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COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

- Convergence calls for groups within the biomedical sciences, life sciences, physical sciences, engineering, and other fields to come together to solve unmet scientific needs.
- This conference brings together physicians, engineers, and scientists with the aim of discovery of educational gaps inherent to one's own discipline.
- The goal is to create a space for discussion and creative collaboration in shared problem solving for these areas.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This course is designed for physicians, scientists, allied health, and students working in the fields of biomedical sciences, life sciences, physical sciences, engineering, and other scientific fields.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon conclusion of this program, participants should be able to:

- Discuss complex scientific conditions and challenges. Future health problems are too complex for an individual scientist approach, and therefore, convergence of various scientists is needed to solve complex scientific challenges.
- Recognize emerging innovations and potential converged solutions, since technology innovation occurs too rapidly for our current models of diagnosis and treatment.
- Create actionable convergence concepts by group discussion.
- Examine opportunities for scientific collaboration, discovery, and problem solving.
- Create a growing network of convergence science teams.

COURSE DIRECTORS

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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Richard Ehman, MD, Professor of Radiology, Mayo Clinic

Walter J. Koroshetz, MD, Director of the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke

James A. Rogers III, JD, Mayo Clinic Ventures, Mayo Clinic

Charles Bruce, MD, Mayo Clinic Ventures, Mayo Clinic

ONLINE REGISTRATION

[CE.MAYO.EDU/CONVERGENCE2018](http://ce.mayo.edu/convergence2018)

REGISTRATION FEES (Includes 3 Days of Conference Access, Breakfast, Lunch, Break Refreshments, and Opening Reception)

Physicians	\$595
Scientists, Residents, Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners	\$395

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ABSTRACTS See ce.mayo.edu/convergence2018 for more information.

SOCIAL PROGRAMS

Welcome Reception – 2/21/2018

Attendees are cordially invited to join the course faculty for the Welcome Reception on February 21, 2018. This casual reception takes place immediately after the first day's talks adjourn, officially opens the course, and offers you the perfect opportunity to make connections with existing and new colleagues. Pre-registration is requested.

PROGRAM AT-A-GLANCE

DAY #1 - WEDNESDAY FEB 21		Putting the BIG in Big Data: The Future of Connected Healthcare		DAY #3 - FRIDAY, FEB 23	
7:00-7:45 am	Engineering Science and Health	Registration and Continental Breakfast	9:30-10:00	Future of Connected Healthcare	The Human-Technology Frontier: Shaping the Future
8:00-8:30	3D Printing in Education	10:00-10:30	Regenerative Medicine	8:15-8:30	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30-9:00	Optics and Photonics Highlights – Seeing the Future	10:30-10:45	Using Ultrasound Imaging to Determine Stiffness of Tissues	8:30-9:00	Introduction and Welcome
9:00- 9:30	The Operating Room of the Future	10:45-11:00	Q&A	9:00-9:30	Innovations in Medical Education
9:30-10:00	Biomedical Engineering Needs for the Future	11:00 -11:30	(When) Will Computers Replace Physicians	9:30-10:00	Nanobiotechnology for Healthcare
10:00-10:30	Aging Science	11:30-Noon	Keynote Speaker: Brain Research through Advancing Innovative Neurotechnologies: the US BRAIN Initiative	10:00-10:15	Bionanomaterials in Health Applications Materials
10:30-10:45	Q&A		Q&A	10:15-10:430	Q&A
10:45-11:00	Break		Break	10:30-11:00	Cancer Highlights and Convergence Needs
11:00-Noon	Breakout Groups: Nanomedicine / Biomaterials		Breakout Groups: Convergence Teams	11:00-11:40	Keynote Speakers: The Entrepreneur's Path in Biomedical Innovation
12:15- 1:45	Artificial Intelligence Lunch and Learn	12:15-1:15	Convergence	12:15-1:15	Q&A
	Keynote speaker: Inventions, Convergence, and Pasteur's Quadrant		Opportunities for Cancer		Lunch and Networking
1:45-3:00	Breakout Groups: Big Data and Machine Learning	1:15 -2:30	Information Security in Health Care	1:30-3:00	Networking
	Robotics		Precision Medicine		Breakout Groups: Technology in the Future of Medical Education
3:15	Convergence Brainstorm Q&A		Tissue Engineering and Regenerative Medicine	3:00-3:15	Convergence Pathways to Commercialization
	Summary		Breakout Groups: Convergence Teams	3:15-4:00	Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning in Healthcare
3:45-5:30	Opening Reception, Networking		Convergence		Break
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