



***USF Health Gonzmart Keynote Lecture***  
***Translational Research in Alzheimer's Disease:***  
***Strategies for Diagnosis, Treatment, and Prevention***  
Thursday, March 24, 2011  
Tampa Bay History Center

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**Steven T. DeKosky, MD** is the James Carroll Flippin Professor of Medical Science and Vice President and Dean of the University of Virginia School of Medicine. From 2000 to 2008, he was Professor and Chair of the Department of Neurology at the University of Pittsburgh. His basic research centers on structural and neurochemical changes in human brains in normal aging and dementia and effects of traumatic brain injury on risk of Alzheimer's disease. His clinical research has centered on understanding the genetics, neuropsychiatric symptoms and treatment and prevention of AD, and he was a Principal Investigator in the clinical application of the amyloid-imaging agent Pittsburgh Compound B (PiB).



He has served on and led numerous NIH review and advisory committees, and taught and mentored in clinical research training programs sponsored by the NIA and NINDS. He is a former member and current consultant of the FDA's Peripheral and Central Nervous System Drugs Advisory Committee. In 2010, was appointed to the National Advisory Council of the National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine (NCCAM) of the NIH.

Dr. DeKosky has served as Chair of the Section on Geriatrics of the AAN and chaired the AAN Practice Parameters Committee for Early Detection, Diagnosis and Management of Dementia. He is currently Vice President of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology and President of the ABPN's Neurology Council.

Dr. DeKosky has received the Rita Hayworth Award from the Alzheimer's Association and the Ronald and Nancy Reagan Research Institute Award for his contributions to research and advocacy on behalf of people with Alzheimer's disease and their families. In 2008, he received the Zaven Khachaturian Award for his contributions to the field of Alzheimer's disease research. He has testified multiple times before US Senate Committees for greater research funding for Alzheimer's disease and has met with government officials in other countries as a consultant and advocate for programs and support for people with dementia. He has received a Teacher Investigator Development Award from the NINDS, the Presidential Award of the American Neurological Association, and is listed in "The Best Doctors in America" and "America's Top Doctors." He has published over 250 peer-reviewed articles and book chapters. He serves on the editorial boards of six of the leading neurology and Alzheimer's clinical publications and is a journal reviewer for another 20 clinical journals. Dr. DeKosky is a frequent commentator on Alzheimer's disease and brain aging for the press.

## **INFORMATION & REGISTRATION**

Please visit [www.cme.hsc.usf.edu](http://www.cme.hsc.usf.edu) for full information and registration (select 'Course Calendar,' then 'March 2011'). **Seating is limited – register early!** There is no fee to attend.

## AGENDA

- 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Meet & Greet Reception
- 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM Program
- 8:00 PM – 8:30 PM Q&A and Audience Interaction

## LOCATION



### Tampa Bay History Center

801 Old Water Street (formerly St. Pete Times Forum Drive)

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### Parking & Directions

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