



May 28-June 1, 2019 • Orlando, Florida USA

Orange County Convention Center
9800 International Drive
Orlando, FL 32819

**Student and Early Career Pre-Conference:
*Tips for Success in the Classroom, Clinic, Laboratory, and Beyond***

**Tuesday, May 28th, 2019
3:00pm – 6:00pm**

Keynote Presentation

Title: *Academic Career Planning: Lessons from the School of Hard Knocks*

Time: 3:00pm – 3:45pm

Room: 203

Speaker: Scott K. Powers, Ph.D., Ed.D., FACSM
UAA Endowed Professor and Distinguished Professor
University of Florida
Gainesville, FL

Research Careers Track

Topic: *Research in Academia*

Time: 4:00pm – 4:25pm

Room: 203

Speaker: Catrine Tudor-Locke, Ph.D., FACSM, FNAK
Professor, Associate Dean for Research &
Administration
University of Massachusetts Amherst
Amherst, MA

Topic: *Research in Government*

Time: 4:30pm – 4:55pm

Room: 203

Speaker: Robert W. Kenefick, Ph.D., FACSM
Deputy Division Chief
U.S. Army Research Institute of
Environmental Medicine (USARIEM)
Natick, MA

Exercise Professional Careers Track

Topic: *Non-Licensed Careers*

Time: 4:00pm – 4:25pm

Room: 202C

Panelists:

Robert J. Confessore, Ph.D., RCEP, CEP, FACSM
Lead Clinical Exercise Physiologist
Kalispell Regional Medical Center
Kalispell, MT
Michael J. Redd, Ph.D., CSCS
Director of Sports Science
University of Central Florida
Orlando, FL
Nancy Belli, M.A., EP-C
Senior Wellness Director
Tampa Metropolitan Area YMCA
Tampa, FL

Topic: *Licensed Careers*

Time: 4:30pm – 4:55pm

Room: 202C

Panelists:

Manish Gupta, M.D.
Orthopedic Surgeon & Medical Director
Sports & Orthopedic Center
Boca Raton, FL
Larry H. Collins, M.P.A.S., PA-C, ATC
Assistant Professor, Physician Assistant Program
Department of Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine
University of South Florida
Tampa, FL
Phillip R. Worts, M.S., LAT, ATC, CSCS
Clinical Research Manager
Tallahassee Orthopedic Clinic
Tallahassee, FL

Early Career Scientist Track

Topic: *Office Hours with NIH Program Directors*

Time: 4:00pm – 4:55pm

Room: 204

Moderators:

Dana L. Wolff-Hughes, Ph.D.
Health Scientist Administrator
NIH-OBSSR
Bethesda, MD

Lanay M. Mudd, Ph.D., FACSM
Program Director
NIH-NCCIH
Bethesda, MD

Invited NIH Program Directors:

National Cancer Institute (NCI)
Richard P. Troiano, Ph.D.

National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH)
Lanay M. Mudd, Ph.D., FACSM

National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases (NIAMS)
Amanda Boyce, Ph.D.

National Institute on Aging (NIA)
Lyndon Joseph, Ph.D.

Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research (OBSSR)
Dana L. Wolff-Hughes, Ph.D.

Office of Disease Prevention (ODP)
Rachel Ballard, Ph.D.

Networking Fair Event

Time: 5:00pm – 6:00pm

Location: 203 Foyer