



The
Ruth Symposium
in Audiology & Hearing Science

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4 TH 2019		
10:00 am	Registration	Health and Behavioral Studies, Ground Floor Atrium
11:00-4:00 pm	Technology Updates from the manufacturers	Health and Behavioral Studies, 1001
4:00-5:30 pm	Exhibitor displays in the HBS Ground Floor Atrium	
4:00-5:30 pm	Registration	
5:30-6:45 pm	<p>Ryals Keynote Address</p> <p><i>Age-Related Hearing Loss: When, Where, How!</i> Sumitrajit Dhar, Ph.D. Northwestern University</p> <p>Financial Disclosure: Employed by Northwestern University and receives a salary. Consultation fees and royalties received from Plural Publishing. Intellectual property rights and licensing fee received for Etymotic Research. Consulting Fee received for Glenview Capital Management.</p> <p>Non-Financial Disclosure: No relevant non-financial relationships exist.</p>	Health and Behavioral Studies, G010
7:00-8:00 pm	<p>Ruth Symposium Reception & Celebration of Alumni</p> <p>Presentation of <i>Distinguished Alumni Award</i> and Recognition and Celebration of Alumni</p> <p>Followed by hors d'oeuvres with the Exhibitors</p>	Health and Behavioral Studies, Ground Floor Atrium

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH 2019		
7:45-8:30 am	Registration & Breakfast in the HBS Ground Floor Lobby	
7:45-8:30 am	Exhibitor Displays in the HBS Ground Floor Lobby	
8:30-8:45 am	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Ayasakanta Rout, Ph.D. Professor in the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders at James Madison University</p>	
8:45-9:45 am	<p><i>Classroom Acoustics: The Basics</i></p> <p>Joseph Smaldino, Ph.D., ASHF East Tennessee University; University of Tennessee</p> <p>Financial Disclosure: No relevant financial relationships exist. Non-Financial Disclosure: Research paper co-authored by colleague Dr. Rout.</p>	Health and Behavioral Studies, Go10
9:50-10:50 am	<p><i>Increasing Access to Hearing Healthcare: Tools and Thoughts</i></p> <p>Sumitrajit Dhar, Ph.D. Northwestern University</p> <p>Financial Disclosure: Employed by Northwestern University and receives a salary. Consultation fees and royalties received from plural publishing. Intellectual property rights and licensing fee received for Etymotic Research. Consulting Fee received for Glenview Capital Management. Non-Financial Disclosure: No relevant non-financial relationships exist.</p>	
10:55-11:55 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Doctoral Student Posters</p> <p>Daniel J Romero, Au.D., Ph.D Candidate, James Madison University Financial disclosure: No relevant financial relationships exist. Non-financial disclosure: No relevant non-financial relationships exist.</p> <p>Abby Compton, B.S., Doctor of Audiology Student, James Madison University Financial disclosure: No relevant financial relationships exist. Non-financial disclosure: Hearing aids for this study were provided by Unitron. Graduation requirement for the Doctor of Audiology degree at James Madison University.</p> <p>Ally Anderson, B.S., Doctor of Audiology Student, James Madison University Financial disclosure: No relevant financial relationships exist. Non-financial disclosure: Graduation requirement for the Doctor of Audiology degree at James Madison University.</p> <p>Tori Whitney, B.S., Doctor of Audiology Student, James Madison University Financial disclosure: Research supported by the Roger Ruth Memorial Fund Doctoral Student Research Grant. Research supported by CHBS Grant. Research supported by James Madison University Faculty Fund. Non-financial disclosure: Graduation requirement for the Doctor of Audiology degree at James Madison University.</p>	Health and Behavioral Studies, Ground Floor Atrium
11:55 -1:10 pm	Lunch	

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<p>1:10-2:10 pm</p>	<p align="center"><i>Translating Laboratory Psychoacoustics Tasks into Efficient Clinical Tools</i> Eric Hoover, Ph.D. University of Maryland</p> <p>Financial Disclosure: Employed by University of Maryland and receives a salary. Receives a consultation fee from University of South Florida. Non-Financial Disclosure: No relevant non-financial relationships exist.</p>	<p>Health and Behavioral Studies, G010</p>
<p>2:10-2:20 pm</p>	<p align="center">Break</p>	
<p>2:20-3:20 pm</p>	<p align="center"><i>Waxing Poetic: Qtips are Bad for Ears!</i> Bradley W. Kesser, M.D. University of Virginia Medical School</p> <p>Financial Disclosure: Employed by University of Virginia Medical Center and receives a salary. Receives royalties from Nasco, Inc. Non-Financial Disclosure: No relevant non-financial relationships exist.</p>	
<p>3:25-4:25 pm</p>	<p align="center"><i>Expanded Indications, Clinical Considerations and Outcomes for Adult Cochlear Implant Recipients</i> English R. King, Au.D., CCC-A UNC Hospitals Hearing & Voice Center at Carolina Crossing</p> <p>Financial Disclosure: Employed by UNC Hospitals Hearing & Voice Center at Carolina Crossing and receives a salary. Receives a consulting fee from Advanced Bionics for membership on advisory committee/ review panel. Receives a consulting fee from Med-El for membership on advisory committee/ review panel. Non-Financial Disclosure: No relevant non-financial relationships exist.</p>	<p>Health and Behavioral Studies, G010</p>
<p>4:25-4:35 pm</p>	<p align="center">Closing Remarks</p>	