Vanderbilt Geriatric Psychiatry Fellowship

Assessment and Treatment of Psychopathology in Aging Seminar 2015-2016
(17 Seminars)

Topics:

1. Major and Minor Depression in Aging (Taylor)
2. Bipolar Disorder (Taylor; Petrie)
3. Anxiety and Anxiety Disorders in Geriatrics (Jabeen)
4. Schizophrenia and Other Psychotic Disorders (Petrie)
5. Dementing Disorders (3 seminars)
   5a. Alzheimer’s disease; Frontotemporal dementia (Newhouse; Petrie)
   5b. Lewy-Body dementia; Parkinson’s disease (Gwirtsman; Claasen)
   5c. Stroke and Cerebrovascular dementia (Kirshner)
6. Somatic Therapies in Geriatric Psychiatry (Clark)
   ECT; DBS; TMS; Ketamine
7. Polypharmacy Issues in Geriatrics (Nicolson; Vasilevskis)
8. Addictions and Substance Abuse in Geriatric Psychiatry (Finlayson)
   Alcohol abuse, Opiates, Marijuana
9. Ethical Treatment in Aging Issues (Meador)
10. Special Issues in Long-Term Care (Simmons/Newhouse)
11. End of Life Issues (2 Seminars)
   11a. Palliative Care (Misra; Karlekar)
   11b. Hospice; Assisted Suicide/”Death with Dignity” (Misra; Karlekar)
12. Structured Assessment Tools in Geriatric Psychiatry (Newhouse)
13. The Problem of Pain in Aging (Todd Monroe)
14. Capacity Assessment and Guardianship in Geriatric Psychiatry (Steve Montgomery)