

SPRING 2025 SEMINAR SERIES

A monthly lecture series covering diverse topics in neuroscience

PRESENTING

Todd Vanderah, PhD

Department Head and Professor of Pharmacology and Co-Director, MD/PhD Dual Degree Program

Thursday, April 17, 2025 4:00 to 5:00 pm

Via Zoom from Tucson https://arizona.zoom.us/j/84583061884

Enjoy this presentation in HSEB B302 (Health Sciences Education Building - 435 N 5th St., Phoenix AZ) *Refreshments provided*

<u>Tentative Topic</u>: Exploring opioid receptor pharmacology and the discovery of novel therapeutic targets

Biosketch: Todd Vanderah, PhD, is Head and Professor of Pharmacology at the University of Arizona, with joint appointments in Neurology, Physiological Sciences, and Anesthesiology. He also serves as Co-Director of the MD/PhD Dual Degree Program. Dr. Vanderah's research centers on understanding and addressing cancer pain mechanisms, neuronal integration in pain pathways, neurochemical changes in neuropathy, and neuronal plasticity. His expertise encompasses the pharmacology of both acute and chronic pain models, the functioning of endogenous opioid systems, sensory neural pathways, opioid tolerance, and the synergistic antinociceptive effects of cannabinoids and opioids in pain management.



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