## Apply to Attend! Joint AGS/NIA Conference "Stress Tests and Biomarkers of Resilience"

We are excited to announce that the second R13 Bedside-to-Bench conference in a three-part series, "Stress Tests and Biomarkers of Resilience," will be held at the Hyatt Regency in Bethesda, MD from Monday, March 4 to Tuesday, March 5, 2024 (arrival on Sunday, March 3). A preliminary agenda for the conference can be accessed here.

The conference, sponsored by the National Institute on Aging (NIA) and the American Geriatrics Society (AGS), will plan to dissect the definition of resilience signals and the intricate dynamics of biomarkers of resilience across the three domains (Physical, Cognitive, and Psychosocial). A major goal of this conference series is to define gaps and opportunities and to prioritize key questions for future research. We aim to assemble a diverse group of thought leaders and rising stars who bring unique perspectives and insights to the topic at hand.

The application for the conference is now available and can be accessed <u>HERE</u>. Applications are due by <u>Friday</u>, <u>December 15</u>, and applicants will be notified if they are invited to participate by the first week in January 2024. Please review the following eligibility criteria before applying.

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- 1. At least 1-2 years of research experience in a related field.
- 2. Hold a doctorate-level degree (e.g., MD/DO, PhD, PharmD, DPT, etc.)
- 3. Have an academic appointment as a research fellow, instructor or faculty member.

A special thank you goes out to the Conference Program Committee Co-Chairs, Drs. Cathleen Colon-Emeric, and all Conference Program Committee members for the generous amounts of time and resources each has contributed to this conference.

If you are interested in participating or learning more about the conference please contact Erin Obrusniak, Assistant Director ADGAP & Special Projects at <a href="mailto:eobrusniak@americangeriatrics.org">eobrusniak@americangeriatrics.org</a> or 212-308-1414.

Scan the code to apply now!



Please note, this conference will take place in-person only.