A brief history of the Brown University Colloquium on the *Biology of Human Aging*

The first Brown University Colloquium on the *Biology of Human Aging* was held in the Spring of 1998. The Colloquium has become an annual event at Brown, held during the week before Graduation Weekend.

**Past speakers:**

1998

- George Martin, University of Washington, Seattle
- Leonard Guarente, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge
- Judith Campisi, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, Berkeley
- James Vaupel, Max Planck Institute, Rostock, Germany

1999

- Gary Ruvkun, Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Boston
- Bruce Ames, University of California, Berkeley
- Linda Partridge, University College, London, UK
- Calvin Harley, Geron Corporation, Menlo Park

2000

- Don Riddle, University of Missouri, Columbia
- Nadia Rosenthal, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston
- Rudy Tanzi, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston
- Jerry Shay, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas

2001

- Monica Driscoll, Rutgers University, New Brunswick
- Peter Lansdorp, British Columbia Cancer Research Center, Vancouver, Canada
- Roger McCarter, University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio
- Julie Andersen, Buck Institute for Age Research, Novato

2002

- Valter Longo, University of Southern California, Los Angeles
- Doug Wallace, Emory University, Atlanta
- Barbara Hansen, University of Maryland, Baltimore
- Phyllis Wise, University of California, Davis

2003

- Adam Antebi, Max Planck Institute, Berlin, Germany
- Ashley Bush, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston
- Titia de Lange, Rockefeller University, New York
- Tomas Prolla, University of Wisconsin, Madison

2004

- Charles Mobbs, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York
- Woodring Wright, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas
- Jan Vijg, University of Texas Health Sciences Center, San Antonio
• David Sinclair, Harvard Medical School, Boston

2005
• Richard Miller, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
• Toren Finkel, National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, Bethesda
• Andrew Dillin, Salk Institute, La Jolla
• Richard Morimoto, Northwestern University, Evanston

2006
• Eline Slagboom, Leiden University Medical Centre, Leiden, The Netherlands
• Lawrence Goldstein, University of California, San Diego
• Shin-Ichiro Imai, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis
• Carol Greider, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore

2007
• Heidi Tissenbaum, University of Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester
• Rudi Westendorp, Leiden University Medical Centre, Leiden, The Netherlands
• Leanne Jones, The Salk Institute, La Jolla
• Larry Donehower, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston

2008
• Steven Austad, Barshop Institute for Longevity and Aging Studies, San Antonio
• Alessandro Cellerino, Fritz Lipmann Institute for Age Research, Jena, Germany
• Andrzej Bartke, Southern Illinois University School of Medicine, Springfield
• Nir Barzilai, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx

2009
• Peter Rabinovitch, University of Washington, Seattle
• Caleb Finch, University of Southern California, Los Angeles
• Vera Gorbunova, University of Rochester, New York
• Anne Brunet, Stanford University, Palo Alto

2010
• Bruce A. Yankner, Harvard Medical School, Boston
• Arlan G. Richardson, The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio
• Ana Maria Cuervo, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx
• Heinrich Jasper, University of Rochester, Rochester

2011
• Rolf Bodmer, Sanford Burnham Medical Research Institute, San Diego
• Frank Slack, Yale University, New Haven
• Gerald Shulman, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven
• Marcia Haigis, Harvard Medical School, Boston

2012
• Thomas Rando, Stanford University, Palo Alto
• Brian Kennedy, Buck Institute for Research on Aging, Novato
• Shelley Berger, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
• Eric Verdin, Gladstone Institute, UCSF, San Francisco

2013
• Nancy Bonini, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
• Raphael de Cabo, National Institute on Aging, Baltimore
• Pinchas Cohen, University of Southern California, Los Angeles
• Jan van Deursen, Mayo Clinic, Rochester

2014
• Norman Sharpless, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
• Gordon Lithgow, Buck Institute for Research on Aging, Novato
• Malene Hansen, Sanford Burnham Medical Research Institute, San Diego
• Peter Adams, University of Glasgow, Scotland, UK