NIH Behavioral and Social Sciences Research Festival:  
*Connecting People to Advance Health*  
December 8, 2017 – 8:30 a.m.  
Natcher Auditorium, NIH Campus, Bethesda, Maryland  
Draft Agenda

8:30- 8:45 **Welcome and Opening Remarks**  
Lawrence A. Tabak, D.D.S., Ph.D.  
Principal Deputy Director  
National Institutes of Health

8:45- 9:15 **State of Behavioral and Social Sciences at the NIH**  
William T. Riley, Ph.D.  
NIH Associate Director for Behavioral and Social Sciences  
Director, NIH Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research

9:15-10:30 **Panel 1: Interventional Research**  
*Moderator:* Robert C. Freeman, Ph.D., NIAAA  
Eric Lenze, M.D.: Alzheimer’s marker change via psychological interventions  
Sebastian Linnemayr, Ph.D.: Behavioral economic incentive structures for antiretroviral medications  
Kelli Komro, Ph.D.: Alcohol use among American Indian and white high school students

10:30-10:45 **BREAK**

10:45-11:45 **TOWN HALLS**  
1: OBSSR Serving the NIH  
*Moderator:* Elizabeth Ginexi, Ph.D.

2: OBSSR Serving the Research Community  
*Moderator:* William Elwood, Ph.D.

12:00- 1:00 **LUNCH AND POSTERS**

1:00 - 1:30 **NIH Institute/Center Director Perspectives:**  
Eliseo J. Pérez-Stable, M.D.  
Director, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities

1:30- 2:45 **Panel 2: Behavioral Neuroscience**  
*Moderator:* Janine M. Simmons, M.D., Ph.D., NIMH  
Paul Kenny, Ph.D.: Avoidance circuits and nicotine  
Shannon Gourley, Ph.D.: Goal directed action and reward anticipation
Russell Fernald, Ph.D.: Experimental neuroscience, cognitive skills and the evolution of social systems

2:45 - 2:55 BREAK

2:55 - 3:20 NIH Intramural Research Highlight: Depression and Insulin Resistance in Adolescent Girls—An Intramural NIH Bench to Bedside Investigation

Opening Remarks: John I. Gallin, M.D.
NIH Associate Director for Clinical Research
NIH Clinical Center

Presenter: Jack Yanovski, M.D., Ph.D.
Chief, Section on Growth and Obesity
Division of Intramural Research
Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

3:20 - 4:35 Panel 3: Social Factors and Health

Moderator: Melissa Riddle, Ph.D., NIDCR

Shannon Monnat, Ph.D.: Opioid use in rural and small urban areas
Y. Claire Yang, Ph.D.: Social Relationships and physiological impacts across the lifespan
Stephen Gilman, Ph.D.: Socioeconomic disadvantage and gestational immune function

4:35 Closing Remarks

Christine M. Hunter, Ph.D., ABPP
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