## **Presentations**

| Shirley Blanchard, Ph.D.    | Welcome Remarks and Membership Introductions                                   |
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| Lawrence Agodoa, M.D.       | •  |
| Virginia Sarapura, M.D.     | NMRI Mentorship Program  |
| Frank Hamilton, Ph.D.       | Research Opportunities at NIH – Facing the Challenges of a Changing            |
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| Phyllis A. Nsiah-Kumi, M.D. | Standing on the Shoulders of Giants: How Mentoring Can Take You to New Heights |
| Trudy Gaillard, Ph.D.       | Diabetes Roundtable  |
| Luis Cubano, Ph.D.          | Grants Management Roundtable   |
| Orhan Öz, M.D.              | Networking Roundtable  |
| Shirley Blanchard, Ph.D.    | Obesity Roundtable   |
| Carlos Isales, M.D.         | Endocrine Roundtable   |
| Laura A.G. Armas, M.D.      | Histomorphometric Analysis of Bone in Healthy, Young Patients With             |
|                             | Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus   |
| D. Roselyn Cerutis, Ph.D.   | Lysophosphatidic Acid Receptors, Periodontal Disease, and Type 2               |
|                             | Diabetes   |
| Devendra K. Agrawal, Ph.D.  | Immunobiology: A Common Underlying Basis of Human Diseases                     |
| Robert Heaney, M.D.         | Vitamin D: The Iceberg Nutrient  |
| Orhan Öz, M.D.              | Pre-clinical Imaging: A Tool for Understanding Pathophysiology and             |
|                             | Screening Diagnostics and Therapeutics   |
| Shirley Blanchard, Ph.D.    | Marco Cabrera Poster and Networking Session—Overview                           |
| Sade Kosoko-Lasaki, M.D.    | Achieving Success as a Leader: My Perspective                                  |
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| Victor Padron, Ph.D.        | Tenure and Promotion: Transition From Postdoctoral Associates to               |
|                             | Assistant Professor ("and you thought the science was challenging")            |
| Beth Furlong, Ph.D.         | Community Engagement, Research, and Research Scientists                        |
| Wayne Houston, M.P.H.       | Black Family Health and Wellness: How to Organize an Annual                    |
| Ira Combs, B.S.N.           | Community-based Wellness Program   |
| Eddie Greene, M.D.          | Education/Faculty Development and Student Assessment                           |
| Carlos Isales, M.D.         | Managing a Research Lab/How to Write Your First Grant                          |
| Shirley Blanchard, Ph.D.    | Poster Session and Oral Presentation Awards                                    |
| Shirley Blanchard, Ph.D.    | Closing Remarks  |
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