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Welcome to the UC San Diego Center for Healthy Aging and the Sam and Rose Stein Institute for Research on Aging e-newsletter!

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Congratulations to Our Scientific Director, Dr. Anthony Molina – Named a Top 40 Awardee in the Prestigious XPRIZE Healthspan Global Competition!

We're proud to announce that a team led by Dr. Molina has been selected as one of the Top 40 semifinalists in the 7 year, \$101M XPRIZE Healthspan competition. This award enables competing teams to develop and test therapeutics that restore muscle, cognitive, and immune function to extend healthy

longevity.

Good luck to all the teams as they embark upon seminal clinical trials to extend the human healthspan.

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Partner with Us for the 2025 Healthy Aging Symposium

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Join us as a valued sponsor of our premier annual event, bringing together experts, researchers, and community leaders committed to advancing healthy aging and resilience across the lifespan.

Sponsorship opportunities offer meaningful visibility, engagement with attendees, and recognition across our digital platforms.

- Showcase your commitment to innovation and longevity
- Connect with thought leaders and changemakers
- Highlight your organization to a diverse and engaged audience

Interested in partnering with us? Contact us at **dglorioso@health.ucsd.edu**

September 25, 2025 UC San Diego Park & Market



Support innovation in aging and showcase your organization's commitment to health and resilience in later life! We are now seeking sponsors for our 2025 Annual Healthy Aging Symposium, taking place this September at UC San Diego. This widely attended event brings together researchers, clinicians, students, and community leaders to explore the latest in aging science and care. Sponsorship offers valuable visibility and the opportunity to align with cutting-edge research and public engagement.

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Our Next Public Lecture

Wednesday, July 16th, 2025



Danielle K. Glorioso is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker with extensive experience in aging, community health, and clinical research. Since joining UC San Diego in 2001, she has taken on a leadership role as the Executive Director of the Center for Healthy Aging and the Stein Institute for Research on Aging. In this capacity, Ms. Glorioso oversees a wide range of operations including strategic planning, organizational development, community outreach, training, philanthropy, communications, and marketing. She is also a certified therapist in prolonged grief disorder, specializing in manualized interventions. One of her major accomplishments includes leading the research and development of a licensed, evidence-based six-week program designed to enhance resilience, compassion, and self-compassion among older adults. This intervention, which has undergone nearly a decade of research, has been tested and validated in various community settings, including among older adults in group and individual settings. Through her work, Danielle has made significant contributions to improving the mental health and well-being of older adults.

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Our #AgingIsBeautifulEverywhere Campaign is on social media





Age beautifully, wherever life takes you #AgingIsBeautifulEverywhere

Spotlight: Anthony Molina, PhD -Representing Healthy Aging on the Global Stage

Championing healthy aging doesn't stop at home, to have global impact, it often requires travel around the world. Pictured here at the stunning Jewel at Changi Airport in Singapore, our Scientific Director takes a moment admire the sights and show off his "Aging is Beautiful" Tshirt.

With a packed international schedule, it's not always easy to slow down—but he makes it a priority. Taking even a few moments to engage with local culture, people, and surroundings is a vital reminder.

"No matter how busy the schedule, I make it a priority to slow down an make connections. These experiences keep me grounded—and remind me why this work matters."

Thank you, Dr. Molina, for reminding us that healthy aging means staying curious, connected, and fully engaged with the world around us.

Get your own "Aging is Beautiful" t-shirt for a \$35 donation - and share your #AgingIsBeautifulEverywhere photos with us!



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Know a Successful Ager?



At the Stein Institute for Research on Aging we like to highlight the stories and lives of successful agers in our community. Successful agers are those that continue to engage in activities that are meaningful and have found ways to adapt to challenges as they age. If you know of someone that you think we should spotlight please email Sasha Weiss at <u>saweiss@health.ucsd.edu</u> to nominate them!



Resilience, Compassion and Self-Compassion Program available for License

After nearly a decade of research led by our Executive Director, Danielle K. Glorioso, we are thrilled to announce that our Resilience Intervention is now officially licensed through UC San Diego and available for implementation in community settings. This evidence-based, six-session program is designed to specifically enhance resilience. compassion, and self-compassion in older adults. It has been studied in various community settings across the United States, as well as in England and Israel, with results showing improvements in self-compassion, resilience and along with reductions in perceived stress, depression, and loneliness.

For more information about our intervention, please contact Danielle K. Glorioso at <u>dglorioso@health.ucsd.edu</u>



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