



ABILITYLAB RESEARCH WEBINAR SERIES

Summer Quarter 2026: on Mondays, June 29th - September 2nd, 12pm - 1pm

Zoom Link in Calendar Invite and Weekly Emails

All Seminars will be held both in-person and via Zoom

June 29 12IJK	Chandramouli Krishnan, PT, PhD Professor, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation, University of Michigan <i>"The Future of Rehabilitation is Accessible"</i>
July 6	No Scheduled Seminar— Independence Day
July 13 12IJK	Sook-Lei Liew PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA Director, Neural Plasticity and Neurorehabilitation Laboratory, Associate Professor, Chan Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy, University of Southern California <i>"Big Data and AI for Stroke Rehabilitation Research and Beyond"</i>
July 20 10 ABC	Elizabeth Skidmore PhD, OTR/L Associate Dean for Research & Professor, Dept. of Occupational Therapy, University of Pittsburgh <i>"Designing for Implementation: Lessons Learned from Strategy Training"</i>
July 27 12IJK	Swathi Kiran PhD, CCC-SLP Director, Center for Brain Recovery & Aphasia Research Laboratory James and Cecilia Tse Ying Professor in Neurorehabilitation, Boston University <i>"Using Machine Learning and AI to Predict Recovery in Post-stroke Aphasia: Moving Towards Precision Rehabilitation"</i>
Aug 3 10 ABC	Tae Hwan Chung, MD Director, Multidisciplinary POTS and Autonomic Disorders Program, Shirley Ryan AbilityLab <i>"Rethinking Autonomic Medicine – New Paradigms for Diagnosis and Treatment"</i>
Aug 10 12IJK	Marwan Baliki, PhD Research Scientist, Shirley Ryan AbilityLab <i>"From Nociception to Subjectivity: A Mesolimbic Integration Model of Pain"</i>
Aug 17 10 ABC	Monica Perez, PT, PhD Scientific Chair, Arms + Hands Lab, Shirley Ryan AbilityLab <i>"Neural Control of Involuntary Movements: Implications for Rehabilitation"</i>
Aug 24 12IJK	Alexander Ovechkin MD, PhD Professor, Department of Neurological Surgery, Director, Adult NeuroRecovery Program, University of Louisville <i>"Neuromodulatory Rehabilitation for Individuals with Spinal Cord Injury and Beyond"</i>
*Sept 2 10 ABC	Joint Clinical Grand Rounds and Research Seminar (Wednesday) Craig M. McDonald, MD Chair, Department of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation, Professor, Departments of Pediatrics and Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation, University of California, Davis <i>"Developing Gene Therapy for Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy"</i>