PHARM 579

**CURRENT TOPICS**

**The COVID-19 Pandemic: An Update on Science, Vaccines and Public Health**

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| Date | Topic | Session Lead |
| Oct 5 | Course Introduction:  The Basics and Origins of SARS-CoV-2 | Doug Black, PharmD  Sean D. Sullivan, PhD  (**Hybrid**) |
| Oct 12 | Changing Epidemiology of SARS-CoV2 and COVID | Janet Baseman, PhD, MPH  Professor, Epidemiology  (**Virtual**) |
| Oct 19 | Impact on Hospitals, Health Care Workers and the Health Care System | Tim Dellit, MD  Professor and Chief Medical Officer, UW Medicine  (**Virtual**) |
| Oct 26 | COVID-19 Therapeutics: An Update | Rupali Jain, PharmD, FIDSA  Antimicrobial Steward and Clinical Professor, UW Medicine  (**Virtual**) |
| Nov 2 | Update on Vaccines, Variant Coverage,  and Booster Shots | Deb Fuller, PhD  Professor, Microbiology  (**Virtual**) |
| Nov 9 | Addressing Misinformation and Vaccine Hesitancy:  A Q/A session with Jessica Malaty Rivera | Jessica Malaty Rivera, MS  Science Communication Lead  The COVID Tracking Project  (**Virtual**) |
| Nov 16 | A Global Vaccination Strategy | Andy Stergachis, PhD  Professor, Pharmacy and Epidemiology  (**Virtual**) |
| Nov 23 | No class – Thanksgiving Week |  |
| Nov 30 | What COVID has Taught Me | Michael Saag, MD  Professor and Director, Division of Infectious Disease, UAB  (**Virtual**) |
| Dec 7 | When Will the Pandemic End? | Hilary Godwin, PhD Professor and Dean,  School of Public Health  (**Hybrid**) |