

ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS OF NEUROLOGY

2024 ANNUAL MEETING



**Educational Sessions Geared Towards:
Chairs (new & experienced), Program Directors,
Clerkship Directors, VA Chiefs & Women Leaders**

WELCOME TO THE 2024 AUPN ANNUAL MEETING!

We are thrilled to extend a warm welcome to all attendees joining us for the 2024 Annual Meeting of the Association of University Professors of Neurology (AUPN)! This year marks a significant milestone as we embark on our inaugural standalone meeting.

With a rich array of educational sessions, this meeting promises attendees the latest knowledge, insights, and strategies to excel in their roles. Engage in discussions, workshops, and presentations from renowned experts and thought leaders in the field. Forge invaluable connections with your peers, exchange experiences, and learn from one another. AUPN's Annual Meeting is the ideal platform to collaborate, discuss challenges, and network with your colleagues.

At the conclusion to our programming, we cordially invite you to join us for the AUPN Business Meeting & Awards Ceremony. During this session, representatives from the AUPN, NINDS, ANA, VHA, ABPN, AAN, and UCNS will provide brief updates on their latest initiatives and developments. Following this, we will proudly recognize the recipients of the AUPN Faculty Leadership Award in a brief awards ceremony.

Following the Business Meeting & Awards Ceremony, we invite you to unwind and network at an evening reception, co-hosted by the ANA and AUPN.

The AUPN Annual Meeting takes place the day before the 149th Annual Meeting of the American Neurological Association (ANA). Attendees of the AUPN Annual Meeting are welcome and encouraged to stay and attend the ANA Annual Meeting (ANA meeting registration required).

We are delighted to have you with us for AUPN 2024. On behalf of AUPN and the Program Committee, a warm welcome to Orlando!

Sincerely,



John England, MD
AUPN President

OUR MISSION

To advance and strengthen the academic Neurology community through education, mentorship and the sharing of best practices among leaders in academic neurology.

OUR VISION

To shape the future of neurology as the voice of its academic leaders.

GENERAL MEETING INFORMATION

VENUE

Hilton Orlando
6001 Destination Parkway
Orlando, FL 32819

Check-in: 3 pm
Check-out: 11 am

MEETING EVALUATION & CLAIM CME

Please complete the Annual Meeting evaluation & claim CME credit following the meeting. The evaluation & CME form can be found at www.aupn.org/2024CME or by scanning the QR code on any meeting signage. Your responses are crucial to the future success of AUPN. Thank you!

REGISTRATION HOURS

Saturday, September 14 | 6:30 am - 3:45 pm | Located at the ANA Registration Desk on the main floor of the Hilton Orlando.

FOOD & BEVERAGE INCLUDED

Breakfast | 7:00 - 8:30 AM | Lake Lucerne
Break | 9:30 - 9:45 AM | Lake Mizell Foyer
Networking Lunch | 11:45 - 12:45 PM | Lake Lucerne
Break | 2:15 - 2:30 PM | Lake Mizell Foyer
Break | 3:30 - 3:45 PM | Lake Mizell Foyer
ANA/AUPN Reception | 5:00 - 5:45 PM | Orange E Ballroom (Lower Level)



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7:00 - 8:30 AM

Breakfast

7:30 - 9:30 AM

Neurology.Educator.Advancing.Teaching (N.E.A.T.) Workshop

Teaching Neurosciences Across the Education Continuum

Moderator: Tracey A. Milligan, MD; New York Medical College | Roy Strowd, MD; Wake Forest University School of Medicine

Speakers: Galina Gheihman, MD; Harvard Medical School | Neil Masangkay, MD; University of Arkansas | Clifford Saper, MD, PhD; Harvard Medical School

9:30 - 9:45 AM

Break

9:45 - 11:45 AM

Clerkship Director Workshop

Career Development for the Clerkship Director

Moderator: Marie Carl Eugene, DO, MSHPE; UConn

Speakers: Nuri Jacoby, MD; SUNY Downstate Medical Center | Ralph F. Józefowicz, MD; University of Rochester | Madhu Soni, MD; Rush University Medical Center | Roy E. Strowd, III, MD; Wake Forest University

Program Director Workshop

The Struggling Resident

Moderator: David P. Lerner, MD; SUNY Downstate at One Brooklyn Health

Speakers: Spencer K. Hutto, MD; Emory University | Joshua Kornbluth, MD; Tufts University | Saurabh R. Sinha, MD; University of Pennsylvania | Suma Shah, MD; Duke University Medical Center

11:45 AM - 12:45 PM

Lunch

12:45 - 2:15 PM

VA Chief Workshop

Interdisciplinary Care Models for VA Neurology

Moderator & Speaker: Vanessa Hinson, MD, PhD; Ralph H. Johnson VA Medical Center, Charleston, SC

Speakers: Alicia Grant, FNP; Medical University of South Carolina | Christina Ketron, DNP; Ralph H. Johnson VA Medical Center, Charleston, SC | Jerome Kurent, MD; Ralph H. Johnson VA Medical Center, Charleston, SC | Jason Sico, MD; Yale School of Medicine

Department Chair & Program Director Forum

The Role of PDs and Chairs in Addressing the Shortage of General Neurologists: Point-Counterpoint

Moderator: Yaacov Anziska, MD; SUNY Downstate

Speakers: Jaffar Khan, MD; Emory University | Tracey A. Milligan, MD; New York Medical College

Panelists: Jeff Dewey, MD; Yale School of Medicine | Olga Goldberg, MD; Stanford University Goldberg | Frances Jensen, MD; University of Pennsylvania | Steve Lewis, MD; Lehigh Valley Health Network | Vinod Ravikumar, MD; New York Medical College/Westchester Medical Center

2:15 - 2:30 PM

Break

2:30 - 3:30 PM

Women Leaders in Neurology

Overcoming Barriers to Success as a Leader in Neurology

Moderator: Page B. Pennell, MD, Chair of Neurology, University of Pittsburgh

Speakers: Amy Brooks-Kayal, MD; UC Davis | Laurie Gutmann, MD; Indiana University | Dawn Kleindorfer, MD; University of Michigan

New Chairs Round Table

Moderator: John England, MD; AUPN President; LSU Health Sciences Center SOM - New Orleans

Speakers: Clifton L. Gooch, MD, University of South Florida | Brett Kissela, MD, MS; University of Cincinnati

3:30 - 3:45 PM

Break

3:45 - 5:00 PM

AUPN Business Meeting & Awards Ceremony

AUPN asks that all attendees be present for this meeting

Brief updates provided by representatives from the AAN, ABPN, ANA, NINDS, UCNS and VHA
Presentation of AUPN Faculty Leadership Award to follow

5:00 PM - 5:45 PM

Cocktail Reception, hosted by the ANA and AUPN

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Separate registration required on the ANA website*

PROGRAM DETAILS

Neurology.Educator.Advancing.Teaching (N.E.A.T.) Workshop Teaching Neurosciences Across the Education Continuum

7:30 - 9:30 AM • Lake Mizell Ballroom

Collaborating Partners: AUPN, ANA & AAN

DESCRIPTION

Explore the evolving landscape of clinical neuroscience education through a dynamic panel presentations and discussion. This session delves into effective strategies for teaching basic neuroscience, seamlessly integrating scientific principles into preclinical medical school courses, neurology clerkships, and fostering continuous learning in Graduate Medical Education (GME). Engage with expert insights on Team-Based Learning, Problem-Based Learning, and Peer Instruction, alongside discussions on incorporating the Scientific Method, neuroanatomy, and Mechanism of Disease maps into clinical education. Join us for an interactive dialogue shaping the future of neurology education.

SPEAKERS *(click headshot for bio)*



Tracey Milligan, MD
New York
Medical College
Moderator



Roy Strowd, MD
Wake Forest University
Moderator



Neil Masangkay, MD
University of Arkansas



Galina Gheihman, MD
Harvard
Medical School



Clifford Saper, MD, PhD
Harvard
Medical School

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Apply innovative instructional methods, including Team-Based Learning, Problem-Based Learning, and Peer Instruction, to effectively teach basic neuroscience concepts in the pre-clerkship setting.
2. Integrate fundamental scientific principles, such as the Scientific Method, neuroanatomy, and Mechanism of Disease maps, into clinical clerkships, enhancing students' ability to approach clinical problems with a research-oriented mindset and strengthening the bridge between basic sciences and clinical application.
3. Implement strategies for seamlessly integrating basic neurosciences into Graduate Medical Education (GME) programs, including residency and fellowship training, cultivating a culture of lifelong learning and ensuring continuous application of neuroscientific knowledge throughout medical professionals' careers.

PROGRAM DETAILS

Clerkship Director's Workshop

Career Development for the Clerkship Director

9:45 - 11:45 AM • Lake Mizell A

DESCRIPTION

There has been an increased recognition of the role of medical educator – both locally and nationally – along with greater opportunities to engage in educational scholarship. Clerkship directors are at times unsure of how to devise a path to success and promotion. This workshop will explore the strategies, resources, and prospects that can be leveraged by neurology educators to advance and develop their careers.

SPEAKERS *(click headshot for bio)*



Marie Eugene, DO, MSHPE
University of Connecticut
Moderator



Nuri Jacoby, MD, FAAN
SUNY Downstate
Medical Center



Ralph F. Józefowicz, MD
University of
Rochester



Madhu Soni, MD, FAAN
Rush University
Medical Center



Roy Strowd, MD
Wake Forest
University

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Define career goals and expected outcomes to develop a local and national reputation.
2. List options for leadership roles in medical education that could be considered in addition to or beyond the role of clerkship director.
3. Identify strategies that can promote a clerkship director's engagement in scholarly activity, including cross-institutional research.

PROGRAM DETAILS

Program Director's Workshop

The Struggling Resident

9:45 - 11:45 AM • Lake Mizell B

DESCRIPTION

The workshop reviews commonly encountered areas of resident dysfunction including academic and patient centered performance, mental health, substance misuse and legal concerns that result in resident struggle. The panelists discuss experiences as PD's and approaches to support struggling residents. Lastly, the panel will discuss how to support non-renewed or resigned residents' progress in the chosen career path.

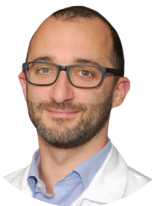
SPEAKERS *(click headshot for bio)*



Lisa Merlin, MD
SUNY Downstate
Organizer



David Lerner, MD
SUNY Downstate at
One Brooklyn Health
Moderator



Joshua Kornbluth, MD
Tufts University



Saurabh R. Sinha, MD
University of
Pennsylvania



Spencer K. Hutto, MD
Emory University



Suma Shah, MD
Duke University
Medical Center

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Identify the common causes of resident dysfunction. Once identified, collaborate with residency leadership to develop appropriate individualized support/remediation.
2. Demonstrate empathy and understanding of struggling residents while supporting the resident and program during corrective actions.
3. Understand the role of the residency leadership in transition of a resident from the training program.

PROGRAM DETAILS

VHA Workshop

Interdisciplinary Care Models for VA Neurology

12:45 - 2:15 PM • Lake Mizell A

DESCRIPTION

The interactive workshop will discuss how interdisciplinary care benefits Veterans with complex neurological conditions and how it is practically implemented at the VA. The speakers will present how their interdisciplinary clinics are designed and implemented, using the example of Parkinson's, ALS, and Headache care. The speakers will then convene for a round table discussion with audience participation.

SPEAKERS *(click headshot for bio)*



Vanessa Hinson, MD,
PhD; Ralph H. Johnson
VA Medical Center,
Charleston, SC
Moderator/Speaker



Alicia Grant, FNP
Medical University of
South Carolina



Christina Ketron, DNP
Ralph H. Johnson VA
Medical Center,
Charleston, SC



Jerome Kurent, MD
Ralph H. Johnson VA
Medical Center,
Charleston, SC



Jason Sico, MD
Yale School of Medicine

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Define best practices of interdisciplinary care within the VA.
2. Apply interdisciplinary care practices to the fields of Parkinson's, ALS, Headache care.
3. Understand how interdisciplinary clinics improve quality of care.

PROGRAM DETAILS

Dept. Chair & Program Directors' Forum

The Role of PDs and Chairs in Addressing the Shortage of General Neurologists (Point-Counterpoint)

12:45 - 2:15 PM • Lake Mizell B

DESCRIPTION

This course offers in-depth insights into the pressing issue of the shortage of general neurologists. It begins with a thorough data presentation, clearly defining and illustrating the problem's scope. The subsequent point-counterpoint discussion, facilitated by expert panelists, provides diverse perspectives on addressing the shortage. Panelists then delve into their unique attempts and innovative strategies, offering practical insights into tackling this critical challenge.

SPEAKERS & PANELISTS *(click headshot for bio)*



Lisa Merlin, MD
SUNY Downstate
Organizer



Yaacov Anziska, MD;
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Yale School of Medicine



Vinod Ravikumar, MD
New York
Medical College



Olga Goldberg, MD
Stanford University



Steve Lewis, MD
Lehigh Valley
Health Network



Frances Jensen, MD
University of
Pennsylvania

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Define the current state and future need for general neurologists in the community and in our medical schools and training programs.
2. Discuss the role of program directors in shaping career paths of trainees.
3. Discuss the role of department chairs in faculty recruitment and job descriptions.

PROGRAM DETAILS

Women Leaders in Neurology

Overcoming Barriers to Success as a Leader in Neurology

2:30 - 3:30 PM • Lake Mizell A

DESCRIPTION

This hour-long workshop will create a forum for discussion about common challenges to women in leadership positions in academic medical centers. The discussion will be led by a panel of Chairs of Neurology who identify as women.

SPEAKERS *(click headshot for bio)*



Page B. Pennell, MD
University of Pittsburgh
Organizer/Moderator



Amy Brooks-Kayal, MD
University of
California - Davis



Laurie Gutmann, MD
Indiana University



Dawn Kleindorfer, MD
University of Michigan

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Increase skills in negotiating and collaborating with other leaders in their academic medical centers
2. Increase skills in change management
3. Increase skills in conflict resolution

PROGRAM DETAILS

New Chairs Round Table

2:30 - 3:30 PM • Lake Mizell B

DESCRIPTION

This is an opportunity for experienced chairs (3+ years' experience) to meet with new(er) chairs (0-3 years' experience) and advise and help with the transition into their new role. The focus of the session will be to find out what the new chairs need, answer specific questions and inform them about AUPN resources and mentorship opportunities.

SPEAKERS *(click headshot for bio)*



*John England, MD
AUPN President
LSU Health Sciences Center
SOM - New Orleans
Moderator/Speaker*



*Clifton L. Gooch, MD
University of
South Florida*



*Brett Kissela, MD, MS
University of Cincinnati*

AGENDA

2:30: Welcome

2:35: AUPN Member Resources

2:40: Tips & Lessons Learned from Experienced Chairs

Clifton L. Gooch, MD; University of South Florida

Brett Kissela, MD, MS; University of Cincinnati

3:00: Open Discussion

3:30: Closing Remarks

AUPN BUSINESS MEETING & AWARDS CEREMONY

3:45- 5:00 PM | Lake Mizell Ballroom



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Evening Cocktail Reception Co-hosted by the ANA & AUPN

5:00- 5:45 PM | Orange E Ballroom (Lower Level)

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Following the reception

the ANA invites all AUPN Annual Meeting attendees to the Opening Symposium in the Orlando Ballroom III (Lower Level) on the topic of The Dawn of Gene Therapy in ALS.

Chair: Clifton Gooch, MD; University of South Florida
Co-Chair: I-Hweii Chen, MD, PhD; University of South Florida

Don't let the education stop here!

Attend the ANA Annual Meeting, conveniently held at the Hilton Orlando from Sunday, September 15 - Tuesday, September 17!
Pre-registration required via ANA website.

Join us at the

2025 AUPN Annual Meeting

in Baltimore, MD



*Saturday, September 13, 2025
Baltimore Marriott Waterfront
held the day before the ANA Annual Meeting*