Neuropathogenesis and Neuroinvasiveness of Subtype C Human Immunodeficiency Virus (SOUTH AFRICA, R01)
For Yue Tso, Post-Doctoral Research Associate, Nebraska Center for Virology

DISCUSSION

HIV ASSOCIATED ISSUES AND TREATMENTS

Efficacy of Adjunctive Sertraline for the Treatment of HIV-Associated Cryptococcal Meningitis (R01)
David Meya, Senior Lecturer, Infectious Diseases Institute, Kampala, Uganda

Cohort of HIV-Associated Seizures and Epilepsy in Zambia (PI: Birbeck) (R21)
Izukanji Sikazwe, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Center for Infectious Disease Research in Zambia

Treatment for depression and adherence in people living with HIV in Zimbabwe (R21)
Melanie Abas, Center for Global Mental Health, University College London

A Community-Based Evaluation of Interventions for Orphans and Vulnerable Children (ZAMBIAN, R01)
Elena Grigorenko, Professor of Psychology, University of Houston

DISCUSSION

3:10-3:40
Break and Poster Session

3:40-4:15
SUBSTANCE ABUSE/ADDICTION
Moderator: Jasmin Vassileva

Utility of machine-learning approaches to identify substance-specific behavioral markers for opiate and stimulant dependence (Bulgaria) (R01)
Jasmin Vassileva, Associate Professor, Psychiatry, Virginia Commonwealth University

Mobile Motivational Interviewing Treatment for Alcohol Abuse in Kenya (R21)
Valerie Harder, Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics, University of Vermont

Combating craving with contingency management: neuroplasticity and methamphetamine abuse in South Africa (R21) (PI: Shoptaw)
Samantha Brooks, Senior Lecturer, Psychiatry, University of Cape Town

Khat Research Program: Neurobehavioral Impact of Long-Term Use (R21) (Yemen)
Mustafa Al’Absi, Professor, Department of Behavior Sciences, University of Minnesota

DISCUSSION

4:15-5:05
AGING AND NEURODEGENERATION
Moderator: Gladys Maestre

Kerala-Einstein Study: Healthy lifestyle, vascular disease, and cognitive decline (India) (R01)
Verghese, Joe, Professor, Department of Medicine and Neurology, Albert Einstein College of Medicine

Gene-Environment Interaction in Cognition in Venezuelan Families (R01)
Gladys Maestre, Professor of Psychiatry and Neurology, Columbia University

Successful Cognitive Aging and Cardiovascular Risk Factors in the Central Valley of Costa Rica (R21)
Jeremy Silverman, Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Mount Sinai

Lifestyle interventions for the prevention of cognitive decline in later life (Costa Rica) (R21)
Monica Salazar-Villanea, Associate Professor and Associate Director of Neurosciences, University of Costa Rica

Establishing Infrastructure for Prevention of Familial Alzheimer’s Disease in Mexico (R21)
John Ringman, Clinical Professor, Neurology, UCLA

Young Onset dementia in Latin America (R21) (Columbia, Mexico, Argentina, Peru)
Katya Rascovsky, Research Assistant Professor, Dept. of Neurology and Penn Frontotemporal Degeneration Center, University of Pennsylvania

DISCUSSION