

# VANYHHS Research Day

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Friday, May 23, 2014

LOCATION: 2<sup>nd</sup> FLOOR NORTH CONFERENCE ROOM - MANHATTAN CAMPUS

8:30 AM - 9:00 AM	Exhibits Open	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM		GREETING AND INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH DAY James Kaufman, MD/ACOS/R&D EMCEE - David S. Goldfarb, MD
9:30 AM - 9:45 AM		Marcovalerio Melis, MD "Use of the Surgical Apgar Score in a Veteran Population"
9:45 AM - 10:00 AM		Nicole Sasson, MD "Advancements in Prosthetics Research: VA Studies of the DEKA Arm"
10:00 AM - 10:15 AM		Jason Maikos, PhD "The Bionic Veteran: Evaluating the First Biomimetic Ankle Prosthesis"
10:15 AM - 10:30 AM		Christopher Fantini, MSPT, CP, BOCO "Update on Studies Involving Advanced Upper Limb Prosthetic Components and Socket Design"
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM		Mahmood Hussain, PhD "Molecular Mechanisms and Regulation of Intestinal Lipid Absorption"
10:45 AM - 11:30 AM		<b>BREAK AND EXHIBIT VIEWING</b>
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM		KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Matthew R. Pincus, MD "Novel Anti-Cancer Peptides that Kill Cancer Cells but Do Not Affect Normal Cells"
12:00 PM (NOON)		VOTE OF THANKS AND CLOSURE James Kaufman, MD/ACOS/R&D
12:00 PM - 3:00 PM		<b>LUNCH AND EXHIBITS</b>

Continental breakfast will be served at 8:30AM. Lunch will be served at 12:00PM after Dr. Kaufman's closing remarks.  
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