

# 2022 Dr. Janet Falk-Kessler Distinguished Lectureship and Day of Scholarship

**December 2, 2022**  
**12:00pm –6:00 pm EST**

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**Plenary Session**

Welcome and Opening Remarks  
12:00-12:30pm

**Concurrent Oral Presentations**

12:40-3:30pm

Oral Session Track	Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
<b>Session 1</b> <b>12:40-1:10 pm</b>	<b>Stroke survivor perspectives on the design of a novel wearable robotic hand brace</b> <i>Lauren Winterbottom, MS, OTR/L, Kevin Carroll, OTS, Sara Lin, MSOT, Ava Chen, MS, Rochelle Mendonca, PhD, OTR/L, Dawn M. Nilsen, EdD, OTR/L, FAOTA, Matei Ciocarlie, PhD, Joel Stein, MD</i>  Columbia University Irving Medical Center		<b>Assessing and Treating Sensory and Behavior Differences in Children with a History of Trauma</b> <i>Stephanie Klein, MS, OTR/L and Jillian Yoo, OTD, OTR/L</i>  New York City Department of Education	<b>Insights on the Resilience of OT Students During the COVID 19 Pandemic</b> <i>Deborah Elgin Budash, PhD, OTR/L, Ben Golden, OTS</i>  The University of Scranton
<b>Session 2</b> <b>1:15-1:45 pm</b>	<b>The Importance of Recognizing Post Intensive Care Syndrome Within the Acute Care Setting</b> <i>Sara Elizabeth Berke, OTD, OTR/L</i>  NYU Langone Health	<b>School-Based Mental Health Interventions for Youth from Migrant and Refugee Backgrounds: A Systematic Review</b> <i>Liyi Straly, MS, OTR/L</i>  New York University	<b>Efficacy of Vision therapy in supporting children with learning disabilities</b> <i>Smita Prakash, MS, OTR/L</i>  New York City Department of Education	<b>Family Systems and Resilience Following Traumatic Brain Injury</b> <i>Judith Wilson, MA, OTR/L</i>  Bellevue Hospital, NYU School of Medicine
<b>Session 3</b> <b>1:50-2:20 pm</b>	<b>3MS of Occupational Engagement: Awareness of Entitlement and Support Programs for People with Disabilities in the United Arab Emirates</b> <i>Dongwook Lee, OTD, OT, and Cynthia Abbott-Gaffney, OTD, MA, OTR/L</i>  Boston University and Temple University	<b>Lived Experiences of Community-Dwelling Adults with Serious Mental Illness Related to Mental Health Services: An Exploratory Study</b> <i>Adeola Solaru, MS, OTR/L, QMHP, Christine Donovan, MS, OTR/L, Rochelle Mendonca, PhD, OTR/L</i>  University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, and Columbia University	<b>The most common vision problems of children in community-based schools and our role in supporting children with these problems</b> <i>Shari Blair Stein-Ballow, OTD, OTR/L</i>  New York City Department of Education	<b>The Use of Parent Education on Assistive Technology to Increase Success in School Transitions</b> <i>Kirsten Marie Kohlmeyer, OTD, MS, OTR/L</i>  Redwood Literacy

<p><b>Session 4</b> 2:25-2:55 pm</p>	<p><b>The theoretical frameworks used to inform changing occupational therapy practice amidst the pandemic for patients with COVID-19 and stroke</b> <i>Daniel Geller, EdD, OTR/L, Grace J. Kim, PhD, MS, OTR/L</i></p> <p>Columbia University and New York University</p>	<p><b>Mid-Career Professionals: Establishing Mentoring Relationships for Leadership Development</b> <i>Patricia Chute, EdD, CCC-A, Mary Ellen Nevins, Ed.D</i></p> <p>Chute and Nevins Consulting</p>	<p><b>Creating Low-Cost Adaptive Materials Using a Cricut Machine</b> <i>Morgan O'Neil, MS, OTR/L, Jamie Torre, MS, OTR/L, Petrina Talbot, MS, OTR/L</i></p> <p>Manhattan Childrens Center and NYC Department of Education</p>	<p><b>Examining the Fieldwork Placement Process and Inclusion of Cultural and Linguistically Diverse Factors in Fieldwork Education</b> <i>Ida Koraitem, OTD, OTR/L Eefekona Nuwere Ed.D, OTR/L</i></p> <p>Long Island University</p>
<p><b>Session 5</b> 3:00-3:30 pm</p>	<p><b>Acceptability of Home Exercise Log and Mobile Breathing App in a Mind-Body Clinical Trial for Shortness of Breath and Anxiety</b> <i>Anna Norweg PhD, MA, OTR, Brittany Hofferber, BA, Naomi Simon, MD, MSc</i></p> <p>Columbia University and New York University</p>	<p><b>An Educational Program for Occupational Therapists Treating Cancer-Related Cognitive Impairment: A Community of Practice Approach</b> <i>Rebecca Ewert OTD, OTR/L, CLT, Dawn Nilsen EdD, OTR/L, FAOTA</i></p> <p>Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center</p>	<p><b>Identifying and assessing pediatric Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI): A unique population most pediatric occupational therapy practitioners will encounter</b> <i>Kathleen M Weden MS, OTR/L</i></p> <p>University of Alabama at Birmingham</p>	<p><b>Using peer supervision to foster professional readiness and confidence through an interprofessional community-based level 1 fieldwork</b> <i>Angela Labrie Blackwell, PhD, OTR, Erik Pérez, OTD, OTR</i></p> <p>University of St. Augustine</p>

**Networking Reception**

**3:30-4:20pm**

**Networking Rooms:**

Breakout rooms for networking will be used during this session.

**Plenary Session**

**4:30-6:00**

**2022 Dr. Janet Falk-Kessler Distinguished Lecture**



**Amy Lynch, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA, TBRI® Educator, SCFES**  
Associate Professor in Clinical Instruction; Temple University

**“A Trauma-Informed Journey”**

“Occupational therapy practitioners regularly encounter Individual and collective trauma in their practice. Utilizing stories from her own professional trauma informed journey, Dr. Lynch will explore with conference participants where OTPs will encounter trauma, how they can identify trauma's impact, and what they can do to promote health, healing, and occupational triumph.”