

Howard H. Goldman, MD, Ph.D. – Moderator



***Professor of Psychiatry
University of Maryland School of Medicine***

He is the author or co-author of 350 publications of professional literature. Dr. Goldman is the editor emeritus of Psychiatric Services having served as editor from 2004 - 2016. He also has served on the editorial boards of several other journals, including *Health Affairs*, the *American Journal of Psychiatry* and the *Journal of Mental Health Policy and Economics*. Dr. Goldman was the Senior Scientific Editor of the Surgeon General's Report on Mental Health from 1997-1999 for which he was awarded the Surgeon General's Medallion. During 2002 and 2003 Dr. Goldman was a consultant to the President's New Freedom Commission on Mental Health. He was elected to membership in the National Academy of Social Insurance in 1996 and to the Institute of Medicine in 2002.

Dr. Goldman is an expert on disability and disability policy. While serving as Assistant Director of the National Institute of Mental Health, he worked closely with the Social Security Administration revising policies and regulations for assessing individuals with mental impairments. He has written extensively about this topic, including papers in the *Milbank Quarterly* and *Health Affairs* and in his recent book with Gerald Grob, *The Dilemma of Federal Mental Health Policy*. He also served on the Disability Policy Panel for the National Academy of Social Insurance. In 2007, he served on the Institute of Medicine Committee on Medical Evaluation of Veterans for Disability Compensation. Beginning in 2009, Dr. Goldman became the chair of the IOM Standing Committee of Medical Experts to Assist Social Security on Disability Issues.

Dr. Goldman received joint M.D. - M.P.H. degrees from Harvard University in 1974 and a Ph.D. in social policy research from the Heller School at Brandeis University in 1978.

Nicole L. Stout DPT. CLT-LANA, FAPT



***Research Assistant Professor
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Dr. Nicole L. Stout is a renowned health care researcher, consultant, educator, and advocate. She is an internationally recognized expert and leader in the field of cancer rehabilitation and survivorship care. She has given over 300 lectures nationally and internationally, authored and co-authored over 60 peer-review and invited publications, several book chapters, and is the co-author of the book *100 Questions and Answers about Lymphedema*. Her research publications have been foundational in developing the Prospective Surveillance Model for cancer rehabilitation.

She holds appointments on the American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine's Cancer Rehabilitation Research and Outcomes Taskforce, the WHO Technical Workgroup for the development of Cancer Rehabilitation guidelines, the American College of Sports Medicine President's Taskforce on Exercise Oncology, and also chairs the Oncology Specialty Council of the American Board of Physical Therapy Specialties. She is a federal appointee and co-chair of the Veterans Administration Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation Research and Development Service Merit Review Board. Dr. Stout is a past member of the American Physical Therapy Association Board of Directors.

Dr. Stout received a Bachelor of Science degree from Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania in 1994, a Master of Physical Therapy degree from Chatham University in 1998 and a clinical Doctorate in Physical Therapy from Massachusetts General Hospital Institute of Health Professions in 2013. She has a post graduate certificate in Health Policy from the George Washington University School of Public Health.

Tommie L. Robinson, Jr., Ph.D., CCC-SLP



***Chief, Division of Hearing and Speech
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Dr. Tommie L. Robinson, Jr., is chief of the Division of Hearing and Speech and director of the Scottish Rite Center for Childhood Language Disorders at Children's National Health System in Washington, D.C. He is also an associate professor of pediatrics at The George Washington University School of Medicine and Health Sciences. He specializes in communication disorders in children, with a specific focus on children who stutter. Dr. Robinson's research and writings have focused on normal fluency behaviors in children and adults, service delivery to children from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, patient safety, and leadership in communication sciences and disorders. He has presented widely at the local, regional, national, and international levels.

His previous appointments include the 2010 president of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) and various boards and committees. In 1998, Dr. Robinson was elected a Fellow of ASHA, one of its highest honors. He served on the board of directors of the National Black Association for Speech, Language and Hearing (NBASLH), and served as the co-chair of the Program Committee for the 1999 and 2000 conventions. Dr. Robinson also served as secretary of the Specialty Board on Fluency Disorders and has been a board-certified fluency specialist since 2000. He served as vice-chair of the Higher Education Licensure Commission for Washington, D.C., from 2005 to 2014.

Dr. Robinson received his B.A. and M.S. degrees from the University of Mississippi in Oxford, Mississippi, and his Ph.D. degree from Howard University in Washington, D.C.

Kashif M. Munir, M.D.



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Dr. Kashif Munir is an Associate Professor of Medicine at the University of Maryland School of Medicine in the Division of Endocrinology, Diabetes, and Nutrition. He is the medical director of the University of Maryland Center for Diabetes and Endocrinology, a high-volume Center caring for the underserved population of western Baltimore.

He has extensive clinical experience in treating complex diabetes patients, thyroid disorders, and pituitary diseases. He also has active research protocols in studying metabolic and thyroid disorders.

Dr. Munir earned his undergraduate degree from the University of Pennsylvania and his M.D. from Temple University School of Medicine. He completed his residency in internal medicine and fellowship in endocrinology, diabetes, and nutrition at the University of Maryland.

Clinton B. Wright, M.D., M.S.



***Director of the Division of Clinical Research
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Clinton B. Wright, M.D., M.S, is a vascular neurologist and specialist in cognitive disorders. He is Director of the Division of Clinical Research and Associate Director for the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) and Acting Chief of the Stroke Branch within the Division of Intramural Research. NINDS is part of the National Institutes of Health (NIH). The Division of Clinical Research provides oversight for clinical trials to test the safety and efficacy of innovative treatments of neurological disorders and stroke, epidemiological studies of the natural history of neurological disorders, biomarker studies, and studies designed to elucidate the causes of neurological disorders. The Division develops new clinical science initiatives, maintains the scientific integrity of clinical trials, and provides expertise in monitoring the safety of human subjects research as well as statistics and clinical trial design, both to the Institute and to extramural investigators.

Before joining NINDS, Dr. Wright served as the Evelyn F. McKnight Chair for Learning and Memory in the Aging, and was a tenured professor of neurology, public health sciences, and neuroscience, as well as Chief of the Division of Cognitive Disorders in the Department of Neurology and the Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine of the University of Miami. He served as Scientific Director of the Evelyn F. McKnight Brain Institute at the University of Miami from 2008 until joining the NIH. Dr. Wright is a Fellow of the American Academy of Neurology and of the American Heart Association. His research focuses on the effects of vascular risk factors and vascular damage, including both subclinical cerebrovascular damage and clinical stroke, on brain structure and cognitive function.

Dr. Wright earned his M.D. from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University in New York City, and completed a neurology residency and a vascular neurology fellowship at Columbia University Medical Center.

Robert E. Drake, M.D., Ph.D.



***Vice President
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Dr. Robert Drake is a vice president of the Westat Corporation. He is also a Professor (retired) of The Dartmouth Institute on Health Policy and Clinical Practice, Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth; and the former director of the Dartmouth Psychiatric Research Center. Dr. Drake has studied psychiatric rehabilitation for nearly 40 years. He is recognized internationally for his many contributions to transforming services toward greater alignment with client goals and the recovery process.

He is co-developer of the Individual Placement and Support (IPS) model of supported employment, one of the most successful and influential evidence-based practices in psychiatric rehabilitation. Dr. Drake has devoted his career to the conceptualization, development, evaluation, and dissemination of evidence-based practices, including IPS; integrated dual disorders treatment; and many other models. He has directed numerous randomized controlled trials. He has extensively reviewed psychiatric rehabilitation literature and has published more than 20 books and 600 research articles.

Dr. Drake graduated from Duke University.