Meharry Research Week
September 25-30, 2023

DETAILED SCHEDULE

**Monday, September 25, 2023**
Location: West Basic Sciences Bldg Rm 1106
12:00 -12:15 pm  *Opening Introduction & Welcome*
   Anil Shanker, PhD
   Senior VP for Research & Innovation

12:15-1:00 pm  *Flash Talks*
   15 min talks sub-core directors - how to maximize use of the cores

1:00-2:00 pm  *Open House Tours* - staff members describe the questions that can be addressed with core equipment

**Tuesday, September 26, 2023**
Location: West Basic Sciences Bldg Rm 1106
12:00 -12:15 pm  *Opening Introduction*
   Josiah Ochieng, PhD
   Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Cancer Biology, Neuroscience and Pharmacology BCBNP

12:15-1:00 pm  *Flash Talks*
   15 min talks sub-core directors - how to maximize use of the cores

1:00-2:00 pm  *Open House Tours* - staff members describe the questions that can be addressed with core equipment

5:00-7:00 pm  *Informational Session for Summer Research - Medical Students*
   Yale University
   Location: WBS Rm 2006/2012
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Wednesday, September 27, 2023
67th Annual Student Research Day

Location: Cal Turner Auditorium
8:00-8:15 am    Opening
LaMonica Stewart, PhD
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
School of Graduate Studies

8:15-8:30 am    Welcome
Sonja Harris-Haywood, MD, MS, MA
Dean, School of Medicine

8:30-9:30 am    Concurrent Oral Sessions
▪ School of Medicine- Clinical/Translational and
  School of Dentistry (Location: Cal Turner Auditorium)
▪ School of Medicine- Basic Science and School of
  Applied Computational Sciences
  (Location: Cal Turner Room 212)
▪ School of Graduate Studies - PhD
  (Location: Cal Turner Room 201)
▪ School of Medicine- Community and & School of Graduate
  Studies – MPH (Location: Cal Turner Room 203)

9:45-11:00 am   Poster Session 1 (Location: Cal Turner Ballroom)

11:00-12:00 pm  MSRE Student Panel (Location: Cal Turner Auditorium)

12:00-4:00 pm    Research Fair (see names below)
12:15-1:15 pm    Lunch

1:30-2:45 pm    Poster Session 2 (Location: Cal Turner Ballroom)

Location: Cal Turner Auditorium
3:00-4:00 pm    Keynote Seminar
“Below the Belt' Cancers: A Surgeon-Scientist’s Perspective”
Dineo Khabele, MD
Mitchell and Elaine Yanow Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Chair, Department of OB/GYN
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Washington University, St Louis

4:00-4:10 pm  Closing Remarks
   Jamaine Davis, PhD
   Course Director, Medical Student Research

4:15-5:15 pm  Personal Statement Workshop - Medical Students
   Evangeline Motley, PhD
   Professor, Department of Biomedical Sciences
   (Location: Cal Turner Room 212)

5:00-7:00 pm  Informational Sessions for Summer Research - Medical Students
   Stanford University
   (Location: West Basic Science, Room 2006/2012)

Thursday, September 28, 2023
12:00-4:00 pm  Research Fair (Location: Cal Turner)
   Allen Institute
   Indiana University
   Stanford University
   The Scripps Translational Research Institute
   University of Utah
   Vanderbilt University
   Yale University

1:00-2:00 pm  Special Seminar
   Spatial Transcriptomics at the Allen Institute: Putting the Where to the What
   Delissa McMillen, MS MBA
   Location: West Basic Science, Rm 1106

2:30- 3:30 pm  Student Research Day Awards Ceremony
   Location: West Basic Science, Rm 1106
Friday, September 29, 2023
Location: West Basic Sciences Bldg Rm 1106

Faculty Seminars
12:00-12:40 pm    Jennifer Erves, PhD
12:40-1:20 pm     Vibhuti Gupta, PhD
1:20-2:00 pm      Minu Chaudhuri, PhD

Saturday, September 30, 2023
Meharry University Community
Location: West Basic Sciences Bldg Room 4003

10:00-12pm        Welcome and Introduction
                  Tours - Pathology and Main Core
12:00-1:00 pm     Lunch
1:00-2:00 pm      Talk with a Scientist
                  Discuss diseases that disproportionately affect our communities: Cancer, Alzheimer’s, COVID, and Diabetes