**Affiliates Meeting Wednesday, February 20, 2019**

 **Start: 4:00 PM End: 4:40 PM**

1. Updates
	1. Transportation Day
		1. November 30, 2018
	2. St. John’s Episcopal talk
		1. February 8, 2019
	3. Spring Brown Bags

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| January 16: Clayton“Who Fights Who Flees”12:00PM-1:00PMPDB A204 | March 6: Salazar“Functional Foods in Vascular Health”12:15PM-1:15PMPDB A206-Department Library |
| February 7: Blaber“Regenerative Healing in Aging Mouse Models”1:00PM-2:00PMPDB A211 | April 16: Luchetti“TBD”12:00PM-1:00PMPDB A211 |

* 1. Spring Speaker: Roberto Cabeza, Duke University
		1. Had a huge community turn out
		2. 2 bus loads from the Senior Center
		3. OLLI and ISL partnered to provide free valet parking
	2. Events of ISL interest
		1. Department of Sociology 2019 Colloquium Series
			1. Sponsored the reception
		2. Alzheimer's Disease Education & Training Conference​
			1. ISL advertised to our listserv
			2. Did not financially sponsor
		3. Please let us know about these kind of events so that we can help advertise or co-sponsor
	3. Recent Media Publications
		1. Alice Pomidor
			1. The Conversation, “How Old is too Old to Drive?”
		2. Please let Bill Edmonds know about publications
			1. Willing to offer assistance in connecting to publishers, editing, etc.
			2. We also like to report on this on our website, Facebook, and annual report
1. Active Living Expo
	1. January 24-25
	2. Special thanks to
		1. Lynn Panton​
		2. Panos Koutakis​
		3. Antonio Terracciano​
		4. Gina Sutin ​
		5. Hunter Stanley​
		6. And their students
	3. Huge community turnout
		1. Excellent recruitment opportunity for studies, especially hard to reach populations
		2. feel free to volunteer or send students to recruit for your studies in the future!
	4. Parkinson's Outreach Association
		1. Expo in April (probably at Southwood)
			1. Booths costs between $100 and $250
		2. Could connect association with FSU researches?
			1. Great access to population with Parkinson's and caregivers
		3. Colleagues in College of Medicine may be interested in this group
2. Senior Day at the Capitol
	1. March 27, 10AM-2:30PM
3. ISL surveys
	1. AFU Accessibility Survey
		1. Affiliates​
			1. Live February 11​
			2. Close date March 31, 5PM​
		2. Participants ​
			1. Live January 28​
			2. Close date March 31, 5PM
		3. We have had a big response from participants
			1. About 240 responses so far
		4. We need more input from affiliates!!
			1. Only 6 responses....
		5. Reserve parking spaces for our older adults attending lab appointments
	2. ISL Research Day survey
		1. Live January 28​
		2. Closed: February 6
		3. Results
			1. Would any of your students (graduate, post docs) be interested in presenting at an ISL sponsored research day?
				1. Top answer: uncertain
				2. Second answer: yes
			2. What is the best semester of a research day?
				1. Top answer: no preference
				2. Second answer: Tied- Spring or Fall
			3. What would be the best day for this event?
				1. Top answer: no preference
				2. Second answer: Friday
			4. Assuming it would last about 90 minutes, what would be the best time for this event?
				1. Top answer: 12-5
				2. Second answer: after 5
			5. This type of event should be:
				1. Top answer: no preference
				2. Second answer: standalone
			6. Should there be a prize for best poster?
				1. Top answer: yes
				2. Second answer: uncertain
			7. What kind of prize?
				1. Gift card? Or small fund for research/travel support for the student.
			8. What should the goal of this event be?
			9. Sharing the range of research projects that graduate students at FSU do.
			10. Networking, practice communication skills
			11. team up with ongoing research days to have an event big enough that people will attend.
			12. Education, outreach, educational credits for RDs, RNs, etc.
			13. To promote collaboration.
			14. Disseminate student work related to aging.
			15. For students (and faculty) to cross pollinate knowledge and for students to get (even more) experience presenting their work to interdisciplinary audiences.
			16. An opportunity for students to practice presenting their research in a low-stakes environment.
			17. Increase knowledge of scope of campus aging research activities
			18. To promote student research with older adults
			19. Research seeking to address important problems related to aging/older adults. Offering a small prize and making it an annual event would increase participation.
			20. Feedback, networking/connecting with potential mentors
			21. Hopefully to bring more attention to the ISL and to get more student involvement with their faculty.
			22. To raise visibility of ISL-related research, and promote interaction between students and post-docs working in labs affiliated with the ISL.
			23. A primary goal would be to facilitate collaboration by allowing ISL members to see what is going on in other labs. This would also elevate the profile of ISL, and would be good preparation for undergrad and grad students.
			24. To encourage and support aging research.
			25. 1-Allow students an opportunity to practice presentation skills 2-Further interaction of related researchers
			26. This event would be a great opportunity for graduate students to practice sharing their findings and help them network with other students and faculty. The community should be encouraged to attend (shuttles provided?) and it could be a valuable learning opportunity for both the public and students.
			27. Share research interests and promote interdisciplinary collaborations
			28. Please select the greatest goal/potential outcome of this event.
				1. Top answer: increase student involvement
				2. Second answer: Tied- future collaborations in ISL, and Exposure to other affiliates research
		4. Additional Suggestions
			1. This will be across the entire university, available to all of our Affiliate’s students
			2. Could this be multi-university?
				1. Had not thought of this...if we get adequate participation locally, we could look into creating a regional/state conference for an Aging Research conference
		5. Other ways to get students involved
			1. 3 min talks; grad student meet n greet.
			2. I can't think of any at this time. However, connecting to students through their mentors/faculty is the best way to do this I think.
			3. Small awards for young doctoral students across the university who have an interest in working in SL issues.
			4. A semester social?
			5. Could there be a graduate student award/scholarship that supports their research or provides travel funds to an aging related conference? Graduate students could be nominated to provide some of the brown bag talks?
			6. Creating an interdisciplinary PhD program or dual PhD program in aging and something else
4. ISL Planning Grant
	1. The maximum award amount for the ISL Grant Program is $15,500. The application deadline is March 25, 2019.
	2. To apply or for more information, please visit [https://isl-fsu.us.fluidreview.com/](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__isl-2Dfsu.us.fluidreview.com_&d=DwMFaQ&c=HPMtquzZjKY31rtkyGRFnQ&r=CYRsm9C_r32RIuYi11MWPRPWKJe6CyxUDAD8OIZdiDs&m=MgKHc1RD_br4Ein2-s92wqMULdWZVaTm8wYk89EyA44&s=We59GUyEuPnOTGHV2dM4xni58kUvbNu7_Tn9AnJjqZI&e=)
	3. Intended to help form interdisciplinary teams
		1. Get pilot data to support a more elaborate project
	4. If someone is in the same department but different area of interest could that qualify?
		1. Talk to Dr. Charness on a individual basis
	5. There is a gap between your approved planning grant and your next submission
5. ISL Team Grants
	1. Zhe He recently hit on an R21 grant from NIA
	2. Boot and colleagues R01
		1. Impact score was 30 and percentile was 14
	3. If you have an interdisciplinary project you’d like to work on with some ISL colleagues reach out to ISL and we can help set up meetings/teams
6. Annual Report
	1. Updates for CVs and student items
	2. Next call will be mid-late August
7. New initiatives
	1. “current projects” page on website
	2. Video synopsis of Affiliates’ research areas/expertise
		1. 1-3 minutes introduction-put on ISL website
		2. Bill Edmonds would be in charge of doing this and would work with you to make you a lot more visible to the public
		3. Any volunteers? Please email Bill and Neil if you are interested
8. Fall Brown Bag 2019
	1. Attendance
		1. Attendance has been very minimal
			1. We are averaging 1-2 non-ISL staff attendees per talk
		2. Would a standard time and date be better?
			1. May provide conflicts for teaching schedules
		3. Suggestions?
			1. Maybe the number is part of the issue-could we cut them down?
			2. Could the talks be shorter with more speakers?
			3. We could increase attendance with engineering if we had some at the Col of Engineering
	2. Ideas
		1. Who should we go to next?
			1. Fine Arts
			2. Past awardees
			3. Criminology
			4. Computer science
			5. Suggestions
				1. n/a
9. Fall 2019 Longevity Series Speaker
	1. ACC Dean Rosemary Blieszner
		1. School: Virginia Tech U., College of Liberal Arts & Human Sciences
		2. Link:
		3. Field of study: spirituality research (on aging), friendship research, and currently studying caregivers for people with memory loss.
		4. Suggested by: Goldstein
	2. Dr. Swathi Kiran
		1. School: Boston University
		2. Link: <https://www.bu.edu/sargent/profile/swathi-kiran-ph-d-ccc-slp/>
			1. <https://www.bu.edu/aphasiaresearch/>
		3. Field of study: aphasia and speech research
		4. Suggested by: Elizabeth Madden
	3. Dr. Katarina Haley
		1. School: UNC Chapel Hill
		2. Link: <https://www.med.unc.edu/ahs/sphs/directory/katarina-haley/>
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	4. Other suggestions? (must be ACC schools)
	5. A poll will be sent out tomorrow
10. Phoebe’s last day with ISL is February 28th
	1. Thank you to everyone for the interactions and learning experiences over these past months!