

UAB Integrative Center for Aging Research

The **UAB Integrative Center for Aging Research (ICAR)** is a University-Wide Interdisciplinary Research Center. The mission of this interdisciplinary community is to promote the health and well-being of older adults and their families through research, education and outreach initiatives.

ICAR has served as the knowledge-exchange and collaboration hub for UAB's aging-related **research** investigators and centers of excellence since 1999.



Monthly seminar series

When?

2nd Friday of each month at **12:00pm CST**

Where?

Hybrid – In-person location varies

Quarterly Newsletter

Features news from ICAR faculty, funding opportunities, upcoming events, a “Member Spotlight,” and more!



- **Coming soon: 2025 Southern Gerontological Society Annual Meeting**

- Birmingham Jefferson Convention Complex – April 3-6, 2025.

- **Biannual Aging Research Symposium 2026**

- Stay tuned for more information later this year!

- Apply for our **funding opportunities!**

- Look for our pilot funding annual RFA and seed funding opportunities offered on a rolling basis.



ICAR faculty brought over **\$74 million** in **Extramural Funding** **FY2024**



Investment of **\$521,571 (FY2019-2024)** in pilot funds to UAB researchers already returned **\$14,836,814** in extramural funding



ICAR leaders serve as PIs on two NIA-Funded Centers - the Alzheimer's Disease Research Center and the Nathan Shock Center

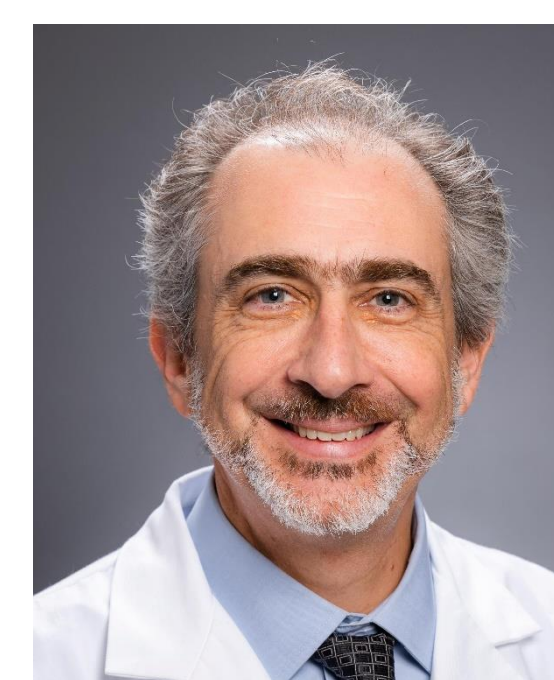
ICAR: Advances the study of aging and illness by catalyzing cross-cutting research on models of aging and disease.

Promotes healthy aging and evidence-based care in UAB communities via knowledge dissemination and implementation.

Collaborates with other aging-focused centers on campus:

Nathan Shock Center of Excellence in the Basic Biology of Aging, Alzheimer's Disease Research Center (ADRC), Deep South Resource Center for Minority Aging Research (RCMAR), McKnight Brain Institute, VA Geriatric Research, Education, and Clinical Center (GRECC).

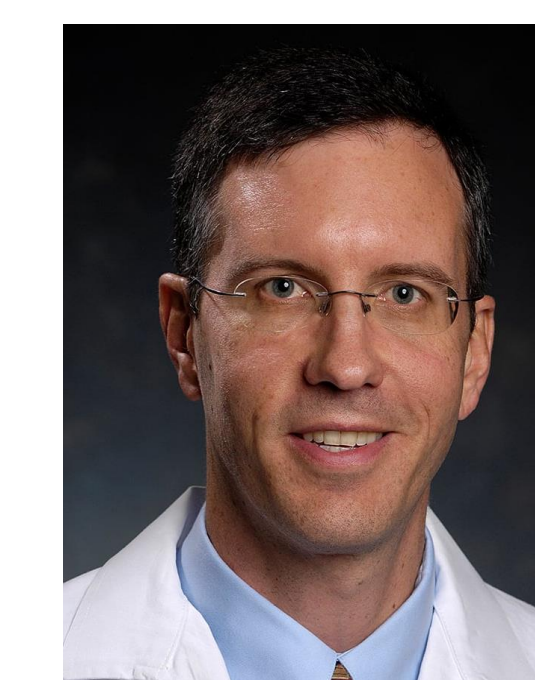
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