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The **AACC Capital Section** Invites You to the 19th Roger L. Boeckx
Memorial Lecture and 2015 Awards Reception!!

Newborn screening for LSD's: Why, how and what now?



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Date: Monday, November 16th, 2015
Location: Children's National Medical Center
111 Michigan Ave NW
Washington, DC, 20010

Agenda:
6:00-7:00 Meet-and-greet mixer and reception
7:00-8:30 Awards Presentation and Scientific Lecture

RSVP: Please email Dr. Sean Hofherr (shofherr@childrensnational.org) by
November 6th, 2015

Speaker Biography: *Dietrich Matern, M.D., Ph.D.* is a Professor of Laboratory Medicine, Pediatrics, and Medical Genetics with joint appointments in these departments. A particular interest of his is the expansion of the number of inborn errors of metabolism identifiable by newborn screening, and the reduction of false-positive newborn screen results by second-tier testing of the original blood spots. He received his M.D. and Ph.D. from Ludwig-Maximilians University in Munich, Germany, and completed a pediatric residency at Albert-Ludwigs University in Freiburg, Germany. Following fellowships in Clinical

Genetics and Clinical Biochemical Genetics at Duke University Medical Center, he joined Mayo Clinic in 1999. In October 2012, he was appointed chair of the division of Laboratory Genetics in the Department of Laboratory Medicine and Pathology. Dr. Matern has authored or co-authored more than 130 peer-reviewed articles as well as multiple textbook chapters. Dr. Matern's research has been funded by the National Institute of Child Health & Human Development (NICHD), the Newborn Screening Translational Research Network (NBSTRN), the Legacy of Angels Foundation, and other not-for-profit organizations.

Directions: <http://childrensnational.org/choose-childrens/locations-and-directions/main-hospital>

From North: Exit Beltway at New Hampshire Avenue South (Takoma Park), continue into District until Road ends at North Capitol St. Go south on North Capitol to Michigan Avenue and turn right; hospital paid parking will be on the right after first stop light.

From South: Take I-395 through downtown and continue onto I-395 north until it ends at New Your Avenue. Stay in right lane onto first Side Street and turn left at first light onto First St. Continue on First St. past the reservoir to Michigan Avenue; turn left onto Michigan and hospital paid parking will be on the right.

Public Transportation: Metro stop: Brookland-Catholic University station; take either Children's shuttle or H2 or H4 bus to hospital.