

**The Florida Dysphagia Institute**  
Navigating the Future of  
Swallowing Evaluation and Treatment  
Faculty (in alphabetical order)

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**Michelle R Ciucci, PhD, CCC-SLP** is an Associate Professor in the Department of Communication Sciences Disorders, Department of Surgery-Division of Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery, and a faculty member in the Neuroscience Training Program at the University of Wisconsin-Madison (UW). Her area of research interest is sensorimotor control of voice and swallowing and the neurobiology of disease with an emphasis on Parkinson disease. Dr. Ciucci's research program is focused on the neural substrates for normal and disordered cranial motor function and how interventions affect brain and behavior. In addition to this neuroscience work, Dr. Ciucci also studies the complexities of swallowing function with high resolution manometry. The overarching goal of this line of work is to better understand swallowing physiology and improve diagnosis and treatment of swallowing disorders.  
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**Michael A. Crary, PhD, FASHA** is a Professor of Speech-Language Pathology and Professor of Medicine at the University of Central Florida in Orlando. He is also the Co-Director of the Swallowing Research Laboratory at UCF. He joined the faculty at UCF in August, 2015 as a Provost Scholar. Prior to that time, Professor Crary was employed at the University of Florida (1984 – 2015) where he held the rank of Professor, and Director of the Swallowing Research Laboratory. He served as both Speech-Language Pathology Clinical Service Chief and Department Chair at UF. His research and clinical interests focus on dysphagia in adults and he has published extensively on this topic. He has published over 100 articles and contributed to publication of 5 texts including one of the most popular graduate level text books on dysphagia management. He has lectured internationally on multiple topics related to dysphagia evaluation and rehabilitation in adults. Professor Crary is a Fellow of ASHA and received Honors of the Association in 2016. He remains committed to high quality patient care and clinical research.  
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**Pamela Dodrill, PhD, CCC-SLP** is a pediatric SLP has worked with children with feeding difficulties for 15 years. Before relocating to Boston (where she works at the Boston Children's Hospital and Brigham & Women's NICU), Pamela worked at the Royal Children's Hospital in Brisbane, Australia for over a decade, during which time she managed both inpatient and outpatient dysphagia caseloads. Pamela completed her PhD in the area of infant feeding difficulties through the Children's Nutrition Research Centre in Brisbane, and continues to conduct research in the area of childhood feeding difficulties and their management. Pamela has a number of publications in this area, regularly presents at national and international scientific conferences, and teaches courses and workshops on managing pediatric feeding problems for students and practicing health professionals.

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**Memorie M. Gosa, Ph.D., CCC-SLP, BCS-S** is a pediatric speech-language pathologist and board certified specialist in swallowing and swallowing disorders. She is an assistant professor at The University of Alabama and maintains a clinical caseload. Dr. Gosa has published and presented nationally and internationally on the topic of pediatric dysphagia diagnosis and management.  
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Relevant non-financial disclosures: none

**Michael Groher** is a retired professor from the Department of Communicative Disorders at the University of Redlands in Redlands, California. Dr. Groher has spent the majority of his career working as a medical speech pathologist in acute and long-term care settings. The majority of hospital work was done for the Department of Veterans Affairs in Seattle/Tacoma, New York, and Tampa. He is best known for his research and clinical work with patients who have swallowing disorders. The majority of his work is summarized in three texts: *Dysphagia: Diagnosis and Management (Three editions), Introduction to Adult Swallowing Disorders, and Clinical Management of Dysphagia in Adults and Children, second edition, Elsevier 2016*. Dr. Groher is an ASHA Fellow, has received Honors from ASHA, and is a past founding associate editor for the journal *Dysphagia*. He is an honorary member of the Japanese Society of Dysphagia Rehabilitation.  
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**Georgia A. Malandraki, PhD, CCC-SLP, BCS-S** is an Assistant Professor at the Department of Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences, and the Research Director of the Purdue I-EaT (Imaging, Evaluation and Treatment) Swallowing Research Laboratory and Clinic. She is a certified Speech-Language Pathologist and a Board Certified Specialist in Swallowing and Swallowing Disorders and holds adjunct academic appointments at the Program of Communication Sciences and Disorders of Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, and at the School of Medicine of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece. Her research has been internally and externally funded and focuses on: a) the use of imaging and neuro-imaging to understand the underlying neural mechanisms of swallowing function and the neuroplastic properties of the brain in pediatric and adult dysphagia; b) developing and validating new neurorehabilitation paradigms for neurogenic dysphagia; and, c) the development of teledynamic systems to test the effectiveness of providing swallowing rehabilitation via telehealth. Since 2015, she has served on the Editorial Board for ASHA's SIG13 Perspectives in Swallowing and Swallowing Disorders, and in 2016 she was elected on the Dysphagia Research Society Board (Councilor) Relevant Financial disclosures: Dr. Malandraki is currently employed by Purdue University and is receiving an honorarium for FDI Relevant Non-financial disclosures: None

**Timothy McCulloch, MD-Dr.** McCulloch is Chair of the Division of Otolaryngology at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health. He is certified by the American Board of Otolaryngology and specializes in treatment of head and neck cancer, voice and swallowing disorders, trauma, reconstruction and skull base surgery. Dr. McCulloch is past president of the Dysphagia Research Society. He is on the editorial board and a reviewer for multiple subspecialty journals. He is also active in several national societies, including the Academy of Otolaryngology, the American Head and Neck Society and the Dysphagia Research Society.

This conference is being held at the Hotel at the Florida Mall, Orlando Florida. And it is only 6 miles from the Orlando airport. The room rate is \$120 per night with no service fees, and includes free parking, fitness center, business center, bottled water daily and many other amenities. The lobby opens directly into the air conditioned Florida Mall, with stores including Saks and Nordstrum's, restaurants, food court, and the concierge will help groups to get to parks and other area attractions. Use this link to make reservations [Florida Dysphagia July 2017](#) or call the reservations department at 1800 588 4656, they should identify themselves as Florida Dysphagia – Navigating the Future of Swallowing

**THE Florida Dysphagia Institute**  
**2.0**  
**Presents**  
**NAVIGATING THE FUTURE**  
**OF SWALLOWING**  
**EVALUATION AND**  
**TREATMENT**

This conference consists of nine core faculty and additional invited faculty who present lectures as well as hands on experiences in practical application breakout sessions. Topics focus across the age and life continuum, allowing clinicians to hone their practical evaluation and treatment skills using cutting edge evidence based approaches. Numerous panel discussions with attendee participation, including much needed "debunking" of old myths in the profession leading to improved treatment and outcomes. Participants were afforded the latest critical thinking, procedures, and practical applications for effective dysphagia management in adults and children and many opportunities for faculty/participant interactions in an informal atmosphere.

Learner outcomes:

After this course participants will be able to understand, define, describe and apply evidence based information in the areas of:

- Evaluation and treatment of swallowing in cerebral palsy, Parkinson's disease, ALS, other progressive neurologic diseases,
- Use of instrumental examinations and diagnostic equipment including but not limited to sEMG Biofeedback, endoscopic swallowing evaluation, high resolution manometry
- Telehealth as it applies to swallowing concerns and best practices
- Critical thinking to analyze controversies and myths surrounding evaluation and treatment of dysphagia in adults and children
- Exercise based dysphagia therapy
- Nutrition and hydration issues in all populations
- Medical views on dysphagia treatment
- "Special" issues and treatments in various populations that do not follow usual patterns including, but not limited to ICU and critical care

**July 10<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup>, 2017**  
**Orlando, Florida**  
**32 hours of CEUs with**  
**practical application,**  
**exhibitors, receptions**

# Monday

7:30-8:30 Check in, buffet breakfast for participants in restaurant  
 8:30 Welcome to FDI 2.0  
 9:00 Clinical Exam Overview  
 9:30 Standard Dysphagia Exam-MASA and More  
 10:30 Break \*  
 11:00 ICU/Critical Care Nuances in Clinical Exam  
 12:00 Lunch on Your Own  
 1:00 Pediatric Assessment  
 2:30 Esophageal Assessment  
 3:00 Break \*  
 3:30 New Directions in Neuro Dysphagia  
 4:30-5:30 Panel Q&A

\*6pm Wine and Hors d'Oeuvres reception with Faculty and Participants

# Tuesday

7:30-8:30 Check in, buffet breakfast for participants in restaurant  
 8:30 Treatment Framework  
 9:00 Neurologic Dz and Dysphagia Tx  
 9:30 Exercise Based Tx Overview  
 10:00 Oncological Based Dysphagia  
 10:30 Break \*  
 11:00 MDTP, IDR,Respiratory Tx, EMST, Estim, Pharyngocise, biofeedback, other specific therapy approaches  
 12:00 Lunch on Your Own  
 1:00 Peds Tx Issues  
 2:00 ICU and special populations  
 3:00 Break \*  
 3:30 Nutrition and Hydration Issues  
 4:00 Medical Views on Dysphagia Tx  
 4:30-5:30 Panel Q&A

Contact Cindy Barnett to register, or scan Contact and email to [bartcyn@cs.com](mailto:bartcyn@cs.com)  
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# Wednesday

7:30-8:30 Check in, buffet breakfast for participants in restaurant  
 8:30 –10:00 Controversies and Myths in Peds Dysphagia  
 10:00-10:30 Break \*  
 10:30-1:00 Controversies and Myths in Adult Dysphagia  
 FREE AFTERNOON.....ENJOY ORLANDO ATTRACTIONS OR JUST SOME TIME OFF!!!

\*Exhibitors will be available during breaks and receptions  
 \*\*Participants will be able to attend all 8 small group breakouts

## Registration:

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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 State \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Billing zip code or postal code \_\_\_\_\_

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# Thursday

7:30-8:30 Check in, buffet breakfast for participants in restaurant  
 8:30 Revisiting Fluoroscopic Swallowing Exams MBSImp, CVFE, and Peds/Special Issues  
 10:30 Break \*  
 11:00 HRM for pharynx and esophagus  
 12:00 Lunch on Your Own  
 1:00 –2:00 \*\*Break Out session #1 or 5  
 2:15-3:15 \*\*Break Out session #2 or 6  
 3:30-4:30 \*\*Break Out session #3 or 7  
 5:00-6:00 \*\* Break Out session #4 or 8  
 \*6pm Wine and Hors d'Oeuvres reception with Faculty and Participants

# Friday

7:30-8:30 Check in, buffet breakfast for participants in restaurant  
 8:30 –9:30 \*\*Break Out session #1 or 5  
 9:45-10:45 \*\*Break Out session #2 or 6  
 11:00-12:00 \*\*Break Out session #3 or 7  
 12:15-1:15 \*\*Break Out session #4 or 8

BOX Lunches will be provided during breakouts  
 1:15—2:30 Panel discussion  
 Putting it all together-critical thinking cases:  
 Peds:  
 Adults:  
 2:30-3:00 Break \*  
 3:00-4:00 Panel discussion  
 Continue Adult Critical Thinking Cases  
 Case Problem from the Physician's View  
 4:00-5:15 Q & A. CEUs . All core faculty

**Early registration: \$500 before  
 February 14, 2017  
 \$600 after February 15, 2017  
 \$700 after May 31<sup>th</sup>, 2017  
 \$800 after June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017**