

## Weill Cornell in the News

The work and achievements of Weill Cornell faculty and students are frequently featured in the news. Weill Cornell faculty are often called upon for expert commentary. Below is a listing of the broadcast, print and online media — in alphabetical order by media outlet — that reference their accomplishments. The listing incorporates information from March 16 through March 27, 2009.

### **BROADCAST MEDIA**

<b>ABC Good Morning America</b> WAPT-TV (Mississippi)	Dr. Allyson Ocean	The benefits of transnasal esophagoscopy for diagnosing esophageal cancer
<b>ABC Good Morning America</b> <b>ABC World News Now</b> WABC-TV	Dr. Jamshid Ghajar	Head trauma (engendered by death of actress Natasha Richardson)
<b>CBS Evening News</b> <b>CBS Early Show</b> Fox-5	Dr. Philip Stieg	Head trauma (engendered by death of actress Natasha Richardson)
<b>Fox-5</b>	Dr. Rache Simmons	Importance of MRI in breast cancer detection
<b>Fox News</b>	Dr. Isadore Rosenfeld	Sunday "Housecalls" Q&A
<b>KSTP-TV</b> <b>Plus 5 Fox affiliate stations</b>	Dr. Marc Goldstein	Increase in vasectomies correlates with the recession; engendered by article by Health Day News
<b>NBC Nightly News</b> <b>Plus 10 NBC affiliate stations</b>	Dr. Steven J. Corwin Dr. Gregory Kerr Vicky Sepulveda (medical records) Catherine Kissane, R.N.	The benefits of electronic patient records and the challenges hospitals face with the implementation and adoption of health information technology
<b>NBC Today Show</b> <b>CNBC</b> <b>WNBC-TV</b> <b>Plus 9 NBC affiliate stations</b>	Dr. Louis Aronne	Benefits and drawbacks of weight-loss medication

<b>WCBS-TV Plus 10 CBS affiliate stations KCSN Radio</b>	Dr. Sandy Saintonge Dr. Linda Gerber Dr. Heejung Bang	1 in 7 U.S. teens are vitamin D deficient; Drs. Saintonge, Gerber and Bang's study published in the journal Pediatrics and presented at the Pediatric Academic Societies' annual meeting; engendered by press release
<b>WCBS-TV</b>	Dr. Felice Schnoll-Sussman	Colon Cancer Awareness Month and New York-Presbyterian/Weill Cornell's Jay Monahan Center for Gastrointestinal Health
<b>WCBS-TV</b>	Dr. Zev Rosenwaks	Latest infertility treatments
<b>WCBS-TV NY1</b>	Dr. Joel Stein Lisa Finnen, P.T.	Myomo arm brace for stroke rehab (engendered by press release)
<b>WCBS-TV Plus 5 CBS affiliate stations</b>	Dr. E. Darracott Vaughan	Benefits of taking Finasteride to help prevent prostate cancer
<b>WKRQ-TV (CBS Florida) Plus 14 CBS affiliate stations</b>	Dr. Alan Manevitz	Managing fibromyalgia
<b>WNBC-TV</b>	N.A.	"Battle of Bravest" — New York Fire Fighters Burn Center Foundation's participation in a charity concert to raise money for The Hearst Burn Center
<b>WOR Radio</b>	Dr. Jason Spector Dr. Leon Bellan	Drs. Spector and Bellan's research uses crystalline sugar — cotton candy — to shuttle nutrition-rich blood between the body's natural tissue and an artificial graft (engendered by Science Brief)
<b>WSAZ-TV (NBC West Virginia)</b>	Dr. Barbara Milrod	Recognizing and treating panic attacks

## **PRINT MEDIA**

<b>AARP Magazine</b>	N.A.	AARP ranks New York-Presbyterian as one of the nation's top nine hospitals for heart patients
<b>Bottom Line/Health</b>	Dr. David Sherr	Radiation before surgery improves pancreatic cancer outcomes (Dr. Sherr's Nov. 15, 2008, study in the International Journal of Radiation Oncology, Biology and Physics; engendered by press release)
<b>Daily News New York Post</b>	Dr. Philip Stieg	Head trauma (engendered by death of actress Natasha Richardson)
<b>Daily News</b>	Dr. Rock Positano Dr. Josh Dines	Drs. Positano and Dines' weekly column, "X-Ray Vision"
<b>Glamour</b>	Dr. Anjali Dahiya	Cosmetic treatments for burn scars
<b>Gulf Times</b>	Dr. Maya Hammoud Dr. Ziad Kronfol Dr. Bakr Nour Dr. Basim Uthman	Weill Cornell Medical College in Qatar launches "Medicine and U" lecture series featuring Drs. Hammoud, Kronfol, Nour and Uthman
<b>Gulf Times</b>	N.A.	WCMC-Q's Match Day for 2009 class
<b>Gulf Times</b>	N.A.	Stem cell study discussion at WCMC-Qatar
<b>HealthDay News</b>	Dr. Richard A. Friedman	Dangers of narcolepsy drug being addictive
<b>InStyle</b>	Dr. Robin Kalish	Hair dye and pregnancy
<b>Los Angeles Times</b>	Dr. Joan G. Jones Dr. Brian D. Robinson	Test may help diagnose breast cancer metastasis; Drs. Jones and Robinson's study in Clinical Cancer Research (engendered by a press release)

<b>New Jersey Star-Ledger</b>	Dr. Sandip Kapur Dr. Joseph Del Pizzo Dr. David Leaser Dr. Jose Figueiro	Six-way multicenter kidney swap including Newark, Beth Israel and St. Barnabas
<b>New York Post</b>	Dr. Louis Aronne	Dr. Aronne's new book, "The Skinny on Losing Weight Without Being Hungry"
<b>The New York Times</b>	Dr. Richard A. Friedman	How to train confident medical students
<b>The New York Times "Science Times"</b>	Dr. Michael Stewart	Why people's voices become hoarse when they have a cold
<b>Newsweek</b>	Dr. Joseph Fins	Ethics of assisted-suicide groups; engendered by arrest of "Last Exit Network" member who assisted in suicide of Georgia man
<b>The Peninsula</b>	N.A.	WCMC-Q announces award-winning essays written by its medical students
<b>The Peninsula</b>	N.A.	WCMC-Qatar students participate in World Kidney Day pledging to donate their kidneys
<b>The Peninsula</b>	N.A.	Four WCMC-Qatar medical students among the top finalists of the first Undergraduate Research Experience Programme Competition
<b>Psychiatric Times</b>	Dr. Andrew Leon	Use of imaging and biomarkers in psychiatric research
<b>UPMC Center for Civilian Biodefense</b>	Dr. Nathaniel Hupert	Dr. Hupert has been named director of the new Preparedness Modeling Unit at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

<p><b>USA Today</b>  <b>Food Nutrition &amp; Science</b>  (Lempert Report)  <b>Cornell Daily Sun</b>  <b>Kansas City Infozine</b></p>	<p>Dr. Sandy Saintonge  Dr. Linda Gerber  Dr. Heejung Bang</p>	<p>1 in 7 U.S. teens are vitamin D deficient; Drs. Saintonge, Gerber and Bang's study published in the journal Pediatrics and presented at the Pediatric Academic Societies' annual meeting; engendered by press release</p>
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<p><b>Woman's Day magazine</b></p>	<p>Dr. Susan Evans</p>	<p>Stress reduction tips to reduce back pain</p>
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**ONLINE MEDIA**

<p><b>ABCNews.go.com</b></p>	<p>Dr. Allyson Ocean</p>	<p>The benefits of transnasal esophagoscopy for diagnosing esophageal cancer</p>
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<p><b>BaselineMag.com</b></p>	<p>Dr. Herbert Pardes</p>	<p>NYP's successful combination of business and technology</p>
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<p><b>CBS4.com</b>  <b>KDKA.com</b></p>	<p>Dr. Alan Manevitz</p>	<p>Managing fibromyalgia</p>
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<p><b>CNN.com</b></p>	<p>Dr. Philip Stieg</p>	<p>Head trauma (engendered by death of actress Natasha Richardson)</p>
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<p><b>Examiner.com</b></p>	<p>Dr. Neil Harrison</p>	<p>Safety of taurine energy drinks; engendered by article in Men's Health</p>
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<p><b>FierceHealthIT.com</b></p>	<p>Dr. Rainu Kaushal  Dr. Lisa Kern</p>	<p>New York state health IT strategy may be model for the nation (Drs. Kaushal and Kern's study in March 10 issue of Health Affairs; engendered by press release)</p>
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<p><b>FoxBusiness.com</b></p>	<p>N.A.</p>	<p>AARP ranks New York-Presbyterian as one of the nation's top nine hospitals for heart patients</p>
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<p><b>HealthandAge.com</b></p>	<p>N.A.</p>	<p>Research done at NYP/Weill Cornell on benefits of aspirin for heart patients</p>
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<b>HealthNewsDigest.com</b> <b>LittleAbout.com</b>	Dr. James Bussel	Use of eltrombopag drug to treat chronic immune thrombocytopenic purpura (ITP); Dr. Bussel's study published in Lancet (engendered by press release)
<b>MSN.com</b>	Dr. Spyros Mezitis	Diabetes risk factors
<b>MSNBC.MSN.com</b>	Dr. Steven J. Corwin Dr. Gregory Kerr Vicky Sepulveda (medical records) Catherine Kissane, R.N.	The benefits of electronic patient records and the challenges hospitals face with the implementation and adoption of health information technology
<b>News10Now.com</b>	Dr. Anne Moscona	Tamiflu
<b>NYrej.com</b>	N.A.	WCMC's new lab building on 61 <sup>st</sup> Street
<b>NYTimes.com (video)</b>	Dr. Ash Tewari	Robotic surgery for the treatment of prostate cancer
<b>PersonalLibertyDigest.com</b>	Dr. Sandy Saintonge Dr. Linda Gerber Dr. Heejung Bang	1 in 7 U.S. teens are vitamin D deficient; Drs. Saintonge, Gerber and Bang's study published in the journal Pediatrics and presented at the Pediatric Academic Societies' annual meeting; engendered by press release
<b>Physorg.com</b> <b>OneMedPlace.com</b>	Dr. Joan G. Jones Dr. Brian D. Robinson	Test may help diagnose breast cancer metastasis; Drs. Jones and Robinson's study in Clinical Cancer Research (engendered by a press release)
<b>ScienceNews.org</b>	Dr. Manikkam Suthanthiran	Discovery of six microRNAs that could distinguish healthy kidneys from those in rejection; Dr. Suthanthiran's study published in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences
<b>USNews.com</b> <b>HealthDayNews.com</b>	Dr. Marc Goldstien	Increase in vasectomies correlates with the recession

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