The 4th Annual Isabelle Rapin Conference on Communication Disorders

22q11.2 DELETION SYNDROME (DiGeorge Syndrome/VCFS)

THURSDAY
DECEMBER 3, 2015
8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Price Center/Block Research Pavilion
LeFrak Auditorium

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PROGRAM

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.: Continental Breakfast (available in Lower Lobby Atrium)

9:15 – 9:30 a.m.: Welcome and Opening Remarks
Steven U. Walkley, D.V.M., Ph.D.
Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Bernice E. Morrow, Ph.D.
Albert Einstein College of Medicine

9:30 – 10:15 a.m.: 22q11.2 Deletion Syndrome – Setting the Stage
Donna M. McDonald-McGinn, MS, LCGC
Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP)

10:15 – 10:30 a.m.: Coffee Break (available in Lower Lobby Atrium)

10:30 – 11:15 a.m.: Developmental Trajectories in
22q11 Deletion Syndrome (22q11.2 DS)
Ann Swillen, Ph.D.
University of Leuven

11:15 – 11:45 a.m.: 22q11.2 Copy Number Variation: Identifying Individual
Genes for Autism and Schizophrenia in Mouse Models
Noboru Hiroi Ph.D.
Albert Einstein College of Medicine

11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.: Lunch (available in Lower Lobby Atrium)

1:00 – 1:45 p.m.: Brain Dysconnectivity, Cognitive Decline and
Psychosis in 22q11.2 Deletion Syndrome
Carrie E. Bearden, Ph.D.
UCLA Center for the Assessment and
Prevention of Prodromal States (CAPPS)

1:45 – 2:30 p.m.: Neuroanatomic, Cognitive and Psychiatric
Trajectories in Adolescents and Young Adults with
22q11.2 Deletion Syndrome: Findings from a
Twelve-Year Longitudinal Study
Wendy R. Kates, Ph.D.
SUNY Upstate Medical University

2:30 – 2:45 p.m.: Question & Answer Session

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. Closing Remarks
Bernice E. Morrow, Ph.D.
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