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## CVI SEMINAR SERIES

The next CVI seminar will be held on Thursday, December 11, 2003 at 4:00 pm in Building 120, Room 170. Our speaker is:

**Ping Wang, M.D.**

**Associate Professor of Medicine  
Director, Center for Cardiovascular Hormone  
Research**

**University of California, Irvine**

The title of Dr. Wang's talk is:

**"Baby-Sitting Myocardial Injuries –  
A Tale of Chaperoning through Hsp60"**

For further information about the CVI Seminar Series, contact Dr. Leanne Cribbs at x72817.

## CVI JOURNAL CLUB

December 18.....Mr. Krishnamurthy

For further information, contact Dr. Ken Byron at x72819.

## FALK CARDIOVASCULAR RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

Applications are being accepted for Falk Cardiovascular Research Fellowships. Support is for full-time, basic or clinical research by qualified applicants training in cardiovascular sciences under the sponsorship of a Loyola faculty member. Fellowship applicants should hold MD, DO, DVM, and/or PhD degrees with less than 3 years of previous postdoctoral research training. (Faculty members are ineligible). Funds may be used for salary supplementation up to a total of \$31,092 (exclusive of fringe benefits) per fellow. Up to \$5,000 per year may be used for supplies and small equipment. The total budget should not exceed \$39,600. Funding is available for a period of up to 2 years.

Applications are in the form of either an NIH Individual NRSA or an AHA Postdoctoral Fellowship. If a similar extramural

postdoctoral fellowship application was previously reviewed externally, applicants should provide pink sheets, and indicate if or how the Falk fellowship proposal differs from the original submission.

A cover letter should include the proposed budget, including other sources of support for the fellow's stipend. Questions about the program should be directed to Allen M. Samarel, MD, Director of Research, CVI at x72821, or via e-mail at [asamare@lumc.edu](mailto:asamare@lumc.edu). Applications should be submitted to:

**Ms. Georgia Keleher  
Administrative Assistant, CVI  
Room 5220, Building 110, LUMC**

**Deadline for submission is January 13, 2004  
Activation date is March 1, 2004, or later**

## RECENT PUBLICATIONS FROM THE CVI

Bers, D.M., Eisner, D.A., Valdivia, H.H. Sarcoplasmic reticulum  $Ca^{2+}$  and heart failure - Roles of diastolic leak and  $Ca^{2+}$  transport. *Circ. Res.* 93(6):487-490, 2003.

Shannon, T.R., Pogwizd, S.M., Bers, D.M. Elevated sarcoplasmic reticulum  $Ca^{2+}$  leak in intact ventricular myocytes from rabbits in heart failure. *Circ.Res.* 93(7):592-594, 2003.

## CARDIOLOGY - CVI RESEARCH DIVISION BASIC SCIENCE SEMINAR

The Cardiology Division and the CVI Research Division are sponsoring a series of joint seminars by Loyola Faculty. The following seminar is scheduled:

December 12.....Dr. Cribbs

The title of Dr. Cribbs's talk is:

**"Embryonic Stem Cell Therapy: An Update"**

Seminars are held at 12:30 pm in the Cardiology Conference Room, Rm 6291.

For further information, contact Dr. Samarel at x72821

