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Invited Presentations

June, 2010

VA Hospital Endocrinology Lecture Series; Tampa, Florida
"Myths and Mischief in Nutritional and Pharmacological Recommendations for Patient Care"

April, 2011

USF Distinguished Lecture Series: "Dinner with a Scholar"
"Myths and Misinformation About Saturated Fat and Cholesterol: How Bad Science and Big Business Created the Obesity Epidemic"

June, 2011

J.A. Haley Veterans Hospital Endocrinology Lecture Series; Tampa, Florida
"Banting-Atkins Diet, Instead of Medication, as an Effective Treatment for Obesity, Heart Disease and Type II Diabetes"

May, 2012

Center for Obesity, Assessment, Study, and Treatment (COAST),
University of California, San Francisco
"Myths and Deception in Research on Cholesterol and Dietary Fat: How Bad Science, Government Intervention and Big Business Contributed to the Obesity Epidemic"

November, 2012

Fourth International Conference on Cardiac Sciences, Al Ahsi, Saudi Arabia
Session Chair: Stress, Atherosclerosis and Coronary Heart Disease
Talk 1: *"A Critical Appraisal of Current Dietary Guidelines: How Bad Science, Politics and Profits Contributed to the Obesity and Heart Disease Epidemics"*
Talk 2: *"A Rigorous Assessment of Claims that Cholesterol-Reducing Treatments are Safe and Effective at Reducing Cardiovascular Outcomes and Mortality"*

April, 2013

Dept. of Biobehavioral Health and Pharmacology, Pennsylvania State University
"A Critical Appraisal of Current Dietary Guidelines: How Bad Science, Politics and Profits Contributed to the Obesity Epidemic"

September, 2013

Department of Internal Medicine, College of Medicine, Univ. of So. Dakota
"A Rigorous Assessment of Claims that Cholesterol-Reducing Treatments are Safe and Effective at Reducing Cardiovascular Events and Mortality"

October, 2013

Dept. of Psychology, University of South Florida
"Methodological Mischief in Diet and Cholesterol Research"

May, 2015

VA Hospital Endocrinology Lecture Series; Tampa, Florida
"How Deceptive Statistics Created the Appearance that Statins are Safe and Effective at Improving Cardiovascular Disease Outcomes"

July, 2015

Riga Diabetes & Obesity World Congress, Riga, Latvia

Lecture 1: *“Deceptive Statistics have Created the False Appearance that Statins are Safe and Effective in the Treatment of Cardiovascular Disease”*

Lecture 2: *“A Critical Appraisal of Current Dietary Guidelines: How Bad Science, Politics and Profits to the Diabetes and Obesity Epidemics”.*

November, 2015

Institute for Human & Machine Cognition, Ocala, Florida

“Demonization and Deception in Cholesterol Research: Separating Fact From Profitable Fiction”

January, 2016

University of South Florida, Tampa

1st Annual Conference on Nutritional Ketosis and Metabolic Therapeutics

“Myths and Misinformation on Dietary Fat, Obesity and Heart Disease – the Sordid History of the War on Saturated Fat”

February, 2016

International Cardiology & Cardiovascular Medicine Summit-2016

Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Keynote Lecture: A Rigorous Assessment Of Claims That Cholesterol-Reducing Treatments Are Safe And Effective At Reducing Cardiovascular Outcomes And Mortality

Lecture 2: Critical Appraisal Of Current Dietary Guidelines: How Bad Science, Politics and Profits Contributed To The Obesity and Heart Disease Epidemics

September, 2016

Fifth Global Symposium on Ketogenic Therapies, Banff, Canada

“Challenging Conventional “Wisdom” That a High Fat Diet is Hazardous to Health”

September, 2016

12th Congress of the International Society for the Study of Fatty Acids and Lipids; Stellenbosch University, Matieland, Stellenbosch, South Africa

“Sense and nonsense in the war on saturated fat”

February, 2017

University of South Florida, Tampa

2nd Annual Conference on Nutritional Ketosis and Metabolic Therapeutics

“A Rigorous Assessment of the Myths that Cholesterol Causes Cardiovascular Disease”

April, 2017

Nutricia Ketoconference 2017, London, England;

Royal College of Physicians

“An Assessment of Myths on Cardiovascular Risks of a High Fat Diet”

May, 2017

Institute for Human & Machine Cognition, Pensacola, Florida

“Demonization and Deception in Cholesterol Research”

June, 2017

NYU Alumni Club Presents: An Evening with David Diamond, PhD

“Demonization and Deception in the War on Saturated Fat and Cholesterol.”

July, 2017

VA Brain Heart Consortium Meeting, Columbia, South Carolina
“Biomarkers, Animal Models, Treatments, and Controversy in PTSD and Heart Disease Research”

January, 2018

Low Carb West Palm 2018
“Demonization and Deception in Cholesterol Research”

March, 2018

Low Carb Breckenridge 2018
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Book Chapters and Letters to the Editor
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