

UAB THE UNIVERSITY OF
ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM.

Faculty, fellow and staff Meeting

October 28th, 2022

Welcome to Dr. Chandramohan



Dr. Deepak Chandramohan

will start as an Assistant Professor of Medicine (tenure track) in July of 2023

Good news



Ashita Tolwani, MD:
Named 2022 Top Teacher in the
Division of Nephrology

Good news



Carmen de Miguel, PhD:

- Received a Future Faculty of Cardiovascular Sciences (FOCUS) Program, small research project pilot award (\$23,000).
- Topic of her award is endothelin-1 and dendritic cells in salt-sensitive hypertension

Good News



Red Mountain Home Unit:

Recently recognized by CMS for excellence in the number of patients getting transplanted (17 transplants between June 2021 and March 2022)—CMS is writing a best practices manual and wanted insights from the unit social worker and other staff as to how this was accomplished.

Great work for all involved!

Upcoming events



The Kidney Disease Screening and Awareness Program (KDSAP) at UAB is an organization that aims to spread awareness about kidney disease and health offering free screenings for kidney disease to underserved populations in Birmingham. The KDSAP UAB students are excited to be partnering with **Urban Purpose (1315 2nd Ave N, Birmingham, AL 35203)**, a local non-profit organization, to host their first screening event!

The date of the screening is **November 10th at 2 - 6 pm**. Our screenings are completely student-run and they have already begun to train the student-volunteers on how to take participants' medical history, blood pressure, blood glucose, and urinalysis.

They are looking for volunteer physicians to assist us during our screening event for 1 to 2-hour shifts. If interested, please email Jennifer Pollock, PhD

Upcoming Event

University of Alabama at Birmingham
9th Annual Dale J Benos Memorial Seminar
Department of Cell, Developmental, and Integrative Biology
Co-Sponsored by NRTC/Division of Nephrology



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Guest Speaker:

Robert S. Hoover, MD, FASN, FAHA
Professor of Medicine and Physiology
The Dr. A Rudolph and Ruth Ryder Huberwald Chair
Chief of Section of Nephrology and Hypertension
Deming Department of Medicine
Tulane University School of Medicine

“Scientific Stories Along the Educational Path”

11:00 AM
Wednesday, November 9, 2022
THT 740

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Reminders

- Please prioritize conference attendance, particularly for fellow educational conferences
 - What barriers are people encountering in getting to conference?
 - How can we help in the format and scheduling of conferences?