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***The Chair's Chatter***

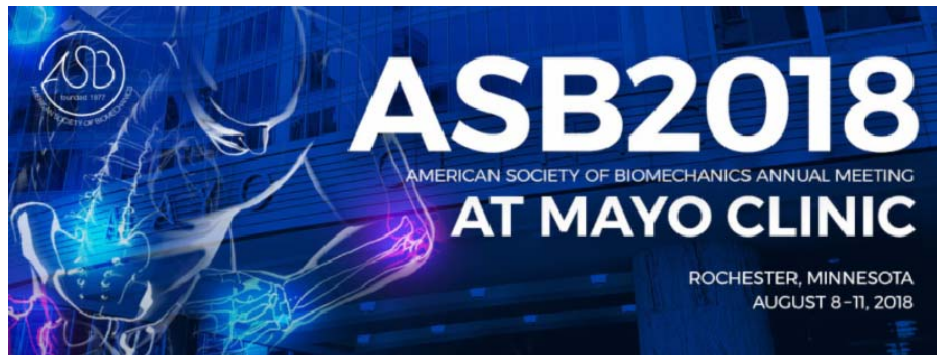


## Department News

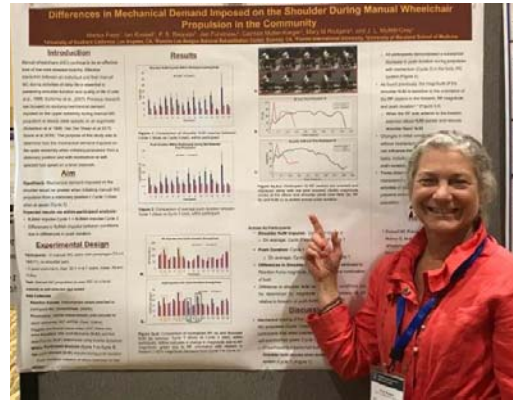
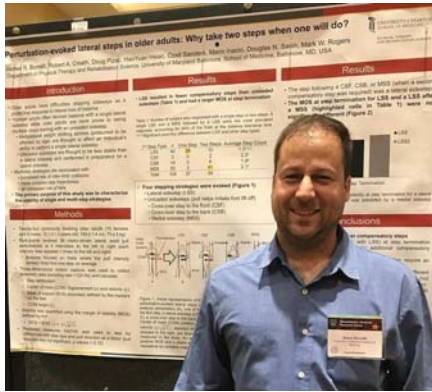


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### ASB 2018



The department was well represented at the American Society of Biomechanics (ASB) Conference in Rochester, MN, August 8th-12th, 2018. **James Borrelli, PhD**, UMANRRT Postdoctoral Fellow (pictured below, left), presented the poster entitled "Perturbation-Evoked Lateral Steps in Older Adults: Why Take Two Steps When One Will Do?". **Mary Rodgers, PT, PhD, FAPTA, FASB, FISB**, Professor Emeritus and ASB Fellow (pictured below, right), was a session chair, presented at the women in science session, and co-authored the poster: "Mechanical Demand Imposed on the Shoulder During Propulsion in the Community".



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## Doctoral Dissertation Defense



**Physical Rehabilitation Science  
Doctoral Dissertation Defense**

Ozell Sanders  
PhD Candidate

"Age Associated Changes in Neuromuscular and  
Kinematic Landing Responses to Sudden Loss of Ground  
Support Surface While Standing"

Thursday, August 16, 2018  
9:00 am  
Allied Health Building, Room 219  
100 Penn St.

Mentor: Dr. Mark Rogers

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**CEU Opportunity**



**Stroke Rehabilitation: Balance Assessment  
and Novel Interventions**

When: Saturday, September 15, 2018

Where: Allied Health Building, 100 Penn Street,  
Baltimore, MD 21201

Instructor: Vicki Gray MPT, PhD

CEU: Approved for 6 contact hours by the MD Board of PT Examiners

Price: Free to CIs with voucher  
\$100 for CIs without voucher  
\$100 for PTRS alumni  
\$175 for non-affiliates

Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

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## Volunteers Needed



Coming up in the DPT program, we have a number of labs, and we are looking for participants!

If you or someone you know would be willing to participate in any of the dates listed below, or if you have any questions, please contact Aynsley Hamel at:

[ahamel@som.umaryland.edu](mailto:ahamel@som.umaryland.edu)

- Friday, August 31st from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Infant tests/observation (infants 0-9 months old and not yet walking).
- Tuesday, September 4th from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Lab for children age 2-5 years old.
- Tuesday, September 4th from 12 to 4pm. Lab for adults 60 years and older.
- Tuesday, September 4th from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Lab for children 6-12 years old.
- Thursday, September 6th 12:30 - 3:30pm. Lab for adults 60 years and older.
- Friday, September 21st from 8am until 3pm. Practical (PBA) for adults 60 years and older.

**\*\*In every lab, students are supervised by a licensed Physical Therapist.\*\***

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## Fall Clothing Order

The **Class of 2020** is taking PTRS apparel orders thru August 27th. They have chosen a new company which should make for easier ordering and delivery. View all the new options and place your order today at:

<https://umdphysicaltherapy.itemorder.com/sale>



Questions? Contact Jac DeLuse [jacquelyn.deluse@som.umaryland.edu](mailto:jacquelyn.deluse@som.umaryland.edu)

## Campus News/Events



## UMB Night at the Ballpark



**UMB Night at the Ballpark**  
Friday, September 14th, 2018  
7:05 p.m.  
Camden Yards

Mark your calendar to join us for the annual UMB Night at the Ballpark! Orioles vs. Chicago White Sox. Enjoy the Friday fireworks and music after the game!

[Purchase Tickets Here](#)

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## Alternate Routes

### Be prepared!

Know alternate routes out of the city in case of traffic, road closures or emergency situations.



[Navigation Tips](#)

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## Have News To Share?



Please send news, announcements, updates and pictures to **Donna Bethke**, [dbethke@som.umaryland.edu](mailto:dbethke@som.umaryland.edu), to be included in an upcoming issue.

**Thanks for sharing!**

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