Announcing the Ninth Annual

Norman R. Seay Lecture

Engaging Community in the Recruitment of African Americans for Genetic Studies in Alzheimer’s Disease

4:15 – 5:15 PM
Tuesday, October 7, 2014
Connor Auditorium
Farrell Learning & Teaching Center

Presented by
Charles F. & Joanne Knight
Alzheimer’s Disease Research Center
Department of Neurology
Washington University School of Medicine
John C. Morris, M.D., Director & Principal Investigator

Reception Immediately Following
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Dr. Goldie Byrd
Professor of Biology
North Carolina A&T
Greensboro, NC

About the Lecturer

Dr. Byrd is the Nathaniel F. Simms Endowed Professor of Biology and Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro, N.C. Before joining the A&T faculty in 2003, she taught at Tennessee State University, NCCU and Duke University.

At A&T’s College of Arts and Sciences, she oversees more than 200 faculty members and more than 3,400 students. She has raised more than $40 million in local, state, federal and private funds to support research, research training and scholarships at all levels as well as junior faculty mentoring. She recently received a National Science Foundation grant to advance women in STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Math). Dr. Byrd also received the Presidential Award for excellence in STEM from President Barak Obama.

Dr. Byrd is a past recipient of the UNC Board of Governors Award for Teaching Excellence. Her research in the genetics of Alzheimer’s disease in African Americans has been recognized by the Alzheimer’s Association. She received a major gift from Merck Corp. to create the Alzheimer’s Aging and Community Outreach Center.

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