



Vascular Contribution to Cognitive Impairment and Dementia (VCID)

April 28-May 1, 2026

Schedule of Activities

(schedule subject to change)

Tuesday, April 28th

EPNEC (Eric P. Newman Education Center)
320 S. Euclid Ave., St. Louis, MO

- 4:00 -5:00 pm **Workshop Registration at EPNEC (Eric P. Newman Education Center)**
Located on the 1st floor
- 5:00 – 6:00 pm **Poster Session**
Located in the Great Room
- 6:00 – 9:00 pm **WashU Tours and Group Dinner**

Wednesday, April 29th

EPNEC (Eric P. Newman Education Center)
320 S. Euclid Ave., St. Louis, MO

- 9:00 – 10:00 am **Keynote Lecture: Biomarkers**
Located in the Auditorium
Julie A. Schneider, M.D. M.S.
The Deborah R. And Edgar D. Jannotta Presidential Chair Professor, Department of Neurological Sciences Neuropathologist, Rush Alzheimer's Disease, Rush University Medical Center

- 10:00 – 10:30 am **Coffee Break**
Located in the Lobby
- 10:30 – 12:30 pm **Workshop: The Art of Presentations and Elevator Pitches**
Located in the Auditorium
Bri McWhorter, Activate to Captivate
- 12:30 – 1:30 pm **Lunch & Annual Meeting Adjourn**
Located in the Great Room
- 1:30 – 3:00 pm **VCID CWOWs Talks**
Located on the 3rd floor
- UCSF Gladstone Institute – Andrew Yang, PI
 - The Jackson Laboratory – Gareth Howell, PI
 - Northwestern University – Luisa Iruela-Arispe, PI
 - University of California Los Angeles – Jason Hinman, PI
 - University of Colorado – Fabrice Dabertrand, PI
 - Washington University School of Medicine – Jin-Moo Lee, PI
- 3:00 – 3:30 pm **Coffee Break**
Located on the 3rd floor
- 3:30 – 4:30 pm **Emerging Resources Sessions**
Located on the 3rd floor
- Gareth Howell, Ph.D., The Jackson Laboratory
 - Nicholas Seyfried, Ph.D., Emory University
 - Paul Territo, Ph.D., Indiana University School of Medicine
 - Tracey Young-Pearse, Ph.D., Harvard University
- 4:30 – 5:15 pm **Cellular Mechanisms Sessions**
Located on the 3rd floor
- Shannon Conley, Ph.D., University of Oklahoma College of Medicine
 - Donna Wilcock, Ph.D., Indiana University School of Medicine
 - Fabrice Dabertrand, Ph.D., University of Colorado School of Medicine
- 5:15 – 5:45 pm **Introduction to Trainee Grant Proposals**
Tetiana Poliakova, Ph.D., University of British Columbia and Anna Lisa-Lucido, Ph.D., The Jackson Laboratory
- 5:45 – 6:45 pm **Mentoring Panel/Social Hour**
Located on the 3rd floor/TBD
- Dinner on your own**

Thursday, April 30th

9:00 – 9:45 am

Stroke Session

Located on the 3rd floor

- Mary Teena Joy, Ph.D., The Jackson Laboratory
- Jin-Moo Lee, Ph.D., Washington University in St. Louis
- Axel Montagne, Ph.D., The University of Edinburgh
- Trainee Talk

9:45 – 10:30 am

Social Determinants of Health Session

Located on the 3rd floor

- TBD
- Kristen Zuboaga, Ph.D., Albany Medical Center
- Cheryl Wellington, Ph.D., University of British Columbia

10:30 – 11:00 am

Coffee Break

11:00 – 11:45 am

CAA Session

Located on the 3rd floor

- Alaina Reagan, Ph.D., The Jackson Laboratory
- Steven Greenberg, M.D., Ph.D., Harvard University
- Kate Foley, Ph.D., Indiana University School of Medicine

11:45 – 12:45 pm

Lunch

Located on the 3rd floor

12:45 – 2:45 pm

Trainee Talks Sessions

Located on the 3rd floor

2:45 – 3:15 pm

Coffee Break

3:15 – 4:15 pm

Outcomes of 2025 ADRD Summit

Located on the 3rd floor

Silvia Fossati, Ph.D., Lewis Katz School of Medicine

4:15 – 5:15 pm

Grant Writing Session

Located on the 3rd floor

Anna Lisa Lucido, Ph.D., The Jackson Laboratory

5:15 – 6:30 pm

Dinner with Experts – Grant Writing

Located on the 3rd floor

Friday, May 1st

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| 9:00 – 11:00 am | Work on Grant Proposals
<i>Located on the 3rd floor</i> |
| 11:00 – 11:30 am | Coffee Break |
| 11:30 – 12:30 pm | Workshop: Proposals and Awards
<i>Located on the 3rd floor</i> |
| 12:30 – 1:30 pm | Boxed Lunch & Adjourn
<i>Located on the 3rd floor</i> |