Naima Moustaid-Moussa, Ph.D. FTOS, FAHA

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA:

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Citizenship:	U.S.A
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EDUCATION:

1989	Ph.D. Endocrinology (Metabolic, Cell and Molecular) University of Paris VI (P & M Curie). France
1986	D.E.A. (Diplome Etudes Approfondies) Equivalent to MS, Endocrinology University of Paris VI (P & M Curie). France
1985	License & Maitrise (B.S). Cell Biology & Physiology University of Paris XI, Orsay, France
1983	DEUG. Biology & Geology (University Diploma) University Mohammed V, Rabat. Morocco

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2019-	**Director**, Obesity Research Institute (ORI), formerly, Obesity Research Cluster, Texas Tech University (TTU)
2018-	**Honorary Professor**, Zhejiang Chinese Medical University
2016-	**Adjunct Professor**, Department of Plant & Soil Science, Texas Tech University (TTU)
2013-	**Founding Director**, Obesity Research Cluster (ORC), (Now ORI), TTU, Lubbock, TX *"Leadership and coordination of an interdisciplinary research cluster focused on translational research from basic discoveries to clinical and community prevention. Cluster members include faculty from TTU and TTU Health*

Sciences Center" Funded by the President Cluster Hire Tier 2 (2014-2018) & the College of Human Sciences

2012- **Professor**, (Senior Strategic Hire) Nutritional Sciences
Director, Nutrigenomics, Inflammation and Obesity Research Laboratory
"Primary research areas: Role of adipose tissue endocrine function in inflammation and metabolic disorders; nutrient-gene interactions; anti-inflammatory effects of plant and food bioactive compounds; genomics, proteomics and metabolomics of obesity and diabetes; animal models and model organisms for human disorders of energy balance; beta cell proteomics and signaling in diabetes; diet, inflammation and obesity-cancer interactions: obesity & bioengineering.
Secondary areas: Prevention of childhood obesity, utilizing innovative and creative programs based on experiential learning; Extension and nutrition education programs for schools

2008-2012 **Professor,** Nutrition and Physiological Genomics. Department of Animal Science (AgResearch) and
Professor, Department of Family and Consumer Sciences (UT Extension). The University of Tennessee (UT) Institute of Agriculture, Knoxville, TN

2007-2012 **Co-Director**, UT Obesity Research Center.
"Center leadership; *primary center contact and center assistant supervision, responsible for center management, budgets and oversight of web site and center grants and listserv announcements; liaison with Deans and Vice President for Research; oversight of Pilot and Feasibility program and center reviews and reports; organization of ORC annual meetings and regular research workshops"*

2003-2007 **Professor,** Molecular and Cellular Nutrition; UT Nutrition Department and TN Agricultural Experiment Station

2003- **Professor (Adjunct)**, Genome Science and Technology (GST) Program, UT-ORNL Graduate School of GST

2004-2005 **Fulbright Scholar** and **Visiting Professor**; The European Institute for Chemistry and Biology and University of Bordeaux, France. *Beta Cell Proteomics and Signaling*

1998-2003 **Associate Professor**, UT Nutrition Department and TN Agricultural Experiment Station, UT-Knoxville

1999-2003 **Associate Professor** (Adjunct), UT-ORNL Graduate school of GST

1993-1998	**Assistant Professor**, UT Nutrition Department and TN Agricultural Experiment Station
1993-1996	**Assistant Professor** (Adjunct), Physiology Program, UT
1989-1993	**Postdoctoral Fellow**, Harvard School of Public Health, Nutrition Department, Boston, MA
1985-1989	**Graduate Student**. Institute Biomedical des Cordeliers, INSERM 177. Nutrition Unit, Paris, France
1986-1989	**Research Technician**. Pharmacology Unit. Biomedical. Institute des Cordeliers. Paris, France
1983-1986	**Research Technician**. Molecular Genetics Center Gif/Yvette. France

HONORS, AWARDS and PATENTS:

2019	American Society for Nutrition (ASN) Program Committee
2019	College of Human Sciences nominee for the Barnie E. Rushing Jr. Faculty Distinguished Research Award
2019	Outstanding Faculty mentor for Undergraduate Research. TTU Center for Transformative Undergraduate Experiences (TrUE)
2018	Honorary Professor, Zhejiang Chinese Medical University
2018	College of Human Sciences nominee for the Faculty Distinguished Leadership Award, TTU
2018	Nancy J Bell. Excellence in Mentoring Award, TTU
2018-2021	Presidential Excellence in Research Professorship, TTU
2018	Invited, One Thousand Talent Program, China (Declined participation)
2016	Co-inventor, U.S. patent # 9,282,747, issued in March 2016 on antimicrobial and anti-inflammatory effects of the bioenergy crop, switchgrass
2016-2022	Appointed Regular Member of the NIH Clinical and Integrative Diabetes and Obesity (CIDO) Study Section
2016-2018	Elected to the Nutritional Sciences Council Governing Committee of ASN (American Society for Nutrition), representing Cell/Molecular Nutrition
2015-2016	American Heart Association (AHA) Leadership Peer Review Steering Committee, representing the AHA Southwest Affiliate
2015	Fellow of the American Heart Association (FAHA), Council of Lifestyle and Cardiometabolic Health
2015	Pfizer Nutritional Sciences Consumer Healthcare Award, sponsored by the American Society for Nutrition
2014-2016	Member, ASN Education & Oversight Committee, representing Nutritional Sciences Council
2013-2015	Chair, American Heart Association Lipids Basic Science Peer Review Committee
2013	Co-inventor, US Patent # 14/079,015: Antimicrobial and anti-inflammatory effects of switchgrass-derived extractives

2012	Nominated for Secretary of The American Society for Nutrition
2012	Outstanding Investigator Award, The American Society for Nutrition, Nutrient-Gene Interactions Research Interest Section,
2012	Nominated for Vice President of The Obesity Society
2011-2013	Co-Chair, American Heart Association Lipids Basic Science Peer Review Committee
2011-	Voting member, AHA Lipids Basic Science Peer Review Committee
2010-11	Participant, LEAD21 Program (Leadership and professional development training for Land Grant Universities)
2010-2013	Elected Council Member of The Obesity Society, representing Basic/Experimental Obesity Researchers (Council liaison for the Basic Science Section, Development Committee and Nominating Committee)
2007	Chancellor's Award for Research and Creative Activity, The University of Tennessee
2007	Invited Professor (March), The University of Bordeaux
2007-	Member, TN Obesity Taskforce (Advisory board charged with development and implementation of the CDC-funded state plan for obesity)
2004-2005	Fulbright Scholar and invited Professor, The University of Bordeaux, France
2002	Co-inventor, US Patent # 6492130. Modulation of the sulfonylurea receptor and calcium in adipocytes for treatment of obesity/diabetes
2001	Co-inventor, US Patent # 6242200: Screening for SUR1 antagonists using adipocytes
2001	Science Alliance Award, University of TN
2001-2005	Established Investigator Award, the American Heart Association
2000	Co-inventor, US Patent # 6100047: Modulation of the sulfonylurea receptor and calcium in adipocyte for treatment of obesity/diabetes
2000	Faculty Enrichment Award for Research, Human Ecology
1998	Among UT Faculty honored by The Vice Chancellor's for Academic Affairs Office for Professional Recognition outside the University
1998	Arch of Achievement Award for Research, Human Ecology
1998	Faculty Enrichment Award for Research, Human Ecology
1996	Fellow of The Obesity Society (FTOS)
1995-1998	Career Development Award, The American Diabetes Association

FUNDING and GRANTS AWARDED

2019-2021 **AHA AIREA Award** Mechanism of curcumin effects on microbiome and inflammation in diet-induced obese mice; Role: Co-I (Total: $154,000)

2019-2022 **USDA-NIFA** Synergistic effects of tart cherry anthocyanins and omega 3 fatty acids in obesity-associated inflammation; Role: PI (Total: $500,000)

2019-2022 **Qatar National Research Fund** (Awarded, Contract Pending) Therapeutic benefits of DNAJB3 in obesity and diabetes. Role: US PI (Total: $699,000 (PI Dehbi); TTU award: $147,000)

2018-2020 **NIH, Administrative Supplement to current NIH R15 award (NIA)**. Protective Effects of fish oil in a Mouse Model of Alzheimer's Disease. Role: PI (Total: $364,000)

2018-2021 **Empirical Foods Inc;** Role: PI. Multidisciplinary project on effects of lean beef proteins on diabetes, obesity and cancer in relevant mouse models (Total: $1,600,000)

2018-2020 **Qatar Biomedical Research Institute/Qatar Foundation**. Heat shock protein DNAJB3 function in diabetes and obesity. Role: US PI (Total: $68,000)

2018-2020 **USDA Postdoctoral Fellowship**. Role: Mentor/Sponsor; applicant: Dr. Mandana Pahlavani (Total: $165,000)

2017-2019 **AHA AIREA Award**. Role: Co-PI; PI: Latha Ramalingam; Maternal dietary obesity and metabolic disorders in offspring (Total: $154,000)

2017-2019 **USDA Pre-doctoral Fellowship.** Role: mentor/sponsor; applicant: PhD candidate Kembra Albracht-Schulte (Total: $95,000)

2016-2020 **NIH/NCCIH- R15**. Anti-obesity effects of omega 3 fatty acids in brown adipose tissue. Role: PI (Total: $434,000)

2015-2017 **USDA-NIFA AFRI**. Exploratory Award. Developing the *C elegans* as a model organism for nutritional studies. Role: Lead PI/PD; Co-PIs: Vanapalli, Blawzdziewicz and Wang (Total: $100,000)

2015-2017 **American River Nutrition, Inc. (ARN)**. Effects of Bioactive Compounds (Tocotrienols and Geranylgeraniol) in Type 2 diabetic animals. Role: Co-PI; Lead PI: Dr. Leslie Shen TTUHSC (Total: $99,000)

2014-2017 **USDA-NIFA AFRI**. Conference Grant; EB Nutri-metabolomics symposium and USDA PD research meetings. Role: PI/PD (Total: $39,000)

2014-2018 **TTU President Cluster Hire (Tier 2) Obesity Research Cluster**; Role: PI

2013-2017 **USDA-NIFA AFRI** Competitive Research Award; Organosolv extractions and value added products from switchgrass. Role: Co-PI; P/PD: Dr. Nicole Labbe, Univ. TN (Total: $500,000)

2013-2016 **AHA Southwest Affiliate**; Grant In Aid; Inactivation of adipocyte angiotensinogen prevents inflammation and insulin resistance. Role: PI (Total: $154,000)

2013-2015 **Sungrant Southeast award (Bioenergy/USDA)**; Extractives in switchgrass: value added products to prevent adipocyte inflammation. Role: Co-PI; Lead PI: Dr. Labbe, Univ. TN (Total: $125,000)

2013 **Office of the Vice President for Research**, **Texas Tech University**; Competitive Stimulus Proposal Funds. Angiotensinogen inactivation prevents inflammation. Role: PI (Total: $10,000)

2013 **Office of the Vice President for Research**, **Texas Tech University**; Competitive Stimulus Proposal Funds; Role: Co-PI; Childhood obesity prevention (Total: $25,000)

2012- **Texas Tech University** (OVPR and COHS) Research Start Up Funds

2008-2013 **USDA NIFA** (CSREES) NRI (AFRI) Competitive Research Award Integrated Research and Extension childhood obesity project. Role: Co-PD; PI/PD: Carol Costello, Univ. TN (Total: $625,000)

2012 **TN AgResearch** Innovative Grant: Mechanisms mediating anti-inflammatory effects of omega 3 polyunsaturated fatty acids. Role: PI (Total: $25,000)

2012-2013 **Physicians Medical Education & Research Foundation** Research Award: Effects of bariatric surgery on adipose tissue and systemic inflammation. Role: PI (Total: $10,000)

2011-2012 **AgResearch and Extension** Innovative Grant: Anti-inflammatory effects of bioactive components of food, metabolic and food borne illnesses. Role: PI (Total: $38,000)

2009-2011 **USDA**-NIFA-AFRI competitive research award Epidemiologic tools to assess obesity-related energy and nutrient intakes. Role: Acting PI (award transfer from Dr. Lisa Jahns after she left the Univ. TN) (Total: $149,000)

2010-2011 **UT Center of Excellence** for Livestock and Human Diseases: Isoflavones and adipocyte inflammation. Role: PI (Total: $15,000)

2011-2013 **Physicians Medical Education & Research Foundation** Research Award: Omega-3 fatty acids and insulin resistance. Role: PI (Total: $9,000)

2009-2011 **Physicians Medical Education & Research Foundation** Research Award: quercetin, adipocyte inflammation and diabetes. Role: Co-PI; PI: Dr. Nalin Siriwardhana, Univ. TN (Total: $10,000)

2009-2010 **USDA**-AFRI Conference Grant, Experimental Biology symposium on “Systems Genetics in Nutrition and Obesity”. Role: PI. (Total: $10,000)

2008-2012 **University of Tennessee**; Obesity Research Center, Organized Research Unit Funding. Role: PI and Co-director (Total: $)

2007-2010 **AHA**, Southeast Affiliate. Mechanisms linking adipocyte angiotensinogen to insulin resistance and inflammation. Role: PI (Total: $155,000)

2005-2010 **USDA**-NRI Competitive Research Grant. Dietary regulation of the secretory function of adipose tissue. Role: PI/PD (Total: $499,000)

2006-2008 **Physicians Medical Education & Research Foundation** Research Grant. Regulation of the renin angiotensin system in obesity and insulin resistance. Role: PI (Total: $10,000)

2004-2005 **Fulbright** (Aquitaine) Scholarship and Visiting Professor, European Institute for Chem/Biol., Bordeaux, France. Beta cell signaling and proteomics and mechanisms of diabetes. Role: PI (Total: €25,000)

2005 **USDA**-NRI Conference Grant, for organizing the FASEB Summer Conference. Nutrient control of gene expression and signaling. Role: PI (Total: $15,000)

2005 **AHA** Conference Grant, FASEB Summer Conference. Nutrient control of gene expression and signaling. Role: PI (Total: $5,000)

2005 NIH Conference grant (R23), FASEB Summer Conference. Nutrient control of gene expression and signaling. Role: Co-I; PI: Howard Towl; Univ. MN (Total: $23,000)

2002-2006 **NIH (NIA U01)**. Screening for aging phenotypes in ENU mutagenized mice. Role: Co-PI on the Aging Supplement (Total award: $5M; Aging award as Co-PI: $400,000)

2001-2006 **AHA**, National Center. Established Investigator Grant. Angiotensin regulation of adipocyte gene expression and signaling. Role: PI (Total: $300,000)

2003-2004 **UT College of Education Health and Human Sciences** Catalyst Grant “proteomics of adipose tissue”. Role; PI (Total: $25,000)

2003 **USDA**-NRI Conference Grant. ASNS Symposium on Improving Human Nutrition through genomics, proteomics and biotechnology). Role: PI (Total: $4,000)

2002-2003 **Physicians Medical Education & Research Foundation** Research Grant: Nutritional regulation of angiotensins. Role: PI (Total: $ 10,000)

2002-2004 **UT**, Two Professional Development Awards. Role: PI (Total: $5,000)

2001-2002 **Physicians Medical Education and Research Foundation** Research Grant: animal models of the renin angiotensin system. Role: PI (Total: $15,000)

2001-2002 **Center of Excellence in Genomics and Bioinformatics**, **UTHSC**, Research Grant (seed funds), "Genomics and proteomics of obesity, diabetes and CVD". Role: PI (Total: $25,000)

1999-2001 **AHA**, Grant In Aid, Southern Affiliate' Angiotensin regulation of leptin: role of prostaglandins. Role: PI (Total: $70,000)

1998-2002 **USDA**-NRI Competitive Research Grant. Nutritional regulation of the human fatty acid synthase gene. Role: PI (Total: 180,000)

1999-2000 **Physicians Medical Education and Research Foundation**; two-research grants (PI): Angiotensin-leptin interactions (Total: $20,000)

1997-1999 **Knoll Pharmaceuticals**. Agouti-Insulin interactions in obesity. Role: Co-PI (Total: $242,000)

1997-1999 **American Heart Association** Grant In Aid, TN Affiliate. Angiotensin regulation of adipocyte gene expression. Role: PI (Total: $50,000)

1997-1998 **Plastic Surgery Division**, **UT Medical Center**; Two Research Grant: Human adipose tissue metabolism and gene expression. Role: PI (Total: $10,000)

1995-1998 **The American Diabetes Association** Career Development Award: Cloning and insulin regulation and the adipocyte fatty acid synthase gene. Role: PI (Total: $225,000)

1995-1996 **New Foundation for Diabetes** Research Award: Insulin regulation of human adipocyte gene transcription. Role: PI (Total: $15,000)

1995-1998 **Physicians Medical Education and Research Foundation** Three-Research Grants. Expression and regulation of the renin angiotensin system in adipose tissue in obesity and diabetes: human and animal models. Role: PI ($30,000)

1994-1995 **University of Tennessee**, Professional Development Award. Role: PI (Total: $5,000)

Undergraduate, Graduate and Postdoctoral Funding:

1993-1994 Postdoctoral Fellowship from the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation (second year funding declined when I moved into a tenure-track faculty position). Insulin regulation of metabolic gene transcription

1991-1993 Postdoctoral Fellowship from Juvenile Diabetes Foundation. Insulin regulation of metabolic gene transcription

1988-1989 Research Grant from "Group Lipid Nutrition". Development of human adipocyte cell culture models. Paris, France

1980-1989 Scholarship for undergrad and graduate education from the Ministry of National Education, Morocco

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

ASN (American Society for Nutrition)

The Obesity Society, TOS (Formerly NAASO)
AHA (American Heart Association)
The Biochemical Society, not current
AAAS (American Association for the Advancement of Science), not current
ADA (American Diabetes Association), not current

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

JOURNALS EDITORIAL BOARDS

2017-2018	Guest Editorial Board, Mediators of Inflammation Special Issue
2011-	Journal of Nutritional Biochemistry
2011-	Frontiers in Nutrigenomics Frontiers in Fatty Acid and Lipid Physiology
2011-	J Metabolic Syndrome
2005- 2008	Adipocytes, International Journal; Editorial Board
1997- 2009	Biochemical Journal Editorial Advisory Board
1996	Guest Editorial Board, special issue of Nutrition in the American Journal for Health Studies

BOOKS EDITED:

Marcel Dekker: Genomics and Proteomics in Nutrition. Co-edited with Dr. Carolyn Berdanier, August 2004
CRS Press: Nutrient-Gene Interactions in Health and Disease, CRC Press Co-edited with Dr. Carolyn Berdanier, June 2001

GRANT REVIEW COMMITTEES:

2016-2022	**Regular Member, NIH, Cellular Integrative Diabetes and Obesity study section**
2016	Peer reviewer, NIH NIDDK Molecular and Cellular Endocrinology (MCE) Study Section
2015	Peer, Reviewer, NIH NIDDK P01 program study section
2015	Peer Reviewer, Ohio State University; SEEDS: OARDC Research Enhancement Competitive Grants Program proposal
2015	Univ. Washington St Louis, Peer reviewer, Pilot & Feasibility grant, Diabetes Research Center
2013-2015	**Chair, AHA Lipids Basic Science Peer Review Committee**
2013	Reviewer, Wellcome Trust Research Awards, UK
2012	Reviewer, Dutch Diabetes Research Foundation, Diabetes Fonds Projects, Netherlands
2012-2013	AHA, Co-Chair, “Lipids Basic Science” Peer Review Committee
2012	Oak Ridge Associated Universities, Peer reviewer, state health departments research programs
2011-	AHA, “Lipids” PeerReview Committee (National and affiliates)
2010	NIH, P01 Energy Balance Program Study Section
2009	NIH, NRSA (F31/F32) Diversity Fellowship Study Section

2007-2009	Fulbright (Europe) Peer Review Committee
12/2007	NIH, ONRC (Obesity Nutrition Research Centers) Study Section
07/2007	NIH, NRSA (F31/F32) Fellowship Study Section
02/2007	NIH, CNRU (Clinical Nutrition Research Units) Study Section
10/2005	NIH, CNRU Study Section
06/2004	NIH, IPOD (Integrative Physiology of Obesity/Diabetes) Section
02/2004	NIH, Nutrition Study Section
10/2003	NIH, Nutrition Study Section
10/2003	USDA-ARS, Pediatric Nutrition Center Review Panel
07/2002	NIH, NRSA (F31) Fellowship Study Section
1997-	USDA-NRI Ad Hoc Grant reviewer
1996-1997	AHA Grant review committee, Tennessee Affiliate

OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

2019	External Reviewer, Tenure, Indiana U School of Public Health
2019	External Reviewer, Tenure, University of NC-Chapel Hill, Nutrition
2018	Co-organizer and co-chair, Symposium on ***Immunometabolism and Obesity***; Nutrition 2018 Annual Meeting of the American Society for Nutrition, Boston, MA, June 2018
2018	External Reviewer for Promotion & Tenure, University of CT.
2018	External Reviewer, Oak Ridge Associated Universities (FL)
2017	External Reviewer, Gordon Research Conference on Metabolomics and Human Health
2015	External Reviewer for Promotion & Tenure, University of Ark.
2015	External Reviewer for Promotion & Tenure, McMaster University, Canada
2015	External Reviewer for Promotion & Tenure, University NV, Reno
2014-2017	The Obesity Society (TOS), Public Affairs Committee Member
2014	External Reviewer for Promotion & Tenure, Southern IL University
2012	AHA, Research & Scientific Classification Subcommittee
2010-2013	The Obesity Society Council Member representing basic obesity Research (also serves as council liaison to Basic Science Section, Development Committee and Awards Committee)
2007-	Advisory Board, ASN's Nutrient-Gene Interactions Research Interest Section
2007-2008	American Society for Nutrition (ASN) Young Investigators Awards Committee
2006	ASN, Predoctoral Fellowships Committee
2003-2007	Steering Committee, FASEB Summer Conference on Nutrient-Gene Interactions
2005	Co-organizer of the FASEB summer conference on Nutrient Control of Gene Expression and Signaling, held in July 2005 at Omni resort, Arizona
2004	FASEB summer conference on Obesity; GA; session chair
2003	FASEB summer conference on Molecular Nutrition; Snowmass Colorado; organizing committee and session chair; 08/03
2003	63rd American Diabetes Association scientific meeting, adipocyte session chair
2003	Invited participant, National Academies workshop on Foods and Health (Organized by The Board on Agriculture)
2003	Discussion co-leader, NIH Office of Dietary Supplements Strategic Planning Meeting for 2004-2005
2003	Symposium co-Organizer for the American Society Nutritional Sciences. (ASNS), Experimental Biology (EB); Improving Human Nutrition through genomics, proteomics and biotechnology)
2002	Session co-chair; International Congress on Obesity Brazil
2000-2001	Chair, ASNS Nutrient-Gene Interactions Research Interest

	Section
2001	Co-chair, Nutrition and genomics symposium at EB 2001
2000	Organizer, Symposium on adipocyte differentiation and metabolism, sponsored by ASNS, EB 2000
1998-2000	Secretary, ASNS Nutrient-Gene Interaction Research Interest Section
1998-2000	Program Planning Committee, ASNS
1999	FASEB (EB, Washington DC): Co-chair, Minisymposium on fatty acids and gene expression
1998	Adipose cell biology section advisory committee, 8th International Congress on Obesity, August 1998
1998	Session chair, International Congress on Obesity, 08/98
1997	Session chair, NAASO, Breckenridge, Co, 10/97
1997	Session chair, Southeastern Lipid Conference, 10/97

INSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEES:

2018	Chair, Third Year Review, Promotion & Tenure Committee, Department of Nutritional Sciences, TTU
2018	Member, Women's Mentoring group (Mentored two graduate students from the College of Human Sciences and the College of Education
2017	External Reviewer, Post-tenure Review for 3 faculty, College of Human Sciences (PFP)
2016	External Reviewer, Post-tenure Review, College of Human Sciences (HDFS)
2015-2017	TTU College of Human Sciences Faculty Council
2015	External Reviewer, Post-tenure Review, College of Human Sciences (HDFS)
2016	Chair, Post-tenure Review Committee, Department of Nutritional Sciences, TTU
2013-	Chair, Obesity Research Cluster Advisory Chair, Executive Committee
2015-2017	Member, Faculty Search Committees, Nutritional Sciences
2012-2013	Chair, TTU Nutritional Sciences Faculty Search Committee
2011-2012	University of Tennessee (UT) College of Veterinary Medicine, Search Committee for Research Dean
2011-2012	Coordinator II Search Committee, Office of Sponsored Research Search Committee; UT Institute of Agriculture
2011	Chair, Enhanced Retention Review Committee for an Animal Science tenure-track (Extension) Faculty
2010-2012	Chair, Human Subjects Committee, Animal Science
2011	University of Tennessee Institute of Agriculture Chancellor's Search Committee
2010	Department Head, UT Animal Science search committee

2010	Promotion and Tenure Committee, UT Institute of Agriculture
2010	Retention review committee for a tenure-track faculty in UT Animal Science
2010-2011	Search Committee, Three coordinator positions for the UTIA Office of Sponsored Research
2009-2010	Faculty Search Committee (Dairy Research and Extension), UT Animal Science
2010	Member of Program Review Committee for UT Department of Biochemistry, Cell and molecular Biology (BCMB)
2008-2010	Development Committee, UT Animal Science Department
2007-2009	Chair, UT-ORNL Genome Science & Technology (GST) Advising Committee
2007	Cumulative Review Committee, UT College of Education, Health and Human Sciences (Post-tenure review of a faculty member)
2007	Faculty Search Committee, Exercise, Sports and Leisure Studies
2007	Beckman Young Proposals review committee, UT Office of Research
2006-2007	Chair, Department of Nutrition Promotion and Tenure Committee.
2006-2007	Faculty Search Committee, Exercise, Sports and Leisure Studies
2006-2007	Faculty Search Committee, BCMB Department
2005-2007	Member, UT College of Education, Health and Human Sciences, International and Intercultural Council
2005-2007	Member, UT College of Education, Health and Human Sciences, Promotion and Tenure Committee
2004	Search committee for UT Dean of the College of Education, Health and Human Sciences (CEHHS)
2006	Faculty Search Committee (Molecular Nutrition), UT Nutrition Department
2006	Faculty Search Committee, UT BCMB Department
2004	Faculty Search Committee, UT Exercise Science/Epidemiology
2001-2004	University of Tennessee Graduate Council
2001-2004	University of Tennessee Graduate Curriculum Committee
2003	Faculty Search Committee, UT Nutrition Department
2003-2005	Steering Committee, Tennessee Mouse Genome Consortium
2001-2004	Chair, GST (Genome Science and Technology Student Affairs Committee
2001-2009	GST Steering Committee
1999-2004	Nutrition Department Graduate and Human Subjects Committee
2002	Search Committee, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) Coordinator
2002	CEHHS, Bylaws Committee
2001	GST Retreat Committee
2001	Chair, Tenure-Track Faculty Search Committee (led to hiring two faculty), Nutrition Department.

2000 Functional Genomics Interdisciplinary Committee
1998-2003 Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) Member
1995-1996 ACC (All College Council) Member, UT, Human Ecology

TEACHING (Excluding theses and dissertations):

Texas Tech University

Nutritional Sciences (NS) Graduate Seminar and Obesity Research Seminar
NS (Graduate) Chronic Diseases (Obesity and Diabetes)
NS (Graduate) Special topics in Molecular Nutrition – Graduate, NS 5000 and NS 7000 (Topics covered include nutrient-gene interactions; bariatric surgery and adipocyte inflammation, bioactive food components, genomics and proteomics, model organisms and other related topics)
NS Independent Study (NS 4000) – Undergraduate Research Titled topics
NS Grant Writing/Responsible Conduct for Research (Advanced Research Methods)
Honors First year Experience (FYE, 2017): Food, Nutrients & Dietary Supplements

University of Tennessee

AS/ES 623 (Graduate- Advanced Topics in Obesity): Topics covered included Adipose Tissue Biology; Dietary Supplements and Bioactive Components of Food; Stress and Brain; Current Topics in Obesity
BCMB 552/AS 556 (Graduate- Physiology of Hormones, section on metabolism and endocrinology of obesity and diabetes; Team Teaching)
Cell Biology and Physiology (BCP), graduate and undergraduate guest lectures, University of Bordeaux 1, France; Guest lectures (2005 and 2007)
Nutrition 310/BCMB 310 (Undergraduate- Biochemistry, Cell and Molecular biology, Physiological Chemistry): Introductory Biochemistry
Nutrition 416: Undergraduate- Clinical Nutrition II
Nutrition 521: Graduate- Physiological Basis for Diet and Disease (Chronic diseases)
Nutrition 511: Graduate- Advanced Physiological Chemistry (section on genetic regulation)
Nutrition 602: Special topic: Graduate- Obesity: nutritional, physiological, biochemical, molecular, genetic and pharmacological aspects
Nutrition 602: Graduate- Special Topic: Nutrient-Gene Interactions in Health and Disease
Nutrition 493/548: Graduate/Undergraduate Directed studies, research projects for undergraduate and Graduate students
Research Project Training for Extension Agents, Univ. TN Extension

Other Academic Mentoring Activities:

Texas Tech University:

Faculty:

Primary mentor for Assistant Professor in Kinesiology, **Dr. Eric Rivas,** 2017-present; also Primary mentor on his K01 NIH Career Award (pending)

Primary mentor for Research Assistant Professor, NS, **Dr. Latha Ramalingam**: 2014-present)

Primary mentor for Research Assistant Professor, NS, **Dr. Iurii Koboziev** (2016- present)

Primary mentor for Senior Research Associate, College of Human Sciences and Adjunct Graduate Faculty in NS, **Dr. Oak-Hee Park** (2017-present)

Postdocs and graduate students:

Faculty mentor for the Graduate and Post-Doc Women Mentoring Program (2018) mentored doctoral students from Human Sciences, Biological Sciences and Education)

Postdoctoral Researcher (**Dr. Mandana Pahlavani**), who was awarded a USDA NIFA Postdoctoral Fellowship (2018-20); Role: Mentor/Sponsor

Graduate student (**Kembra Albracht-Schulte**) was awarded a USDA NIFA Predoctoral Fellowship (2017-19); Role: Mentor/Sponsor

Undergraduate students:

Mentor for Honors, PI^2 and other undergraduates and medical students (NS, Biology, Biochemistry, Kinesiology, Human Sciences, TTUHSC SOM)

Mentor, Summer intern from University of Texas Austin, funded in part by TTU Office of Institutional Diversity (2016)

Exchange students (n=4) from the Univ. Paris (MS 1st year): Summer 2013 & 2014

Exchange student from TX, PR, MS, LA (5 undergraduates): Summer Research Institute on Wind, Energy and Medicine (National Wind Research Institute, TTU). Two of these students (**Fitia Razafimanjato** and **Devin Dehle** won the 2014 CASH family Medicine and Science awards, respectively)

TTU Undergraduate students mentored who won national awards (see complete list in next sections):

Samantha Gonzales: FASEB MARC NIH Minority travel award; was a finalist at EB conference; and won first place at the Bioactive Research Interest Section (RIS) Emerging Leaders in Nutrition poster competition, 2017; **Sara Alhaj:** won second place at ASN Bioactive RIS, Emerging Leaders in Nutrition poster competition, 2017; **Boontharick Sopontammarak:** National Undergraduate Conference travel award 2018, completed an NS Honors Thesis, spring 2018

University of Tennessee and Harvard:

Nutrition and BCMB Undergraduate student advising/research
UT-ORNL summer research internship mentor
4H students mentoring sessions
Math Science Regional Center High School student mentoring.
Ronald McNair Post Baccalaureate Achievement Summer Program for Minority
Genome Science and Technology student rotations
Summer Intern, University of LaSalle-Beauvais (School of Agriculture), France
High School senior projects
Back to School Program for high school inner city students (Boston)

POSTDOCS, VISITING SCHOLARS AND RESEARCH FACULTY MENTORED:

1999-2000	Yanxin Wang, Ph.D. Rutgers, Previously Research Assistant Prof, Rutgers. Currently, Statistical Programmer, Novartis
2001-2003	Young-Ran Heo, Ph.D. Chonnam National University, Korea, visiting Postdoc (funded by Korea, KOSEF); currently faculty at Chonnam National University
2001-2003	Sumithra Urs, Ph.D. Mysore Univ. India, currently research scientist, Translational Oncology, University of Michigan
Spring 2006	Mohammad Abidi, M.D. Tunisia, Visiting Scholar. Currently Physician, Tunisia
2005- 2007	Morvarid Soltani-Bejnood, Ph.D., GST, The University of Tennessee (Received in 2007 a poster presentation award from the Nutrient-Gene Interactions Research Interest Section of the American Society for Nutrition). Currently lecturer, University of Tennessee and Pellissippi Community College
2009-2013	Nalin Siriwardhana, Ph.D. Cheju National University, South Korea. Currently R&D Scientist (Vitamin Mineral Supplements) at Reckitt Benckiser
2012-2013	Shaikh M. Rahman, Ph.D. Research Assistant Professor; Ph.D. Japan; currently Assistant Professor at TTU (NS)
2013-2014	Fariba Assadi-Porter, Ph.D. Research Associate Professor
2014-	Latha Ramalingam, Ph.D. was postdoc and now Research Assistant Professor at TTU (NS)
2016-	Iurii (Yuri) Koboziev, Ph.D. Research Assistant Professor (NS)
2017-	Mandana Pahlavani, Ph.D. Now NIFA Postdoctoral Fellow (2018-2020)

RECENT UNDERGRADUATES and ALL GRADUATE STUDENTS:

Medical students (2015): Yao Liu

Summer student (2015):
Kenneth Pham (Clarke Scholar), now undergraduate at Columbia University
Chinasa Anokwuru (Minority visiting student from University of Texas Austin)

Undergraduate students (research):

**Co-authorship in a research paper that is published, submitted or pending submission*

- *Boontharick Sopontammarak (Undergrad Research Scholar & Honors Thesis) 2016-2018 (BS awarded in 2018 with Highest Honors)
- Brennan Mabry, Honors Undergraduate- Human Sciences 2018-
- Savana Wilson, NS 2018-
- *Lexie Harlan, Honors Biology Undergrad Research Scholar; PI^2 Program 2018- Honors Thesis defended May 2019
- Arelys Hernandez, NS, 2018-2019
- Toni Oladute, NS, 2018
- *Emily K Miller, (Honors Biology Undergrad Research Scholar); PI^2 student, 2017- Honors Thesis defended, May 2019
- Alejandra Mera, NS 2018-2019
- Robin Okpara, 2017-2019
- Alexandra S Miranda (Honors Biology), 2017-2019
- Juliana Tovar, NS 2017-2019
- Abigail Jackson (Honors, NS Undergrad Research Scholar), 2017-2018
- *Stephani Clevenger, NS (Terry Scholar), 2017-2019
- *Tochi Eboh, NS 2017-2018 (BS, summer 2018); awarded second place oral presentation at the TTU Undergraduate Research Conference, March 2018
- *Samantha Gonzales (NS, Honors Undergrad Research Scholar & Terry Scholar) 2016-2017. Won FASEB MARC/NIH sponsored travel award for minorities; was finalist at EB conference. Also won first place Bioactive RIS poster award at the Emerging Leaders in Nutrition poster competition, 2017
- *Hussain Abidi, Honors Biology Undergrad Research Scholar, 2016-2017
- Alfred Kankam Honors NS Undergrad Research Scholar, 2016-2017
- *London Allen (Honors Biochemistry Undergrad Research Scholar and Terry Scholar), 2015-2016
- Elizabeth Dameron, NS/Human Sciences, 2015-2016
- *Sara Alhaj; Biology, 2014-2017. Won second place Poster award at the Emerging Leaders in Nutrition poster competition, 2016
- Elise Coleman, NS (Honors Undergrad Research Scholar), 2015-2016
- Tram Dinh, NS (Honors Undergrad Research Scholar), 2015-2016
- *Fitia Razafimanjato, NS (2013-2015); Outstanding Undergraduate Nutrition Science Senior, BS 2015

CURRENT GRADUATE STUDENTS: (MS and PHDs)

- **Amal Bouyanfif**, M.S. PhD candidate (Sum. 2019) in PSS (co-chair), minor in NS
- **Kalhara Menikdewella**, Ph.D. candidate; degree anticipated in Sp. 2020
- **Rasha Fahmida**, Ph.D. candidate; degree anticipated in Fall 2019
- **Shasika Jayarathne**, Ph.D. candidate, degree anticipated in Sp. 2020

- **Tariful Islam**, PhD student, Degree anticipated in 2021-22
- **Chelsi Webster**, PhD student, **Presidential Fellow**; degree anticipated in 2021

PAST GRADUATE STUDENTS:

Brynn Jones (Voy), Ph.D. 1996; Physiology. Associate Professor, The University of Tennessee & Staff Scientist at ORNL, TN
Received several local, regional and national awards including from the Univ. of TN (Science Alliance Award, 1996, travel award 1995), Southeastern Lipid Conference (Founder's Award, 1995), American Physiological Society Student Award (1996).

Kate Claycombe, Ph.D. 1998; Nutrition. Previously Faculty at Michigan State University; currently Acting Research leader & Nutrition Scientist at USDA-ARS, Grand Forks Human Nutrition Research Center, North Dakota.
Received several local, regional and national awards including from the Southeastern Lipid Conference (Founder's Award, 1997), American Society for Nutritional Sciences Student Research Award (1997 and 1998) and a postdoctoral fellowship from the ASNS in 1997. Held Scientist III at the USDA Human Nutrition Research Center, Tufts University at Boston then Assistant Professor Position at Michigan State University before moving to USDA ARS.

Melissa Standridge, MS. 2000; Nutrition. Currently employed as QC and project development staff at Elli Lilly and Company.
Received ASNS student research Award, 1998 and a predoctoral fellowship from ASNS in 1999

Suyeon Kim, MS. 2000; then Ph.D. 2004 in Nutrition. Currently a Research Associate at the University of Pittsburg. Received an ASNS Student Research Award in Experimental Biology, April 2001.

Melissa Derfus, MS. 2002; Nutrition. Dental School, Univ. FL**.** Practicing dentist

Patrick Wortman, MS. 2004; Nutrition. R.D.N. Nutritionist at the Center for Integrative Medicine, Chattanooga, TN

Sarah Fletcher, MS. 2010; Genome Science and Technology (Elected Student Representative for 2007-2008, Nutrient-Gene Research interest Section of the American Society for Nutrition). Physician Assistant, Colorado

Suzanne Booker, MS, 2010 Animal Science. Veterinary Medicine DVM, the University of Melbourne, Australia. Veterinary Practice, NY

Nishan Kalupahana, Ph.D. **2011 Nutritional Sciences**. Currently Chair and Professor, Department of Physiology, School of Medicine at the University of Peradeniya, Sri

Lanka. Completed a postdoc at Saint Jude's Children's Hospital in Memphis in Immunology. Won several university, regional and national awards (including a predoctoral fellowship from the American Heart Association, the American Society for Nutrition (ASN) Graduate Research Award and other ASN-RIS awards, The University of Tennessee Chancellor's award for professional promise, Gamma Sigma Delta and Auburn Boschell Diabetes Symposium awards) and recently a New Faculty Award from the International Association for the Study of Obesity (WorldObesity)

Wenting Xin, M.S. 2012 Animal Science. Won third place for an oral presentation at the Boshell Diabetes Symposium at Auburn, March 2012

Arwa Aljawadi, **M.S. 2013 Nutritional Sciences**. Fulbright scholar. Won in 2014 a poster award from the Nutrient-Gene Interactions research interest section of ASN and is early career representative at the Obesity and Cancer Section of The Obesity Society.

Monique LeMieux, Ph.D. 2015, **TTU Nutritional Sciences** (M.S. in Genome Science & Technology, University of Tennessee, 2012). Currently Assistant professor, Texas Women's University. Served as 2012-2013 graduate student representatives for The Obesity Society. Won several travel awards including FASEB-MARC award to Experimental Biology (EB13) and travel awards to the Institute for Teaching and Mentoring, sponsored by the Compact for Faculty Diversity and the NIH BRIDGEs program. She also won in 2013-14 the Early Career Award from The Obesity Society and the Grand Prize minority award from The American Society for Nutrition. Also awarded the 2015 Horn Professors award for outstanding graduate students.

Shasika Jayaratne, MS, 2016 TTU Biotechnology, Texas Tech University. Currently PhD candidate in Nutritional Sciences

Arwa Al-Jawadi, Ph.D. 2017, **Nutritional Sciences**, completed one year postdoc at Rutgers Medical School, NJ; Currently postdoc at Mount Sinai School of Medicine, NY; Diabetes and Metabolism Division. Was early Career Representative for the Obesity-Cancer section of The Obesity Society.

Mandana Pahlavani, Ph.D. 2017 Nutritional Sciences; currently postdoctoral Fellow at TTU, Nutritional Sciences. Won First place Outstanding Dissertation award from TTU, in the Biological Sciences category. USDA Postdoc NIFA Fellow (2018-20). Won ASBMB 2016 Travel award to EB. Was one of 4 finalist for the DSM Science and Technology Award at the International Society for the Study of Fatty Acids and Lipid, May 2018, Las Vegas, NV

Nadeeja Wijayatunga, **Ph.D. 2017**, currently, Postdoctoral Fellow at TTU, Kinesiology & Sports Management. Won ASBMB travel award to EB, 2016. Poster award winner, second place, Obesity Research Cluster. Currently postdoctoral fellows, and will start a tenure-track faculty position at the University of MS in August 2019

London Allen, M.S. 2018 (Thesis). Research Associate in Surgery at TTUHSC

Theresa Ramalho, PhD, 2018 (Univ. Sao Paulo), CAPES visiting scholar at TTU (2017-18). **Won research Prize from the Society of Leukocyte Biology** (Ceremony at the XLIII Congress of the Brazilian Society of Immunology, 10/04/2018)

Kembra Albracht, Ph.D. 2018; USDA NIFA Predoctoral Fellow; currently postdoctoral researcher at Texas Tech University. Received several teaching and research awards, including DeVitt Jones Graduate Teaching Award and first place oral presentation award at the Obesity Research institute student/postdoc competition and annual meeting, in May 2019

Membership in other graduate student committees

Served on numerous MS/PhD committees for the following graduate programs as chair or committee member:

Texas Tech University
Nutritional Sciences (chair and committee member)
Animal and Food Science (committee member)
Plant and Soil Science (Co-chair and committee member)
Biological Sciences (committee member)
Biotechnology (chair)

University of Tennessee
Nutritional Sciences
Animal Science
Biochemistry Cell and Molecular Biology
Genome Science and Technology
French
Comparative and Experimental Medicine
Exercise Science
Chemistry

INVITED PRESENTATIONS:

1993 **NIH** (Host: Dr. Samuel Cushman, Director of the Diabetes unit):
"Regulation of the fatty acid synthase gene expression in adipocytes"

1994 **UT Medical Center**: Host Dr. Roger Caroll; Medical Biology seminar: "Regulation of the fatty acid synthase gene expression"
1995 **FASEB Summer Conferences**: Invited speaker, by Dr. Jim O. Hill, organizer, Regulation of the human fatty acid synthase gene
1995 **FASEB Summer Conferences**. Agouti regulation of gene expression in adipocytes
1996 **Biochemistry Cell & Molecular Biology Department**, UTK. Regulation and physiological function of the Renin Angiotensin System in adipocytes
1997 **Animal Science Department, UTK**. The endocrine function of adipose tissue: role in obesity and adipocyte metabolism
1997 **American Dietetic Association**, Local Chapter, Invited speaker. "The Mystery of fat cells"
1998 **Exercise Science, UTK**. Role of adipose tissue in obesity
1999 **UT Medical Center, Medical Biology.** Paracrine function of adipose tissue: Paracrine function of adipose tissue: Role of agouti and angiotensin II in obesity
1999 Department of Biochemistry, **East TN State Univ**. Regulation of the fatty acid synthase gene expression by agouti and angiotensin II
1999 Department of Nutrition **UNC, Greensboro**
Secretory function of adipose tissue: Studies on agouti and angiotensin II
1999 **IBC conference on obesity and diabetes**, Washington DC. Mechanism of agouti-induced obesity
1999 **Steenbok Symposium** on the adipocyte, Univ. of WI, Madison. Paracrine function of the agouti gene product: Implications in the yellow mouse obesity syndrome
2000 **ASNS** adipocyte symposium, EB2000, San Diego, CA
2000 **Moroccan Association for Biologists in USA**; Sunny Brook, NY Guest Speaker: Paracrine function of adipose tissue: Agouti, leptin and angiotensins
2001 Nutrition Department, **UNC-Chapel Hill.** Endocrine function of adipose tissue, obesity, hypertension and diabetes
2001 Department of Nutritional Sciences, **Rutgers University**. Endocrine function of adipose tissue, obesity, hypertension and diabetes
2001 **ILSI/ Nutritional Biochemistry meeting in Fez,** Morocco. Diet, obesity and metabolic disorders: Public health implications
2001 **FASEB summer conference** on obesity, Snowmass, Co. Paracrine effects of Agouti on adipocyte gene expression
2001 **NAASO annual meeting**, Quebec, Canada. The adipocyte renin angiotensin system
2002 Annual meeting of the **Korean Nutrition Society**, Korea**:** Genomics and proteomics in nutrition
2002 Genomics & Biotechnology Symposium, **Ewha Womens University**, Seoul, Korea. Nutritional genomics and obesity
2002 Obesity Symposium, **Seoul National University**, Seoul, Korea
2002 Nutrition Department, **Chonbuk National University**, Korea. Adipocyte biology

2002 **Chunnam National University**, Korea. Obesity and the endocrine function of adipose tissue
2003 Berdanier Lecture Series, Department of Foods and Nutrition, **University of GA at Athens.** Endocrine function of adipose tissue and metabolic disorders: Angiotensins and agouti
2003 Session chair and speaker: **FASEB summer conference**, Snowmass, Colorado. Mechanisms linking adipocyte angiotensinogen to obesity and diabetes
2005 **Human Nutrition Group (INRA/ISTAB), Pessac, FRANCE**. New endocrine functions for adipocytes
2005 **CANDIA Experts** Panel, Paris, France. Debate on dairy and weight Management. Review of scientific evidence about calcium and obesity
2006 **Virginia Tech**, Nutrition Seminar: Role of the adipocyte renin angiotensin system in obesity and hypertension
2006 **Texas A & M**, Seminar, Nutrition Program, College Station, TX
2006 Graduate Center for Nutritional Sciences, **University of Kentucky at Lexington.** Role of the adipocyte renin angiotensin system in obesity and hypertension
2006 **The Ohio State University**, Nutrition Seminar: Role of the adipocyte renin angiotensin system in obesity and hypertension
2006 Invited Speaker, **Nutrigenomics symposiym, Hong Kong Polytechnic University, China**. Genomics of adipose tissue development and endocrine function
2007 Department of Molecular Physiology and Biophysics, **Vanderbilt University, Nashville** Seminar: The Renin-Angiotensin System, Adipose Tissue, Obesity and Diabetes: What are the Links?
2007 Department of Medicine, Endocrinology, Diabetes and Nutrition and CNRU; **University of Maryland**: The Renin- Angiotensin System, Adipose Tissue, Obesity and Diabetes: How are they linked?
2008 Clinical Nutrition Research Center, **University of Alabama-Birmingham**. Seminar: The Renin- Angiotensin System, Adipose Tissue, Obesity and Diabetes: How are they linked?
2010 **Auburn University**, Dietary Fatty acids and regulation of adipocyte angiotensinogen and other adipokines. Boschell Diabetes Research Day.
2011 Co-Chair and Invited Speaker “Obesity session”, presentation on angiotensins, adipocytes and metabolic disorders. **International Endobolism Congress**, Xiamen, China
2011 Invited visit and seminar, **Harbin Medical University**, College of Public Health, Nutrition and Foods Department, Harbin, China. Invited visit seminar: Omega 3 fatty acids, adipose tissue inflammation and insulin resistance
2011 Invited speaker, Southeastern Regional Lipid Research Conference “Dietary regulation of adipocyte inflammation& insulin resistance” Callaway Gardens,GA

2011 **Chinese Academy of Agricultural; Quality Standards and Testing Institute of Technology** (Ministry of Agriculture-Agricultural Research Center for Quality Standards). Invited visit and seminar: Omega 3 fatty acids, adipose tissue inflammation and insulin resistance

2012 **USDA Multistate Project**, Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids in Health and Disease, Minnesota. Presentation on "Omega 3 regulation of adipose tissue inflammation in obesity", Minneapolis, MN

2013 **University of Nebraska, Lincoln**. Invited Seminar "Dietary Regulation of adipose tissue inflammation in obesity and insulin resistance"

2013 **Texas A & M University**, College Station, Invited Seminar "Dietary Regulation of adipose tissue inflammation in obesity and insulin resistance"

2013 Experimental Biology Symposium, Organizer, Chair and speaker. "Metabolic profiling of omega 3 fatty acids effects on diet-induced obesity"

2013 **American Association for Family & Consumer Sciences**, Houston, TX "Dietary Regulation of adipose tissue inflammation in obesity and insulin resistance"

2013 **University of Houston**, Department of Biology & Biochemistry, Center for Nuclear Receptors, Houston, TX "Anti-inflammatory effects of omega 3 fatty acids in obesity and diabetes"

2013 **University of Peradeniya,** Sri Lanka Research Ethics Seminar

2013 **Physiological Society of Sri Lanka**, delivered the 2013 K.N. Seneveratne Oration "Novel Functions of the Adipocyte Renin Angiotensin System in Obesity-Associated Inflammation and Insulin Resistance

2014 **Univ. Connecticut, Nutritional Sciences**, The Adipocyte Renin Angiotensin System: Novel Roles in Obesity & Insulin Resistance

2015 **Texas Women's University**, Food and Nutrition Department. The Adipocyte Renin Angiotensin System: Novel Roles in Obesity & Insulin Resistance

2015 **University of Peradeniya School of Medicine**. From White Fat to Brown Fat: Changing Shades of Adipose Tissue with Obesity

2015 **Texas Tech Health Sciences Center- Garrison institute of Aging**. Anti-inflammatory effects of omega 3 fatty acids in obesity and insulin resistance

2016 **Columbia University Institute of Human Nutrition**, Speaker, ABOM/Obesity Course: Obesity, inflammation and energy balance

2016 **Korean Society for Preventive Nutrition and Food Science**, Jeju Island, Korea

2017 **University of Sao Paulo, Brazil.** Angiotensins, Obesity and Inflammation

2017 **UDC, Brazil.** Miniworkshop- Anti-inflammatory effects of omega 3 fatty acids in obesity

2017 **UDC, Brazil.** Invited lecture. Novel roles for angiotensins in obesity-related inflammation

2017 **APS/AFMR** Invited lecture at EB symposium, sponsored by APS/American Federation for Medical Research (AFMR) "New Insights into Insulin Resistance-Molecular Mechanisms and Therapeutic Implications"

2017 **Texas Tech Health Sciences Center at Permian Basin Dean's Obesity Symposium**. (Keynote speaker; September 30) Protective effects of fish oil in obesity and metabolic diseases
2018 **Texas Tech Health Sciences Center at El Paso, Invited Seminar:** Anti-inflammatory effects of omega 3 fatty acids in obesity and insulin resistance
2018 **University of Houston**, Invited Seminar: Role of adipocyte angiotensins in metabolic diseases
2018 **Qatar Computing Research Institute (QCRI) and Anti-Doping Laboratory Qatar (ADLQ):** Novel Roles for the Renin Angiotensin System in Obesity and Insulin Resistance
2018 **Rutgers University;** Invited speaker, Institute for Food Nutrition and Health
2018 **Zhejiang Chinese Medical University**; invited visit and seminar
2019 **Korean Society for Applied Biological Sciences**, invited lecture at annual meeting in Busan, June 2019
2019 **Seoul national University,** School of Veterinary Medicine, Invited Seminar, Seoul, June 2019
2019 Invited by **Korean Academy for Science & Technology** to participate in the. 20th Frontier Scientists Workshop in November 2019 in Hawaii.

PUBLICATIONS:
[Includes peer reviewed research and review papers, and book chapters]

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3. Hainque, B., Petit, G., Moustaïd, N., Quignard-Boulangé, A., Troupel,S. and Galli,A. Effets de l'insuline, de la dexaméthasone et de la methyl-isobutylxanthine sur la différenciation des fibroblastes 3T3-F442A en adipocytes : mise en évidence du role des polyamines. *Act. Pharm. Biol. Clin.* 4: 365-367, 1987 [French]
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8. Moustaïd, N., Sul, H.S. Regulation of expression of the fatty acid synthase gene in 3T3-L1 cells by differentiation and triiodothyronine. *J. Biol. Chem.* 266: 18550-18554, 1991 [Current IF: 4.5; 5 Year IF: 4.24; Citation: 101]
9. Shin, D.H., Paulauskis, J.D., Moustaïd, N. and Sul, H.S. Structure and transcriptional regulation of murine p90 with sequence homology to E. coli glycerol-3-phosphate acyltransferase. *J. Biol. Chem. 266*: 23834-23839, 1991 [Current IF: 4.5; 5 Year IF: 4.24; Citation: 111]
10. Sul, H.S., Moustaïd, N., Sakamoto, K., Gekakis, N., Smas, C. and Jerkins, A. Nutritional and hormonal regulation of genes encoding enzymes involved in fat synthesis. *In: Nutrition and gene expression*, eds. Hargrove JL and Berdanier C. CRC Press, 1993 [Book chapter]
11. Moustaïd, N., Sakamoto, K., Clarke, S., Beyer, R. S. and Sul, H.S. Regulation of fatty acid synthase gene transcription: Sequences that confer positive insulin effect and differentiation-dependent expression in 3T3-L1 preadipocytes are present in the 332 bp promoter. *Biochem. J.* 292, 767-772, 1993 [Current IF: 3.857; 5 Year IF: 3.850; Citation: 76]
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14. Misra, S., Sakamoto, K., Moustaïd, N. and Sul, H.S. Control of fatty acid synthase promoter activity by insulin-like growth factor-1 in 3T3-L1 fibroblasts. *Biochem. J.* 298: 575-578, 1994 [Current IF: 3.857; 5 Year IF: 3.850; Citation: 14]
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23. Xue B, Moustaid-Moussa, N, and Zemel B. The agouti gene product inhibits lipolysis in human adipocytes via a Ca^{2+}-dependent mechanism. *FASEB J.* 12: 1391-1396, 1998 [Current IF: 5.595; 5 Year IF: 5.358; Citation: 177]
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