities in everyday life and societal participation. Dr. Iezzoni will present national evidence on disparities in health and health care, and insights from qualitative research that highlights the perspectives of people with disabilities. Dr. Hammel will follow with evidence on disparities related to community living, social participation and work from national participatory action research. Both will point to promising practices and recommendations for rehabilitation professionals and research to recognize client-centeredness and collaboratively strategize environmental barriers to health and participation



PRESENTERS:

Joy M. Hammel, PhD, OTR/L is a nationally and internationally renowned expert in health policy, outcomes research and clinical epidemiology. Her expertise is in post-acute management of the elderly and individuals with stroke and falls management and prevention. She is Professor of Neurology and Senior Policy Advisor for Transitional Outcomes for Wake Forest Baptist Health.



Lisa I. Iezzoni, MD, MSc Dr. Lisa I. Iezzoni is professor of medicine at Harvard Medical School and director of the Mongan Institute Health Policy Center at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. Dr. Iezzoni has conducted numerous studies for the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, National Institutes of Health, the Medicare agency, and private foundations on evaluating methods for predicting costs and clinical outcomes and assessing quality of care.

PLENARY III COULTER AWARD LECTURE

FRI 4 NOV 8:15 AM

“How Rehabilitation Can Thrive in a Challenging Healthcare Environment” #1003



JOHN STANLEY COULTER AWARD RECIPIENT

PRESENTER: Alan Jette, PT, PhD, MPH, professor of health law, policy and management, Boston University School of Public Health; professor of rehabilitation sciences at the MGH Institute of Health Professions; and editor-in-chief of *Physical Therapy*

While evidence-based practice is firmly entrenched in rehabilitation, how to translate evidence into clinical practice is unsettled. While major gaps in scientific knowledge exist, an enormous amount of scientific knowledge remains unused in practice. The transfer of evidence into patient care is unpredictable, highly variable, and needs to be accelerated. Dr. Jette will discuss strategies for moving rehabilitation from innovation dissemination to actual implementation and will review several considerations guiding the choice of implementation strategy.

Dr. Jette’s research interests include late-life exercise, evaluation of rehabilitation treatment outcomes, and the measurement, epidemiology, and prevention of disability. **MORE >** ACRM.org/plenaries

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- › Where the money is
- › Their vision for the future

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PRESENTERS:



Alison Cernich, PhD, director of the National Center for Medical Rehabilitation Research (NCMRR) at the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, National Institutes of Health



John Tschida, director of the National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR), Administration for Community Living, US Department of Health and Human Services



Theresa Bringer, PhD, OTR/L, director, Clinical and Rehabilitative Medicine Research Program, US Army Medical Research and Materiel Command

Learn about emerging changes in health care policy and the current funding climate in Washington that may impact your research agenda and future access to rehabilitation services.

This presentation will focus on the current portfolio of rehabilitation research across NIH, the focus of research funded by NCMRR, and major advances from the portfolio over the past five years. Opportunities for funding, mechanisms by which researchers can gain support for their research projects or training needs, and resources that may be of assistance to researchers in the field will be presented. Finally, the presentation will include an overview of the goals for rehabilitation research that will become part of a Rehabilitation Research Plan for the National Institutes of Health and the process by which inputs to that plan will be solicited.

While the transition from NIDRR to NIDILRR creates a world of opportunity, an environment of fiscal austerity and rapidly evolving health policy continues to present challenges. What does the future hold for individuals with disabilities, the rehabilitation research community, and the agencies that fund them?

“No other organization offers this rare opportunity to meet with and learn from the NCMRR Director about her vision for rehabilitation research. Like last year, this will be an extraordinary session.”



—Stephen Page, OTR/L, PhD, MS, FAHA, FACRM, The Ohio State University

“With all the changes in health care policy and resources, we are eager to hear from John Tschida, the director of NIDILRR, about what to expect for rehabilitation research funding priorities and resources in the future.”



—Douglas Katz, MD, FACRM, FAAN, Boston University School of Medicine, Braintree Rehabilitation Hospital

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MORNING SESSION 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM	The Multiple Errands Test: Developing, Administering and Scoring Site-Specific Versions – FULL-DAY COURSE (Deirdre Dawson, Emily Nalder, Amanda Clark) #33 CP, BI, CC NOTE: ONLY THIS COURSE HAS DIFFERENT START TIME: 9:30am - 5:00pm MORE: ACRM.org/IC33	How to Maintain and Lead Clinical Research as Physician, Clinician, or Clinician Researcher? (Brad Kurowski, Douglas Katz, Flora Hammond, Mike Jones) #45 RES, CC ACRM.org/IC45	Randomized Control Pilot Trial Evaluating AMPCARE's Effective Swallowing Protocol for Treatment of Dysphagia Post Stroke – FULL-DAY COURSE (Russ Campbell, Patrick McAdoo) #43 CP, TEC, CC, STROKE MORE: ACRM.org/IC43	Yoga: A Holistic Approach for Rehabilitation Across Disciplines – FULL-DAY COURSE (Ellen Zambo Anderson, Lori Zucker) #233 CP, CC MORE: ACRM.org/IC233	The NIH Toolbox: State of the Art Outcome Measures for Rehabilitation Practice and Research — FULL-DAY COURSE (Cindy Nowinski, Susan Magasi, Allen Heinemann) #143 MES, CP, BI, CC MORE: ACRM.org/IC143
AFTER-NOON SESSION 1:30 PM - 5:30 PM	Performing and Making Sense of a Literature Search (Christine Willis, Mark Sweatman) #271 RES, CC MORE: ACRM.org/IC271				

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Cognitive Support Technology and Vocational Rehabilitation: Approaches for Postsecondary Students With a Traumatic Brain Injury – FULL-DAY COURSE (Phillip Rumrill, Marcia Scherer, Eileen Elias, Deborah Hendricks, Karen Jacobs, Anne Leopold, Callista Stauffer, Elaine Sampson, Amanda Nardone) #91 BI, TEC MORE: ACRM.org/IC91	Fatigue, Impaired Alertness and Daytime Sleepiness in Traumatic Brain Injury (Tatyana Mollayeva, Tamara Bushnik, Angela Colantonio) #152 BI, CP MORE: ACRM.org/IC152	Neuroplasticity: Leveraging Principles of Plasticity to Optimize Neurorehabilitation – FULL-DAY COURSE (Theresa Pape, Eric Wasserman, Sue Ann Sisto, Phillip Janicak, Leora Cherney, Sangeetha Madhavan, Heather Tanksley Peters, Kwan Leung Ng, Preeti Raghavan, Stephen Page) #37 NP, BI, ST MORE: ACRM.org/IC37	World-Class Content Coming Soon	World-Class Measurement Symposium (Jason Raad) Details Coming Soon. Dr. Raad is a post-doctoral fellow at the Center of Innovation for Complex Chronic Healthcare (CINCH) at Edward Hines Jr. VA Hospital CC MORE: ACRM.org/preconference	Single-Case Design Studies: Development, Clinical Use, Reporting and Evaluation for the Rehabilitation Evidence Base – FULL-DAY COURSE (Marcel Dijkers, Robyn Tate, Ronald Seel, James Graham) #66 DI, CP, CC MORE: ACRM.org/IC66	Skeletal Muscle Design and Plasticity (Richard Lieber) #48 DI Richard Lieber, PhD, is Professor in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, McCormick School of Engineering and Physiology CC MORE: ACRM.org/IC48	Integrating Feldenkrais® Concepts into Musculoskeletal and Neuromuscular Rehabilitation: Rethinking Impairment Based Treatment Approaches – FULL-DAY COURSE (Teresa Miller) #261 DI, PAIN, CC MORE: ACRM.org/IC261	TWO-DAY COURSE (DAY #1) NATIONAL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM The Academy of Certified Brain Injury Specialists (ACBIS) (Separate Registration Required) MORE: ACRM.org/ACBIS	TWO-DAY COURSE (DAY #1) ACRM COGNITIVE REHABILITATION TRAINING (Separate Registration Required) Learn evidence-based cognitive rehabilitation strategies from leading researchers and clinicians in the field. MORE: ACRM.org/cogchi
The Neurological Effect of Lenses and Puzzles on Brain Plasticity (Deborah Zelinsky, Donalee Markus) #119 BI, NP, CP MORE: ACRM.org/IC119		World-Class Content Coming Soon	Mobile Health Technologies and Chronic Disease Management: Applications in Rehabilitation (Shane Phillips, Spyros Kitsiou, Sharon Martino, Ben Gerber, Anthony Faiola, Craig Lehmann) #268 DI, TEC, MES MORE: ACRM.org/IC268	The Importance and Reality of Integrating Outcome Assessment in Clinical Practice (Pamela Roberts, Rochard Riggs, Trudy Mallinson, Deborah Backus, Sarah Morrison) #74 DI, CP MORE: ACRM.org/IC74	Neuropharmacology (Arshia Ahmad, Douglas Katz, Min Jeong Park, Susan Schultz, Ana Durand-Sanchez) #124 DI, BI, CP MORE: ACRM.org/IC124	TWO-DAY COURSE		TWO-DAY COURSE	

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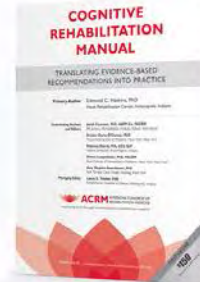
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