



## **DRC-NORC ANNUAL RETREAT**

UW South Lake Union Campus  
Orin Smith Auditorium, 850 Republican Street, Seattle, WA 98109

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2017

Please register so we can order enough food:

<https://catalyst.uw.edu/webq/survey/habbes/341995>

- 8:30 am Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 am Opening Remarks and Morning Session Chair:  
**Sakeneh Zraika, PhD**, Director, DRC Pilot and Feasibility Program
- 9:05 am **Neal Paragas, PhD**, Research Assistant Professor, Nephrology (DRC P&F)  
*Non-Invasive Monitoring of Diabetic Nephropathy*
- 9:35 am **Michael Ailion, PhD**, Assistant Professor, Biochemistry (DRC P&F)  
*Proteins Required for Insulin Secretory Granule Biogenesis*
- 10:05 am **Paige Wartko, MPH**, PhD Candidate, Epidemiology (Stroum)  
*Association of Antidepressant Medication Use During Pregnancy and Perinatal Outcomes, Including Gestational Diabetes, Gestational Weight Gain, and Birth Weight*
- 10:35 am Break
- 10:50 am **DRC/NORC Rising Star Presentation**  
**Sakeneh Zraika, PhD**, Research Associate Professor of Medicine, Metabolism  
*Neprilysin Inhibitors in Type 2 Diabetes: A Case of Old Dog, New Tricks*
- 11:35 am **Steven Kahn, MB, ChB, Michael Schwartz, MD and Stephanie Page, MD**  
*Updates on the DRC, NORC and UW Medicine Diabetes Institute*
- 12:15 pm Lunch
- Afternoon Session Chair: **Rebecca Hull, PhD**, Director, DRC Enrichment Program
- 1:45 pm **Mauricio Dorfman, PhD**, Research Assistant Professor, Metabolism (NORC P&F)  
*Role of CX3CL1-CX3CR1 Signaling in Diet-Induced Obesity*
- 2:15 pm **Jenny Kanter, PhD**, Research Assistant Professor, Metabolism (DRC P&F)  
*Myeloid Cell Production of Versican and Atherosclerosis in Diabetes*
- 2:45 pm Break
- 3:00 pm **DRC/NORC State-of-the-Art Presentation**  
**Lori Sussel, PhD**, Professor of Pediatrics and Cell & Developmental Biology  
Sissel and Findlow Stem Cell Chair  
Barbara Davis Center for Diabetes  
University of Colorado, Denver  
*Regulation of Pancreatic Islet Cells*

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UW Medicine Diabetes Institute, and Pacific Northwest Diabetes Research Institute**