2014 AGENDA
LEON LEVY NEUROSCIENCE FELLOWS SYMPOSIUM

Host: Weill Cornell Medical College
Date: Wednesday, April 30, 2014

Participating Institutions:
Columbia University Medical Center, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, NYU Langone Medical Center, Rockefeller University, Weill Cornell Medical College

12 – 12:30 p.m Registration & Box Lunch
Belfer Research Building
The Starr-Greenberg Conference Center, 3rd floor
413 East 69th Street (between First and York Avenues)

SESSION ONE

12:30 – 12:35 p.m. Introduction
Costantino Iadecola, M.D.
Director, Brain and Mind Research Institute
Anne Parrish Titzell Professor of Neurology
Professor of Neurology and Neuroscience
Weill Cornell Medical College

12:35 – 12:45 p.m. Welcoming Remarks
Laurie H. Glimcher, M.D.
Steven and Suzanne Weiss Dean
Weill Cornell Medical College

12:45 – 1:30 p.m. Gaurav H. Patel, M.D., Ph.D.
Columbia University College of Physicians & Surgeons
Structural/Functional Relationships of Attention Networks
Introduction by Joshua Gordon, M.D., Ph.D.

1:30 – 2:15 p.m. Stephen V. Shepherd, Ph.D.
Rockefeller University
Neural Mechanisms for Primate Interaction
Introduction by Winrich Freiwald, Ph.D.
2:15 – 3:00 p.m.  Nicholas Stavropoulos, Ph.D.
NYU Langone Medical Center
*Molecular Mechanisms Underlying the Regulation of Sleep*
Introduction by Richard W. Tsien, D.Phil.

3:00 – 3:30 p.m.  COFFEE BREAK

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**SESSION TWO**

3:30 – 4:15 p.m.  Makoto Ishii, M.D., Ph.D.
Weill Cornell Medical College
*Alzheimer's Disease Body Weight Matters*
Introduction by Costantino Iadecola, M.D.

4:15 – 4:20 p.m.  Introduction
Norman Relkin, M.D., Ph.D.
Director, Memory Disorders Program
Associate Professor of Clinical Neurology and Neuroscience
Weill Cornell Medical College

4:20 – 4:25 p.m.  Remarks
Shelby White
Founding Trustee
Leon Levy Foundation

4:25 – 4:30 p.m.  Introduction
Costantino Iadecola, M.D.

4:30 – 5:15 p.m.  Plenary Talk
Gregory A. Petsko, D.Phil.
Director, Helen and Robert Appel Alzheimer's Disease Research Institute
Arthur J. Mahon Professor
Professor of Neuroscience
Weill Cornell Medical College
*Targeting Protein Trafficking: A New Approach To the Treatment of Alzheimer's and Parkinson's Diseases*

5:15 – 7:00 p.m.  Reception and Poster Session