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NEW THIS WEEK

Annual Urologic Diseases in America Webinar to be Held Next Tuesday

The [2018 Annual Urologic Diseases in America Webinar Series](#), sponsored by the [National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases](#), will be held on **Tuesday, July 24, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern time**. This year's webinar will focus on **pediatric conditions**, including kidney stones disease and hypospadias. The presentation and Q&A session will be led by Dr. Brian Matlaga of Johns Hopkins University.

[Register Today!](#)

2019 Scholars in Sexuality Research Grants Program - Now Accepting Applications

The [Sexual Medicine Society of North America \(SMSNA\)](#) Scholars in Sexuality Research Grants Program offers young investigators who are interested in sexuality research the opportunity to obtain funding to support their research while engaged in qualifying research in sexuality. Funding is available for graduate or medical students, residents in graduate medical education training programs, and post-doctoral/post-residency fellows. Applications from aspiring researchers representing diverse backgrounds including but not limited to urology, psychology, psychiatry, gynecology, internal medicine, geriatrics, public health, physiology, genetics, molecular biology, social work, and law are encouraged. Research projects must be carried out within North America to qualify for funding. **The application deadline is September 30, 2018.**

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Society for Pelvic Research Annual Meeting - Register Now!

The [Third Annual Meeting of the Society for Pelvic Urology](#) will be held on **December 1-2, 2018 in New Orleans, LA**. The Society for Pelvic Urology is a multidisciplinary scientific society founded by and for career basic and translational scientists interested in normal function and benign disease states of the pelvic viscera and pelvic floor. The meeting will include oral and poster presentations, trainee workshop, trainee presentation awards, and more! [The abstract submission deadline is September 15 and the early-registration deadline is October 31, 2018.](#)

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International Penile Advanced Cancer Trial (InPACT) is Looking for Interested Centers and Study Investigators

The [InPACT](#) trial is the first international clinical trial in advanced penile cancer and has now opened at several centers in North America and the United Kingdom. Several important questions will be addressed among those patients presenting with clinically positive inguinal or pelvic lymph nodes, including what is the role of neoadjuvant therapy and which specific therapy when combined with surgery is superior: neoadjuvant chemotherapy or chemoradiotherapy? Additionally among

penile cancer patients with prior inguinal lymph node dissection who exhibit adverse pathological features does prophylactic pelvic lymph node dissection provide a survival benefit when compared to chemoradiation alone to inguinal and pelvic fields? **The InPACT Trial oversight committee (NASOC) is inviting urologic surgeons, radiation oncologists, and medical oncologists who treat advanced penile cancer in a multidisciplinary setting to consider opening the trial.** The ECOG-ACRIN cooperative group (EA8134) as a part of the NCTN provides trial oversight for InPACT.

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IN THE AUA

Physician Scientist Residency Training Award Competition Now Open!

Medical students in their senior year and recent medical school graduates with a passion for urology and research are invited to apply to the new Physician Scientist Residency Training Award. Sponsored by the AUA's Urology Care Foundation and Dornier MedTech, this program supports three years of intensive research training embedded within urology residency. The successful candidate will begin residency in July 2019. **A letter of intent is required and is due by 5:00 p.m. ET on August 16, 2018.**

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2019 Research Scholar Award Competition Now Open!

Urology Care Foundation Research Scholar Awards provide \$40,000 per year for one- or two-year mentored research training for clinical and postdoctoral fellows or early-career faculty. Sponsoring institutions provide additional funds and ensure that the scholar receives the necessary research support to successfully complete the study. **A letter of intent is required and is due by 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on August 9, 2018.**

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CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

2018 Midwest LGBTQ Health Symposium

The **2018 Midwest LGBTQ Health Symposium (MLHS) "Moving Towards Health Equity. Strengthening our Community of Care"** will be held on **September 14-15, 2018 in Chicago, Illinois**. The two-day gathering of healthcare professionals, social service providers, advocates, and researchers will highlight innovative best practices in LGBTQ patient-centered clinical care as well as community driven approaches to addressing health disparities. MLHS is designed to facilitate interdisciplinary discussions that advance patient-centered programs and policies that uplift LGBTQ people and address health equity.

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Third Global Summit on Precision Diagnosis and Treatment of Prostate Cancer

The **Third Global Summit on Precision Diagnosis and Treatment of Prostate Cancer** hosted by the **AdMeTech Foundation** will be held in **Boston, MA on August 3-5, 2018**. This meeting is a unique multi-disciplinary forum organized to fill the currently existing gap between the key experts of in vivo imaging, the world authorities in the in vitro fluid- and tissue-based molecular diagnostics, including genomics, and thought leaders in the development of observation strategies (e.g., active surveillance) and novel therapeutic interventions. The goal is to inform the key health care stakeholders about the emerging advances in clinical case and research and create a consensus-based vision for the future of precision care

and educational and research strategy for its realization.

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FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

FY18 DoD Prostate Cancer Research Program (PCRP)

Program Announcements are now available for the [Department of Defense \(DoD\) Prostate Cancer Research Program](#) to support both new and established investigators in prostate cancer research. The following Program Announcements are now available and the pre-application deadlines follow:

- [Physician Research Award](#) - Pre-application deadline: August 16, 2018
- [Early Investigator Research Award](#) - Pre-application deadline: August 16, 2018

FY18 DoD Peer Reviewed Cancer Research Program (PRCRP) - Career Development Award

The [FY18 Peer Review Cancer Research Program](#) Career Development Award supports independent, early-career investigators to conduct impactful research with the guidance of an experienced cancer researcher. The Career Development Award presents an opportunity for early-career investigators to obtain the funding, guidance, and experience necessary for productive, independent careers at the forefront of cancer research. This award supports impactful research projects with an emphasis on discovery. Preliminary data are not required; however, logical reasoning and a sound scientific rationale for the proposed research must be demonstrated. **Bladder cancer researchers are encouraged to apply. The pre-application deadline is August 28, 2018.**

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FY18 DoD Kidney Cancer Research Program (KCRP)

Program Announcements are now available for the [Department of Defense \(DoD\) Kidney Cancer Research Program](#) to support both new and established investigators in kidney cancer research. The following Program Announcements are now available and the pre-application deadlines follow:

- [Idea Development Award](#) - Pre-application deadline: September 5, 2018
- [Physician Research Award](#) - Pre-application deadline: September 20, 2018
- [Technology Development Award](#) - Pre-application deadline: September 20, 2018
- [Translational Research Partnership Award](#) - Pre-application deadline: September 20, 2018

Interested in applying? View an [informational webinar](#) for kidney cancer researchers hosted by the AUA and DoD CDMRP Program Manager Dr. Donna Kimbark. KCRP funding is made possible thanks to the tireless advocacy efforts of [Action to Cure Kidney Cancer \(ACKC\)](#), [Kidney Cancer Action Network \(KCAN\)](#), [Kidney Cancer Research Alliance \(KCCure\)](#) and the AUA.

SUFU Foundation Research Grants in Chemodenervation and Neuromodulation

The [SUFU Foundation](#) is now accepting applications from residents, fellows and junior faculty (<5 years since completion of training) pertaining to chemodenervation or neuromodulation. The study may be basic science or clinical in nature, and the principal investigator, co-investigator or mentor must be a SUFU member. The projects should be designed and conducted primarily by the resident, fellow (research must be substantially completed during training) or junior faculty submitting the proposal. The project duration is up to two years and should be focused on neurourology and lower urinary

tract dysfunction. **The application deadline is September 28, 2018.**

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