

2019 Alzheimer's Association® Grant Awards

—Organized by Research Categories

Molecular Pathogenesis and Pathophysiology of Alzheimer's Disease and Alzheimer's Disease-Related Dementias (AD/ADRDs)

Claudia Almeida, PhD

UNL - NOVA Medical School | Faculdade de Ciências Médicas - CEDOC Lisbon, Portugal

Understanding the impact of a late-onset AD mutation in CD2AP on synapses

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$146,207

Jimena Baleriola Gomez De Pablos, PhD

Achucarro Basque Center for Neuroscience Leioa, Spain

Glial control of the local neuronal translatome in AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$142,998

Tatiana Barichello, PhD

University of Texas Health Science Center Houston, TX

Systemic Inflammation as a Factor to Influence the Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD-NTF) - New to the Field Program - \$149,997

Eugenio Barone, PharmD, PhD

Sapienza University of Rome

Rome, Italy

Unravelling a novel mechanism favoring brain insulin resistance development

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$150,000

Yongku Cho, PhD

University of Connecticut

Storrs, CT

Live cell imaging reagents of tau modifications

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant - New to the Field (AARG-NTF) - \$150,000

Pablo Cisternas, PhD

Indiana University

Bloomington, IN

Astrocytes as a new cellular player in tau-induced neurotoxicity in AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AARF-D)- \$174,990

Marangelie Criado-Marrero, PhD, MBA

University of South Florida

Tampa, Florida

Exploring Aha1 and tau relationship

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AARF-D) - \$175,000

Luz Karina Cuanalo Contreras, PhD

Northwestern University

Evanston, IL

Study of the Proteostasis Network in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AARF-D) - \$175,000

Vishnu Dileep, PhD

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Cambridge, MA

Disruption of 3D-genome structure in Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$140,000

Hemraj Dodiya, PhD

University of Chicago

Chicago, IL

Microbiome influences microglia and amyloidosis in a sex-specific manner

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175

Mark Ebbert, PhD

Mayo Clinic

Jacksonville, Florida

Structural variants and individual RNA isoforms in top AD genes in brain

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) - \$150,000

Gabor Egervari, MD, PhD

University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA

ACSS2 and the metabolic-epigenetic axis in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Julia Gerson, PhD

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Investigation of Tau Regulation by Protein Homeostasis Factor, Ubiquilin-2

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$140,000

Joanna Jankowsky, PhD

Baylor College of Medicine

Houston, TX

TMEM106b as a lysosomal safeguard of cognitive function

2019 Zenith Fellows Awards (ZEN)- \$450,000

Jeffrey Jones, PhD

The Salk Institute for Biological Studies

La Jolla, CA

Impact of aberrant ribonucleotide incorporation in Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowship (AARF) - \$175,000

Grant Kauwe, PhD

Buck Institute for Research on Aging

Novato, CA

Effect of KIBRA on tau-mediated synaptic and memory deficits

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AARF-D) - \$175,000

Aurelien Lathuiliere, MD, PhD

Massachusetts General Hospital

Boston, MA

Study of tau strains to understand the phenotypic diversity in AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) Program- \$140,000

Yiyi Ma, PhD, MD

Columbia University Medical Center

New York, NY

Systematic cataloging APOE e4-stratified biology of Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program-\$174,880

Anna Majewska, PhD

University of Rochester

Rochester, NY

Rejuvenating microglia in a mouse model of Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant - New to the Field (AARG-NTF) - \$150,000

Andrea Manole, PhD

The Salk Institute for Biological Studies

La Jolla, CA

Neuroinflammation in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Caralina Marin de Evsikova, PhD

University of South Florida

Tampa, Florida

Novel Mechanisms of Non-cognitive Symptoms of Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD-NTF) - New to the Field Program - \$150,000

Alex Marshall, PhD

North Carolina Central University

Durham, NC

The Functional Implications of GPCR-signaling in Aging Astrocytes

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD) Program - \$149,997

Jorge Montesinos, PhD

Columbia University Medical Center

New York, NY

Role of C99 in the lipid dyshomeostasis in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Miguel Moutinho, PharmD, PhD

Indiana University

Bloomington, IN

Therapeutic role of HCAR2 in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program-\$175,000

Farr Niere, PhD

Wake Forest University Health Sciences

Winston-Salem, NC

Investigating calcium dysregulation at the synapse in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Jun Ninomiya-Tsuji, PhD

North Carolina State University

Raleigh, NC

TAK1 as a target of Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant - New to the Field (AARG-NTF) - \$150,000

Tal Nuriel, PhD

Columbia University Medical Center

New York, NY

Elucidating the Effect of APOE4 Expression on Tauopathy in the EC

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG)- \$150,000

Chenxi Qiu, PhD

Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Boston, MA

Cis phosphorylated tau in the development and therapy of vascular dementia

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$174,600

Oliver Schleuter, MD, PhD

University of Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, PA

Vulnerability of rejuvenated synapses in Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant – New to the Field (AARG-NTF) - \$150,000

Disha Shah, PhD

Flemish Institute for Biotechnology

Gent, Belgium

Astroglia and functional brain network disruptions in early AD pathology

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowship (AARF) Program- \$174,990

Claudio Soto, PhD

Texas Health Science Center Houston, TX

A novel In vitro model of Alzheimer's disease in lab-generated mini-brains

2019 Zenith Fellows Awards (ZEN)- \$450,000

Niccolo Terrando, PhD

Duke University Medical Center Durham, NC

Bioelectronic regulation of CNS lymphatic drainage in delirium and AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG)- \$150,000

Matthias Truttmann, PhD

University of Michigan Ann Arbor, MI

The impact of protein AMPylation on gene regulation in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$140,000

Valerie Uytterhoeven, PhD

Vlaams Instituut voor Biotechnologie vzw Zwijnaarde, Belgium

Chaperone regulated protein turnover in Tau mediated neurodegeneration

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowship (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Susanne van Veluw, PhD

Massachusetts General Hospital Boston, MA

Vasomotion as a driving force for amyloid clearance

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG)- \$150,000

Jeffery Vance, MD, PhD

University of Miami Coral Gables, FL

Identifying Protective Genetic Variants for ApoE4

2019 Zenith Fellows Awards (ZEN)- \$449,532

Catherine Verfaillie,

Katholieke Universiteit Leuven

Leuven, Belgium

ENGINEERING 3D PERFUSABLE HUMAN "ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (AD)-ON-CHIP MODEL" 2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant – New to the Field (AARG-NTF) - \$150,000

Yogesh Wairkar, PhD

Texas Medical Branch Galveston, TX

Early Synaptic vulnerability in AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG-NTF) - New to the Field Program - \$150,000

Peng Zhang, PhD

University of Virginia Charlottesville, VA

Cav3.2 restrains Cdk5 activity to ameliorate synaptic depression in AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Qi Zhang, PhD

Florida Atlantic University Boca Raton, FL

APP modulates presynaptic membrane cholesterol and integrity

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant - New to the Field (AARG-NTF) - \$150,000

Diagnosis, Assessment and Disease Monitoring

Andrew Aschenbrenner, PhD

Washington University

St. Louis, MO

Assessment of Cognitive Effort in Alzheimer Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$140,000

Tobey Betthauser, PhD

University of Wisconsin Madison, Wisconsin

AD Biomarker and Risk Characterization in Cognitively Unimpaired Middle-Age

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$172,600

Gal Bitan, PhD

University of California Los Angeles, CA

Examination of pS129-a-synuclein as a biomarker in brain-derived exosomes

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$150,000

Stephanie Buss, MD

Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center Boston, MA

Cortical excitability as a disease marker in early Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) Program- \$175,000

Alice Chen-Plotkin, MD

University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA

Tau and alpha-synuclein oligomers: Cognitive predictors in synucleinopathy

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$149,621

Katheryn Cousins, PhD

University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA

Stratification of AD and FTLD using the ATN system and cognitive markers

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AARF-D) - \$174,958

Utkan Demirci, PhD

Stanford University

Redwood, CA

Exosome isolation to advance diagnosis and monitoring of Alzheimer's

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$149,999

Audrey Duarte, PhD

Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA

Imperceptible, at-home monitoring of sleep biomarkers of AD pathology

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD-NTF) - New to the Field Program - \$149,844

Ali Ezzati, MD

Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Inc.

Bronx, NY

Optimizing prediction of clinical progression in MCI population

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) Program- \$170,000

Carolyn Fredericks, MD

Yale University

New Haven, CT

Tau PET and Network Integrity in Atypical Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) Program- \$175,000

Brian Gordon, PhD

Washington University

St. Louis, MO

Comparing novel biomarkers in Alzheimer and Parkinson diseases

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$149,375

Ana Gabriela Henriques, PhD

Universidade de Aveiro

Aveiro, Portugal

Exosomes as diagnostic tools for Alzheimer's disease - EXO DIAG AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$150,000

Jean Ikanga, PhD

Emory University

Atlanta, GA

Identifying Cognitive and Health-Related Biomarkers for Dementia in Congo

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) - \$147,278

Michelle Khine, PhD

University of California

Irvine, CA

Patch to Monitor Beat-to-Beat Blood Pressure Variability for Alzheimer's

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARG-D) - \$150,000

Andrew Kiselica

Baylor Research Institute

Dallas, TX

Towards a Rigorous Biological and Clinical Definition of Alzheimer's

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$106,702

Allison Kraus, PhD

Case Western Reserve University

Cleveland, OH

Ultrasensitive assays for tau and aSyn aggregates in AD and PD

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$150,000

Yuk Yee Leung, PhD

University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA

Inferring the regulatory mechanisms of noncoding genetic variants in ADRD

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$150,000

Yen Ying Lim, PhD

Florey Institute of Neuroscience and Mental Health

Parkville, Australia

Online Cognitive Test for Detecting Cognitive Impairments in Preclinical AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program- \$149,975

Claudia Manzoni, PhD

University of Reading

Reading, United Kingdom

Network analysis of biomarkers across AD, PD, FTD and ALS

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$103,979

Lauren McCollum, MD

University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA

Tau-Neurodegeneration Mismatch: Biomarkers for Non-AD Pathology

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) - \$139,268

Dawn Mechanic-Hamilton, PhD

University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA

Development and Validation of a Mobile Cognitive Assessment Tool

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) - \$139,497

Luis Medina, PhD

University of Houston

Houston, TX

Performance-Based Functional Assessment as a Tool for Early AD Detection

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD) Program - \$150,000

Chad Myers, PhD

University of Minnesota - Twin Cities

Minneapolis, MN

Discovery of common genetic interactions across neurodegenerative diseases

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$149,206

Kok Pin Ng, MRCP

National Neuroscience Institute

Singapore, Singapore

VCAT: A Global cognitive screening tool, beyond South East Asia

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$120,000

Sid O'Bryant, PhD

University of North Texas Health Science Center

Fort Worth, TX

Blood Biomarkers for Discriminating Amongst Neurodegenerative Diseases

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$149,616

Swati Rane, PhD

University of Washington

Seattle, WA

Characterization of SNAP MCI using large harmonized datasets

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$24,848

Stefano Sensi, MD, PhD

Universita' degli Studi Gabriele d'Annunzio di Chieti-Pescara

Chieti, Italy

Cerebellum, a neglected AD target?

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$25,000

David Soleimani-Meigooni, MD

University of California

San Francisco, CA

Accuracy of tau PET visual interpretation in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF)- \$140,000

Walter Swardfager, PhD

Sunnybrook Research Institute

Toronto, Ontario

Oxylipins and vascular cognitive impairment across the neurodegenerations

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases - \$148,433

Boon Lead Tee, MD

Global Brain Health Institute and UCSF

San Francisco, CA

Chinese Language Assessment batteries for Primary Progressive Aphasia (CLAP)

2019 Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

James Wilkins, MD, MPhil

McLean Hospital

Belmont, MA

Evaluating Everyday Preference Changes Over Time For People With Dementia

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) Program- \$170,000

Laura Wisse, PhD

University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA

Etiology and progression of Suspected non-Alzheimer's pathophysiology

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Jennifer Zitser, MD

Global Brain Health Institute and UCSF

San Francisco, CA

Circadian Rhythm and Sleep Disturbances in FTD and Older Adults

2019 Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$22,500

Wenquan Zou, MD, PhD

Case Western Reserve University

Cleveland, OH

Skin biomarkers as diagnostic tests across neurodegenerative diseases

2019 Biomarkers Across Neurodegenerative Diseases (BAND) - \$149,729

Translational Research and Clinical Interventions

Glenna Brewster, PhD

Emory University

Atlanta, GA

Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Insomnia for Dyads Living with Dementia

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD) - \$150,000

Claudia Colussi, PhD

CNR-Institute of Cell Biology and Neurobiology

Monterotondo (Rome), Italy

Nup153 as target to improve neurogenesis and cognitive function in AD

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$150,000

Stephen Cunnane, PhD

University de Sherbrooke

Quebec, Canada

RCT with a ketone ester drink in MCI

2019 Part the Cloud- Translational Research Funding for Alzheimer's Disease - \$749,482

Maria Elizabeth De Sousa Rodrigues, PhD

Emory University

Atlanta, GA

Insulin resistance and inflammation in Alzheimer's: The role of soluble TNF

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AARF-D) - \$175,000

Sugasini Dhavamani, PhD

University of Illinois

Chicago, IL

LPCDHA as novel nutraceutical approach for prevention of Alzheimer disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) - \$119,825

Derya Durusu Emek Savas, PhD

Global Brain Health Institute and Dokuz Eylul Universitesi

Izmir, Turkey

The efficacy of speed of processing training in mild cognitive impairment

2019 Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Hyunjoon Kong, PhD

University of Illinois

Champaign, IL

Nanotransporter of ApoE4 Modulator to Reduce Pathology in Alzheimer Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant - New to the Field (AARG-NTF)- \$150,000

Janice Kranz, PhD

Eikonizo Therapeutics, Inc.

Beverly, MA

Developing HDAC6 inhibitors as novel therapeutics for Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Innovation Award (AIA) - \$150,000

David Loughrey, PhD

Global Brain Health Institute and Trinity College

Dublin, Ireland

Age-related hearing loss and neural correlates of visual short-term memory

2019 Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Mychael Lourenco, PhD

Universidade Federal Do Rio De Janeiro UFRJ

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Targeting FNDC5/irisin to improve brain metabolism in Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD) Program - \$150,000

Chooza Moon, PhD

University of Iowa

Iowa City, IA

Circadian Rhythm, Sleep, and Brain in Aging

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) - \$150,000

Charbel Moussa, MD, PhD

Georgetown University

Washington, DC

Bosutinib effects on safety, biomarkers and clinical outcomes in DLB

2019 Part the Cloud- Translational Research Funding for Alzheimer's Disease - \$750,000

Luis Arnoldo Munoz Nevarez, MD

Hospital Civil de Guadalajara Fray Antonio Alcalde

Guadalajara, Mexico

Gut microbiome restoration in elders with HIV-associated cognitive disorder

2019 Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Anthony Oliva, PhD

Longeveron, LLC

Miami, FL

Clinical Evaluation of Allogeneic Mesenchymal Stem Cells for Mild Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Part the Cloud-Challenge on Neuroinflammation Supplement (PTC-CS) - \$3,000,000

Stephanie Rainey-Smith, PhD

Edith Cowan University

Joondalup, Australia

Improving sleep to promote healthy brain aging: an intervention study

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$149,400

William Ralvenius, PhD

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Cambridge, MA

PU.1-inhibitors for the treatment of Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$140,000

Stefano Sensi, MD, PhD

Universita' degli Studi Gabriele d'Annunzio di Chieti-Pescara

Chieti, Italy

Extenzin-based therapy for MCI subjects

2019 Part the Cloud: Translational Research Funding for Alzheimer's Disease (PTC)

Konstantina Sykara, MA

Neurological Institute of Athens

Athens, Greece

Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Insomnia Dyad Treatment in MCI

2019 Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI)- \$24,956

Rik Van der Kant, PhD

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

Amsterdam, Netherlands

Understanding ROS-induced lipopathology downstream of sporadic AD risk gene

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$150,000

Dieter Willbold, PhD

Research Center Juelich GmbH

Juelich, Germany

Placebo controlled multi-ascending dose phase I study in healthy volunteers

2019 Part the Cloud-Translational Research Funding for Alzheimer's Disease - \$749,996

Stephanie Willerth, PhD

University of Victoria

British Columbia, Canada

3D bioprinting personalized neural tissues for drug screening applications

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$150,000

Christiane Wrann, DVM, PhD

Massachusetts General Hospital

Boston, MA

Molecular mechanisms of the neuroprotective response in exercise

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG)- \$150,000

Qian Wu, PhD

New York University School of Medicine

New York, NY

Tau antibody-mediated improvement in neuronal function in tauopathies

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$175,000

Nawaf Yassi, MBBS, PhD

University of Melbourne

Parkville, Australia

S-Adenosyl Methionine for Alzheimer's Disease

2019 Part the Cloud- Translational Research Funding for Alzheimer's Disease - \$747,766

Dementia care and Impact of Disease Including Population Studies

Mary Ackenbom, MD

University of Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, PA

AD pathology and Perioperative Neurocognitive Disorders

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AACSFD)- \$175,000

Tala Al -Rousan, MD

Global Brain Health Institute and University of California

San Diego, CA

Burden and correlates of cognitive performance in Syrian refugees in Jordan

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Eider Arenaza-Urquijo, PhD

Barcelonabeta Brain Research Center Barcelona, Spain

Brain vulnerability and resilience during midlife

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$149,722

Franchesca Arias, PhD

Hebrew Rehabilitation Center

Boston, MA

Postoperative delirium and cognitive outcomes in older adults with and without ADRD: Relationship with baseline characteristics, diversity, and caregiver factors

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships to Promote Diversity (AARF-D)- \$140,000

Ahmad Aziz, MD, PhD

German Center for Neurodegenerative Diseases

Bonn, Germany

Hypothalamic dysfunction as a driver of age-related cognitive decline

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$150,000

Eleonore Bayen, MD, PhD

Association Robert Debré pour la Recherche Médicale

Paris, France

"Brain Health matters": create understanding around brain health at school

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI)- \$6,488

Phaedra Bell, PhD

Global Brain Health Institute and UCSF

San Francisco, CA

Multimodal Intergenerational Social Contact Intervention (MISCI)

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Feng Cheng, PhD

University of South Florida

Tampa, Florida

Identification of drug-disease Interaction in AD patients from GAAIN

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$25,000

Carl Cohen, MD

The Research Foundation of SUNY on behalf of SUNY Downstate Medical Center Brooklyn, NY

Course Trajectories and Associated Factors in Alzheimer's Disease

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$25,000

Marta Crous-Bou, PhD

Barcelonabeta Brain Research Center

Barcelona, Spain

Telomeres and cognitive decline in subjects at risk of Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) Program - \$149,160

Elizabeth Dzeng, MD, PhD

Global Brain Health Institute and King's College London

London, United Kingdom

Burdensome end of life treatments in older adults with advanced dementia

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Gilda Ennis, PhD

University of Wisconsin

Madison, Wisconsin

The longitudinal linkage between insulin resistance and Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$174,788

Christine FitzGerald, PhD

Global Brain Health Institute and National University of Ireland

Galway, Ireland

The Alzheimer Café model: a process evaluation study

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI)- \$24,578

Paola Gilsanz, ScD

Kaiser Foundation Research Institute

Oakland, CA

Social and biological drivers of sex inequities in dementia and cognition

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARGD) Program - \$149,992

Oriol Grau-Rivera, MD, PhD

Barcelonabeta Brain Research Center

Barcelona, Spain

Sleep actigraphy and role of orexin-A in preclinical Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$173,826

Corrina Grimes, MS

Global Brain Health Institute and Public Health Agency

Belfast, Ireland

Feasibility: Identification of those who may benefit from Palliative Care

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI)- \$25,000

John Haran, MD, PhD

University of Massachusetts Medical School

Worcester, MA

Elderly microbiome dysbiosis, Alzheimer's disease, and cognitive decline

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant – New to the Field (AARG-NTF)- \$148,272

Krista Harrison, PhD

Global Brain Health Institute and UCSF

San Francisco, CA

Building evidence for palliative care for people with prion disease

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Catherine Jordan, PhD

Global Brain Health Institute and Trinity College

Dublin, Ireland

Music and Dementia

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$24,975

Christopher Kaufmann, PhD, MHS

University of California, San Diego

La Jolla, California

Alcohol Use Patterns and Dementia: A Cross Country Meta-Analysis

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$25,000

Manja Koch, PhD

Harvard College

Boston, MA

Sphingolipids, cognition, and dementia: the Cardiovascular Health Study

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program - \$139,977

Josh Kornbluth

Global Brain Health Institute and UCSF

San Francisco, CA

Citizen Brain: Loneliness

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Yue Leng, PhD, MD, MPhil

University of California

San Francisco, CA

Sleep, cognitive decline and dementia-a comparison between China and the US

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Christian LoBue, PhD

UT Southwestern Medical Center

Dallas, TX

Role of Traumatic Brain Injury in Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants (AARG) - \$148,836

Kevin Manning, PhD

University of Connecticut Health Center

Farmington, CT

Apathy and Reward Systems in Late-Life Major Depression

2019 Alzheimer's Association Clinical Fellowships (AACSF) Program- \$171,963

Moira Marizzoni, PhD

Scientific Institute Saint John of God – The National Centre for Research and Care of Alzheimer's and Mental Diseases Brescia, Italy

The dark side of APOEe4: unravelling amyloid-independent effects in AD

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$25,000

Oanh Meyer, PhD

University of California

Davis, CA

Characterizing Dementia Caregiver Stress and Its Far-Reaching Impacts

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grants to Promote Diversity (AARG-D) - \$150,000

Marcel Olde Rikkert, PhD, MD

Radboud University Nijmegen Medical Centre

Nijmegen, Netherlands

Resolving Alzheimer disease by Resilience Multiscale Models (ARMS)

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$24,706

Geeske Peeters

Global Brain Health Institute and Trinity College

Dublin, Ireland

Communicating dementia risk in low and middle income countries

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$24,967

Brenda Perez Cerpa, MD

Global Brain Health Institute and Hospital Civil de Guadalajara Fray Antonio Alcalde Guadalajara, Mexico

Evaluating a decision aid for families of patients with advanced dementia

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) - \$25,000

Carolyn Pickering, PhD

University of Texas Health Science Center

San Antonio, TX

Mechanisms of Daily Behavioral Symptom Experiences

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Grant (AARG) - \$148,900

Claudia Ramos, MD

Global Brain Health Institute and Neuroscience Group of Antioquia

Medellin, Colombia

Substance Use in Early-Onset Alzheimer Disease

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) Program - \$25,000

Talita Rosa, MD

University of Sao Paulo

Sao Paulo, Brazil

Dementia in Brazil: economic and psychologic burden of caregiving

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) Program - \$24,963

Duygu Tosun-Turgut, PhD

University of California

San Francisco, CA

Robust synaptic and white matter integrity in ApoE e2 carriers

2019 GAAIN Exploration to Evaluate Novel Alzheimer's Queries (GEENA-Q) - \$25,000

Lina Velilla, MSc

Global Brain Health Institute and Neuroscience Group of Antioquia Medellin, Colombia

Family stigma and caregiver burden in early onset dementia

2019 Pilot Awards for Global Brain Health Leaders (GBHI) Program - \$24,999

Clara Vila Castelar, PhD

Massachusetts General Hospital Boston, MA

Sex differences in pathology and cognition in familial Alzheimer's disease

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program - \$174,998

Diana Younan, PhD

University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA

Social Disparities in Brain Aging: the Role of Environment and Nutrition

2019 Alzheimer's Association Research Fellowships (AARF) Program- \$100,000

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