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Dear Colleagues and Friends,

Each year, the Center for the Neurobiology of Learning and Memory celebrates Giving Day by remembering to give thanks to those who so generously support our work. We are inspired by your kindness and the ways it has supported critical research and the success of many of the young CNLM scholars.

Without you, we would not be able to offer prestigious awards to more than twelve of our trainees annually.

Without you, we would not be able to pursue our biggest, most life-altering research pursuits.

And, without you, we would not be able to train the next generation of brain explorers through our K-12 outreach programs.

**We invite you to consider continuing your support tomorrow, April 28, in honor of UCI Giving Day.**

Explore the topics below to find out how your support is [changing the lives that change the world](#):

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Sincerely,

**Michael A. Yassa, Ph.D.**

**Sunil Gandhi, Ph.D.**

## Research Updates



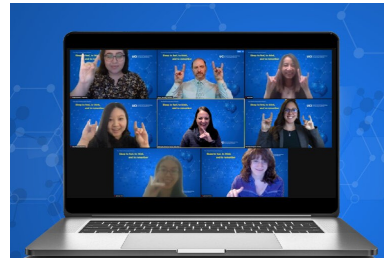
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[CNLM Student Ambassadors Host Panel Discussion: Sleep to Feel, to Think, and to Remember](#)



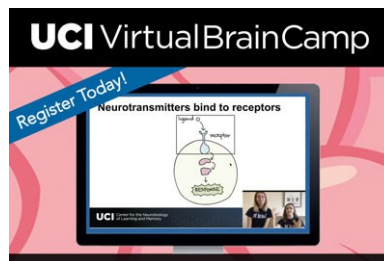
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[Chronic Stress Is Unhealthy. But A Little Stress Isn't Always So Bad featuring CNLM Fellow, Susan Charles](#)



[Spring Conference – Memory: It's About Time | May 27- 28](#)



[Register Soon: Summer 2021 UCI Brain Camp will be held July 19 - July 30](#)



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[We Have All Hit a Wall featuring CNLM](#)



[Q&A with CNLM Co-Director Dr. Sunil Gandhi](#)



[Dementia Diagnoses Lag in Ethnic and Racial Groups, featuring CNLM Fellow, Claudia Kawas](#)



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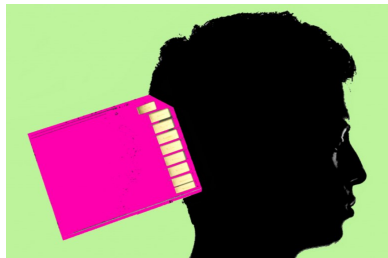
[Panelists Discuss Consciousness During the UCI Brain Dialogue Series](#)



[CNLM Fellow, Tallie Z. Baram, MD, PhD, Announced New Donald Bren Professor in the UCI School of Medicine](#)



[Why You Should Make 2021 the Year of Prioritizing Sleep, featuring CNLM Fellow, Dr. Ruth Benca](#)



[Total Recall: What It's Like To Remember Every Day Like It Was Yesterday, featuring CNLM Founder, Dr. James McGaugh](#)



[Late-Stage Pandemic is Messing With Your Brain featuring CNLM Co-Director, Michael Yassa](#)

## Upcoming Events

May 18, 2021  
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**2021 CNLM Virtual Awards Ceremony**  
Join the Center for the Neurobiology of Learning and Memory (CNLM) for the 2021 CNLM Awards Ceremony. The CNLM offers awards to exceptional postdoctoral researchers, graduate trainees, and undergraduate students. Awardees will be presented with a plaque and \$1,000 stipend and will be invited to present their work.

in brief Elevator Pitch format to the UCI academic community and the public at our annual CNLM Awards Ceremony.

[Find Out More](#) and [RSVP](#)

May 27 & 28, 2021  
9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Memory: It's About Time Virtual Conference**

Memories are the record of our experiences, but they also shape them. We now know that memory recall is a fundamentally constructive process, reassembling multiple views of past experience to interpret the present and imagine the future. The three symposia for this year's Learning and Memory meeting will examine recent and ongoing research building this new, dynamic, multi-scale understanding of memory.

[Find Out More](#) and [Register](#)

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## **We're Social!**

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