

### Thursday, October 15, 2020

#### 12:00 PM - 12:10PM

Welcome

#### 12:10 PM – 1:10 PM (Central/Standard Time Zone)

Plenary Presentation

Presenter: **Redonna Chandler, PhD**, Director of AIDS Research Program, NIDA

#### 1:10 PM – 2:10 PM

Scientific Session: *Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD) Study*

Chair: **Raul Gonzalez, Jr, PhD**, Professor of Psychology, Psychiatry and Immunology, Florida International University

Presenters: **Marybel Robledo Gonzalez, PhD**, Postdoctoral Scholar, University of California San Diego  
**Mariana Sanchez, PhD**, Assistant Professor, Department of Health Promotion & Disease Prevention, Florida International University

#### 2:15 PM – 3:15 PM

Scientific Session: *Alcohol as a Challenge to Ending the HIV Epidemic*

Co-Chairs: **Diana Sheehan-Delgado, MPH, PhD**, Assistant Professor, Department of Epidemiology, Florida International University

**Danielle Levitt, PhD**, Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Physiology, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center New Orleans

Presenters: **Angela Amedee, PhD**, Professor of Microbiology, Immunology & Parasitology & Associate Dean, School of Graduate Studies, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center New Orleans  
**Robert Leeman, PhD**, Associate Professor & Mary F Lane Endowed Professor, Department of Health Education and Behavior, University of Florida

#### 3:15 PM – 4:15 PM

Poster Session

Chair: **Tara Bautista**, Postdoctoral Associate, Interdisciplinary Stress Center, School of Medicine, Yale University

### Friday, October 16, 2020

#### 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

Plenary Presentation

Presenter: **Nora Volkow, MD**, Director, National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)

#### 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

New Investigators in Drug Abuse Research

Co-Chairs: **Danielle Levitt, PhD**, Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Physiology, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center New Orleans

**Miguel Pinedo, PhD**, Assistant Professor, Department of Kinesiology & Health Education, University of Texas at Austin

Presenters: **Veronika Espinoza**, Graduate Student, University of Texas at El Paso  
**Alejandra Fernandez, PhD**, Postdoctoral Associate, University of Miami  
**Monica Goncalves-Garcia**, Graduate Student, University of New Mexico  
**Catalina Lopez-Quintero, MD, MPH, PhD**, Assistant Professor, Department of Epidemiology, University of Florida

#### 2:15 PM – 3:15 PM

Scientific Session: *Neural Mechanisms of Nicotine Use: From Animal Models to Human Subjects*

Co-Chairs: **Hugo Sandoval, PhD**, Senior Research Associate, Department of Radiology, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center

**Laura O'Dell, PhD**, Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Texas at El Paso

Presenters: **Eric Claus, PhD**, Associate Professor of Translational Neuroscience, The Mind Research Network  
**Ian Mendez, PhD**, Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacy, University of Texas at El Paso  
**Matt Sutherland, PhD**, Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, Florida International University

#### 3:15 PM – 4:00 PM

Career development session: *NIH/NIDA Funding Opportunities, Diversity Initiatives, and Updates*

Co-Chairs: **Catalina Lopez-Quintero, MD, MPH, PhD**, Assistant Professor, Department of Epidemiology, University of Florida  
**Mayra Vargas-Rivera, MD**, Clinical Research Laboratory Manager, Department of Epidemiology, Florida International University

Presenter: **Albert Avila, PhD**, Director, Office of Diversity and Health Disparities, NIDA

#### 4:00 PM – 4:30 PM

Awards and Closing Ceremony