



VIRGINIA DRUG DISCOVERY CONSORTIUM VIRGINIABRAINRX:

A SYMPOSIUM ON DRUG DISCOVERY FOR THE BRAIN

MAY 23 - 24, 2016
OMNI RICHMOND HOTEL
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

MEETING PURPOSE

- To bring together researchers on brain diseases from Virginia universities, research institutes, and pharmaceutical companies to highlight the challenges and opportunities for drug discovery in the Commonwealth for targeting brain diseases.
- To facilitate interactions among all participants so as to stimulate collaborative brain research between Virginia universities, research institutes, and the pharmaceutical industry.



KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

- **Carrie K. Jones**
(Director of In vivo and Translational Pharmacology, Vanderbilt Center for Neuroscience Drug Discovery)
- **Thomas Laughren** (Director, Regulatory Affairs, MGH Clinical Trials Network and Institute)
- **Darryle Schoepp** (V.P. and Therapeutic Area Head, Neuroscience, Merck)
- **Todd Sherer** (CEO, Michael J. Fox Foundation)

PANEL DISCUSSION: What are industry's "conditions for satisfaction" in drug discovery collaborations with academia?

OTHER INFORMATION

- **Registration:** includes banquet, breakfast, lunch, and light refreshments
- **Poster sessions** on both days will allow registrants to display their research and connect with colleagues
- **Deadline for poster submission** May 11, 2016

\$100 Researchers \$50 Students before May 13, 2016
\$150 Researchers \$75 Students after May 13, 2016

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