The Yale Program in Integrative Cell Signaling and Neurobiology of Metabolism (ICSNM) 2011-2012 Speakers

**June 5, 2012**
Meredith A. Hawkins, MD
Professor
Department of Medicine (Endocrinology)
Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Bronx, NY
Host: Anton Bennett, PhD

**May 1, 2012**
Joel Elmquist, DVM, PhD
Maclin Family Distinguished Professorship in Medical Science
Carl H. Westcott Distinguished Chair in Medical Research
UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, Texas
Host: Tamas Horvath & Sabrina Diano, PhD

**April 3, 2012**
Christopher B. Newgard, PhD
W. David and Sarah W. Stedman Distinguished Professor Director, Sarah W. Stedman Nutrition and Metabolism Center
Duke University Medical Center
Host: Xiaoyong Yang, PhD

**March 27, 2012**
Dongsheng Cai, MD, PhD
Associate Professor
Center for Molecular Medicine
NHLBI, NIH
Host: Tamas Horvath & Sabrina Diano, PhD

**March 5, 2012**
Richard Simerly, PhD
Professor
Pediatrics, Keck School of Medicine
Neurobiology, Biological Sciences
Director, Saban Neuroscience Program
Host: Sabrina Diano, PhD

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**October 4, 2011**
Joseph W. Kable, PhD
Assistant Professor
Department of Psychology
University of Pennsylvania
Host: Ifat Levy, PhD

**October 17, 2011**
Eduardo A. Nillni, PhD
Professor of Medicine
Molecular Biology, Cell Biology & Biochemistry
Brown University
Host: Sabrina Diano, PhD

**November 1, 2011**
Patrick Seale, PhD
Assistant Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology
Institute for Diabetes, Obesity and Metabolism
The Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania
Host: Matthew Rodeheffer, PhD

**December 6, 2011**
Toren Finkel, MD, PhD
Chief
Center for Molecular Medicine
NHLBI, NIH
Host: Anton Bennett, PhD

**January 27, 2012**
Christian Wolfrum, PhD
Professor
Institute of Food Nutrition and Health Competence Center for Systems Physiology and Metabolic Diseases
ETH Zurich
Host: Matthew Rodeheffer, PhD

**February 7, 2012**
Roger D. Cone, PhD
Chair of the Department of Molecular Physiology and Biophysics
Professor of Molecular Physiology and Biophysics
Host: Tamas Horvath, DVM, PhD

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**ICSNM Mission**

The Program in Integrative Cell Signaling and Neurobiology of Metabolism (ICSNM) provides a forum for investigators to collaborate and integrate their research efforts in the areas of cell signaling in metabolic disease and neurobiology of metabolism. The program promotes an interdisciplinary approach that seeks to synergize the expertise of investigators with backgrounds in various physiological systems that control metabolism. The Program’s objective is to provide both a fundamental understanding of the molecular basis for the control of metabolic processes and how these metabolic systems communicate with each other to maintain metabolic homeostasis. The long-term goal of the Program will ultimately be to leverage this information to improve human health.