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22nd Annual

# UPMC REHABILITATION INSTITUTE RESEARCH DAY

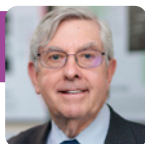
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 2026  
UPMC MERCY PAVILION

Co-sponsored by the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation School of Medicine, the School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, and the UPMC Rehabilitation Institute.



WE ARE EXCITED TO HOST THE FOLLOWING  
DISTINGUISHED KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:

## Brenes Lecture



### DR. WALTER KOROSHETZ

*Immediate past Director, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, National Institutes of Health*

**Presents: "Thoughts on new ways to improve function after injuries to the nervous system"**

## SHRS Lecture



### DR. JULIUS FRIDRIKSSON

*Vice President for Research, SmartState Endowed Chair of Memory and Brain Function, USC Health Sciences Distinguished Professor, University of South Carolina*

**Presents: "Rethinking Aphasia Severity and Treatment Outcome Through Brain Health"**

The UPMC Rehabilitation Institute Research Day is supported by the valued contributions of Dr. Corina Bondi of the Department of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation and Dr. Michael Walsh Dickey of the School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, Department of Communication Science & Disorders.

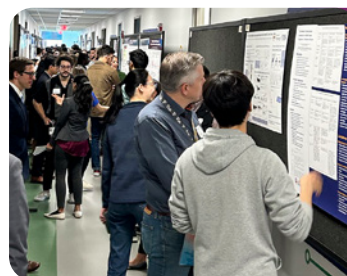
ABSTRACTS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE  
FOLLOWING CATEGORIES:

**Resident | Post-doc | Pre-doc/Master's  
Medical Student | Undergraduate | Staff**

The abstract winner in each category will receive a \$250 prize and will be selected for a 15-minute oral presentation. All other abstracts will be invited to compete as poster presentations for \$50 awards for each trainee category. Case studies will be accepted as posters but will not be considered for awards.

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