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Virginia Commonwealth University

Presidential Research Incentive Program awardees

Melissa Abell

School of Social Work

Building family resiliency: A multiple family group weekend retreat approach

Clarence Biddle

Department of Nurse Anesthesia

Patricia Slattum

Department of Pharmacotherapy and Outcomes Science and Department of Pharmaceutics

Risk factors for the development of postoperative cognitive dysfunction in older adults undergoing major noncardiac surgery

Maryanne Collinson

Department of Chemistry

Kevin Ward

Department of Emergency Medicine

The redox state of blood probed with nanostructured electrodes

Lynne Elmore

Department of Pathology and School of Nursing Center for Biobehavioral Clinical Research

Debra Lyon

Department of Family and Community Health Nursing

Nancy McCain

Department of Adult Health and Nursing Systems

R.K. Elswick Jr.

Department of Family and Community Health Nursing

Colleen Jackson-Cook

Department of Pathology

Amy Ladd

Department of Pathology

Psychoneurological symptoms acquired by women treated for breast cancer: Insights gained from studying neuronal-like cells generated by reprogramming adult stem cells

Michael Fox

Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology

Mechanisms of class-specific retinogeniculate targeting

Phillip Gerk

Department of Pharmaceutics

Targeting anti-retroviral drugs to pharmacologic sanctuaries

Rebecca Heise

Department of Biomedical Engineering

Mechanisms of mechanical stretch induction of alveolar epithelial to mesenchymal transition

Elizabeth McGee

Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Is atrophic vaginitis a risk factor for vulvovaginal graft versus host disease?

Robert Meganck

Department of Communication Arts

Matt Wallin

Department of Communication Arts

Dimensional color

Myung Park

Department of Accounting

Do auditor-client disagreements signal unfavorable developments following auditor changes?

Laura Razzolini

Department of Economics

Theory and experiments on profiling and terrorism: Should terrorists recruit Mrs. Smith?

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Andrew Yeudall

Philips Institute of Oral and Craniofacial
Molecular Biology

Gary Bowlin

Department of Biomedical Engineering

Shawn Holt

Department of Pathology
Department Human and Molecular Genetics
Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology

Development of a 3-D oral cancer model

Sharon Zumbrunn

Department of Foundations of Education
*Examining determinants of elementary, middle,
and high school student writing motivation,
self-regulation, and success*

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