

DAVID GEFFEN SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AT UCLA

Since its inception in 1951, the School of Medicine has become one of the country's foremost medical schools. It comprises 21 departments, with numerous divisions and organized research units. The School adjoins UCLA Medical Center, continually rated the best hospital in the western United States (*U.S. News & World Report*). Other affiliated teaching hospitals include Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center and Orthopædic Hospital, Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Olive View-UCLA Medical Center, and the West Los Angeles VA. Ronald Reagan UCLA Medical Center, which replaces UCLA Medical Center, is scheduled to open on May 4, 2008. It houses the Stewart and Lynda Resnick Neuropsychiatric Hospital at UCLA and Mattel Children's Hospital UCLA. The David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA also is associated with the Jane and Terry Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior at UCLA; Jules Stein Eye Institute; the Schools of Dentistry, Nursing, and Public Health; and UCLA Medical Plaza, a major outpatient care center, among others.

UCLA DEPARTMENT OF NEUROLOGY

The Department of Neurology in the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA is affiliated with the Jane and Terry Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior at UCLA. Currently, the Department has 21 basic science and clinical research programs under the leadership of individual program directors. Approximately 260 teachers, researchers, and clinicians and 245 staff personnel are involved in research, clinical, and teaching programs on Alzheimer's disease, brain mapping, basic neurosciences, clinical neurophysiology, headaches and migraines, health outcomes research, movement disorders, multiple sclerosis, nerve and muscle disorders, neurogenetics, neuro-ICU, neuroimaging, neuro-infectious diseases, neuro-oncology, neuro-otology, neurorehabilitation, seizure disorders, sleep disorders, stroke, and neurovascular disorders. The Department of Neurology is ranked No. 1 among its peers nationwide in National Institutes of Health funding.



The Chen Family Foundation

and the

**Department of Neurology
David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA**

cordially invite you to the

2008 Neurology Symposium

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**National Taiwan University
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Saturday May 10, 2008

8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Neuroscience Research Building
635 Charles Young Drive South
UCLA Campus

2008 Neurology Symposium

Remarks

John Mazziotta, M.D., Ph.D.
Chair, Department of Neurology

Presenters

Joanna Jen, M.D., Ph.D. – Dizziness
Albert Lai, M.D., Ph.D. – Brain Tumors
Frisca Yan-Go, M.D. – Sleep
Dan Geschwind, M.D., Ph.D. – Autism

Continental breakfast – 8:00 a.m.

Presentations – 9:00 a.m.

Lunch – 12:00 p.m.

Roundtable discussions with
UCLA Department of Neurology faculty

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Casual attire
Map and directions enclosed

2008 NEUROLOGY SYMPOSIUM AT UCLA

The Chen Family Foundation and the UCLA Department of Neurology are co-hosting the 2008 Neurology Symposium at UCLA. It is designed to inform and educate the Chinese community in Southern California on neurological disorders with an emphasis on prevention and treatment. Several eminent physicians and scientists from the Department will make formal presentations in English or Chinese on dizziness, brain tumors, sleep, and autism, with question-and-answer sessions to follow. During the lunch hour, the audience will have informal roundtable discussions with doctors representing a number of clinical programs in the Department. There will be handouts at each table with highlights on the latest research and prevention and treatment methods, as well as contact information to access current resources and doctors in each program. This symposium is sponsored in part by the National Taiwan University Alumni Association of Southern California.

FU-HSING AND JYU-YUAN CHEN CENTER FOR TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH IN PARKINSON'S DISEASE

On November 22, 2004, the Fu-Hsing and Jyu-Yuan Chen Center for Translational Research in Parkinson's Disease was dedicated in the Department of Neurology, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA. The Chen Center was established in recognition of a major contribution from the Fu-Hsing and Jyu-Yuan Chen Family Foundation to expand translational research in Parkinson's disease and expedite the transfer of exciting ideas from the laboratory to the clinic. In addition to space renovations, the Chen family's generous gift has enabled the Department to recruit stellar clinicians and scientists in this field. A multidisciplinary team of faculty and staff at the Chen Center is making great strides in pursuing better treatments and, ultimately, a cure for Parkinson's disease.