

## Physician Promotes African-American Bone Marrow Awareness Month on Twitter

Only 7 percent of registered marrow donors are African-American.  
#aabmam #letschangethis

**Racquel Innis-Shelton, MD**

*Assistant Professor, Hematology and Oncology*

# Survivor Celebrates One-Year Anniversary of Heart Transplant

*Experimental Left Ventricular Assist Device Bridged His Wait for a New Heart*



**Salpy Pamboukian, MD, with George McAllister, his wife Pat, and James Kirklin, MD. Patient offers high praise for his care team, calling himself a “walking miracle.”**

# 2016 AMC21 Multi-Investigator Grant for DOM Faculty

*3 Collaborators To Explore Circadian Disruption and Organ Damage*



**Martin Young, PhD**  
*Cardiovascular Disease*



**David Pollock, PhD**  
*Nephrology*



**Jennifer Pollock, PhD**  
*Nephrology*

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*Sanders, Dell'Italia to Explore CV Complications in Renal Disease;  
Mrug to Investigate Cellular Processes Following Acute Kidney Injury*



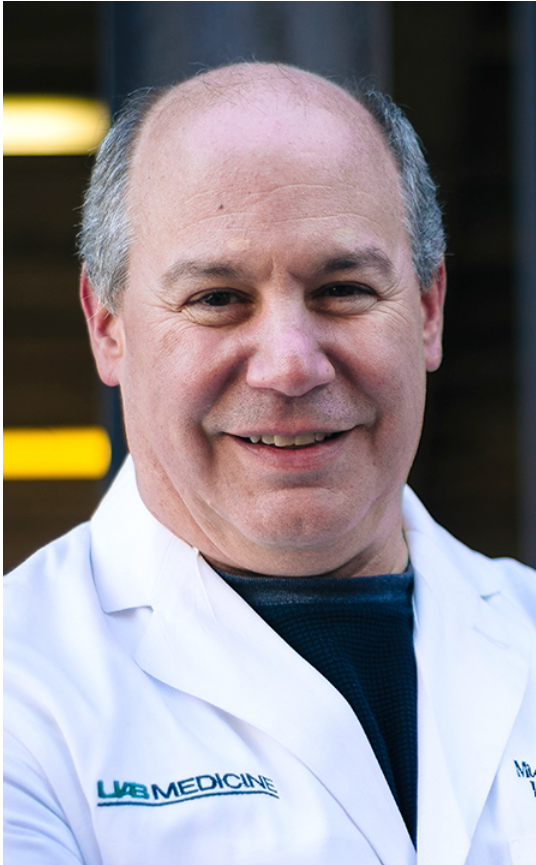
**Paul Sanders, MD**  
*Nephrology*



**Louis Dell'Italia, MD**  
*Cardiovascular Disease*



**Michal Mrug, MD**  
*Nephrology*



# Authors on Antiretroviral Therapy Guidelines for Treatment and Prevention of HIV Infection in Adults

**Mike Saag, MD**

**Mike Mugavero, MD, MHS**

*Infectious Diseases*

New Recommendations Published in *JAMA*



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**Nirmal Sharma, MD**

*Instructor, Pulmonary, Allergy, and Critical Care*



## ID Fellow Receives Trainee Travel Grant

His abstract “Investigating the Correlation of Chlamydia trachomatis-specific Cytokines with Risk for Chlamydia Reinfection” will be presented at IDWeek 2016.

**Stephen Jordan, MD, PhD**  
*Fellow, Infectious Diseases*



## Rheumatology Research Foundation Pilot Grant

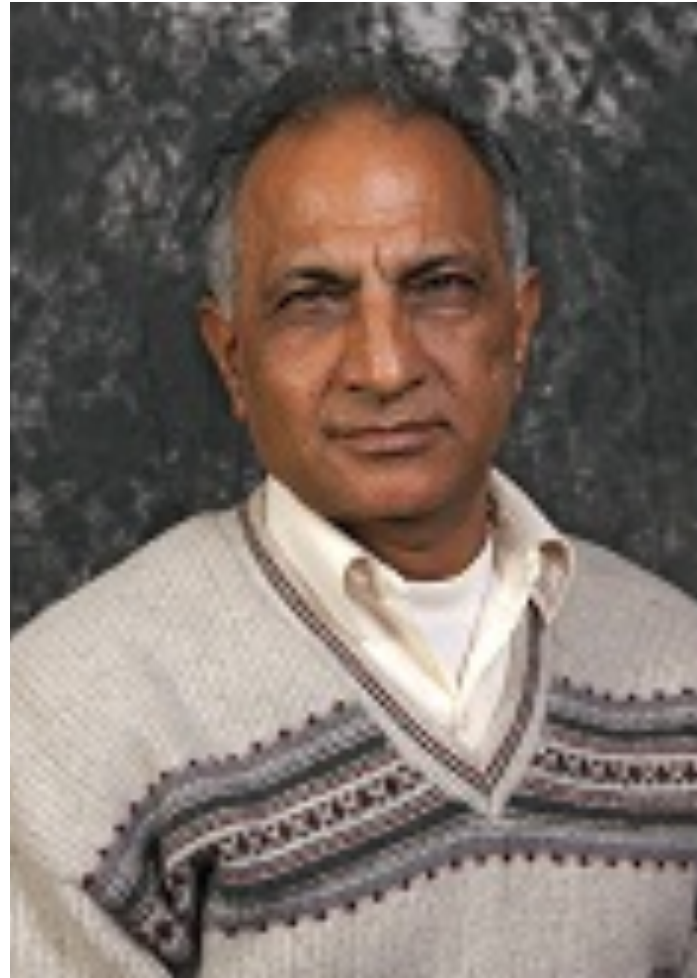
Exploring brain thermometry as a  
non-invasive method for detecting  
inflammation in RA

### **Jarred Younger, PhD**

*Associate Professor, Clinical Immunology and  
Rheumatology, and Director of the UAB Neuro-  
inflammation, Pain and Fatigue Lab*



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Status  
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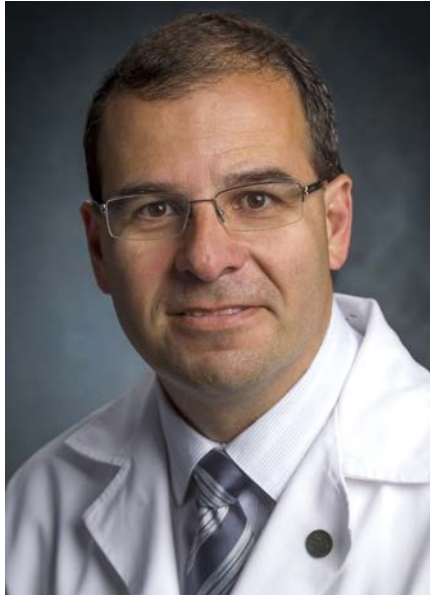
**G.M. Anantharamiah, PhD**  
*Gerontology, Geriatrics, and  
Palliative Care*



**Joseph Bloomer, MD**  
*Gastroenterology and  
Hepatology*

# AY 2014-2015 Teaching Excellence Awards

*Highest overall teaching effectiveness scores from residents & students*



**Martin Rodriguez, MD**  
*Infectious  
Diseases*



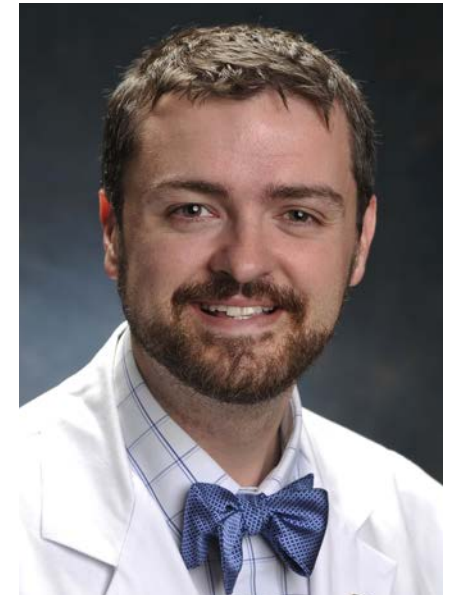
**Lisa Willett, MD**  
*General Internal  
Medicine*



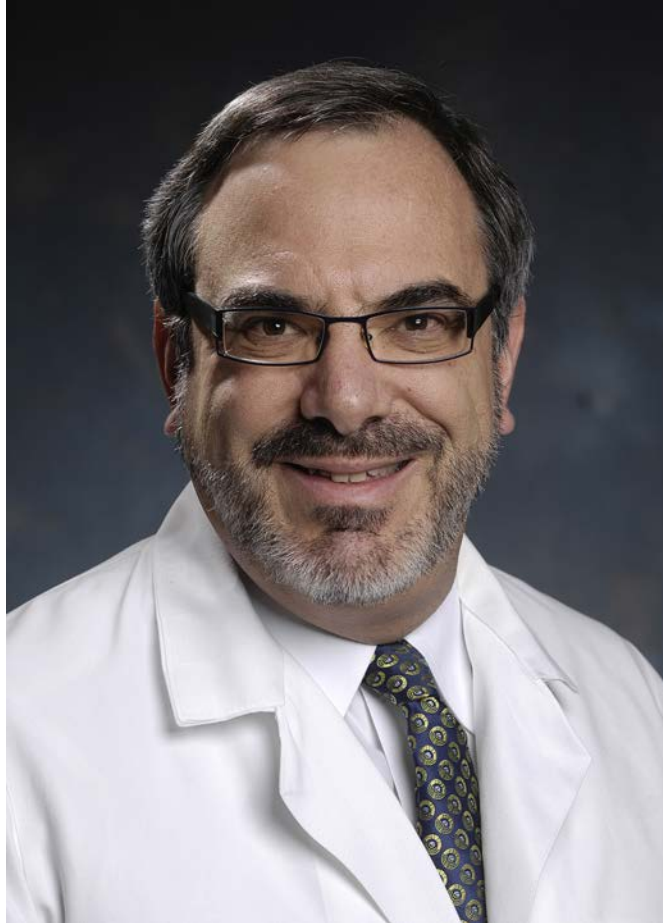
**Steve Stigler, MD**  
*Pulmonary, Allergy,  
and Critical Care*



**Brendan McGuire, MD**  
*Gastroenterology  
and Hepatology*



**Eric Wallace, MD**  
*Nephrology*



## UAB Expert Outlines ZIKA Virus Travel Precautions

Pregnant women should not travel to Latin America or Caribbean; and couples should wait two months after returning from these areas before conception.

**David O. Freedman, MD**  
*Professor, Infectious Diseases*

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