## **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)