

Chicago Society for Neuroscience

Annual Meeting

Friday, March 21, 2025, Northwestern Memorial Hospital

Keynote Speaker



“Building brain resilience by modulating stress-induced transcription: implications for treatment of stroke, cognitive aging, and Alzheimer’s disease”

Rajiv R. Ratan, MD, PhD

CEO, Burke Neurological Institute
Associate Dean, Weill Cornell Medicine
Professor, Weill Cornell Medicine

Presidential Symposium



“Leveraging the NIA Research Framework to Examine Risk and Resilience to Alzheimer’s disease and related dementias”

Alexandra Clark, PhD

Assistant Professor, University of Texas, Austin

“Considerations for Treating the Brain During HIV Infection: A Personalized Medicine Approach”

Dionna Williams, PhD

Associate Professor, Emory University SOM



Societal Impacts Symposium



“Navigating perfect storms in chronic spinal cord injury”

Alexander “Sasha” Rabchevsky, PhD

Professor, University of Kentucky

Also featuring: Graduate Student Symposium, Poster Competition (Undergraduate, Graduate and Postdoctoral categories), Neuroethics and NeuroArt Competitions, Mentoring Breakfast with Keynote and Presidential Speakers, Diversity in Careers Panel, and Exhibit Hall.

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