



## NJAS inaugural Advancement of Science Award 2020 AGENDA

- 1:00 PM**            **Opening Remarks**  
**Maria Agapito, Ph.D - NJAS President**
- 1:05 PM**            **Introduction to Scientific Seminar Session**
- 1:10 PM**            **Ryan Logan, Ph.D - Assistant Professor**  
Translational Neuroscience Program, Department of Psychiatry,  
University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, Pittsburgh, PA.  
**Title:** Translational approaches to the discovery of mechanisms of sleep, circadian disruption, and opioid dependence
- 1:40 PM**            **Sushanta Banerjee, Ph.D - Professor**  
Department of Pathology and Laboratory of Medicine,  
University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas.  
**Title:** Stimulating CCN5 to target Triple-Negative Breast Cancer
- 2:10 PM**            **Break (showcasing Dr. Sarkar's special moments)**
- 2:20 PM**            **Omkaram Gangisetty, Ph.D - Research Associate**  
Department of Animal Sciences,  
Rutgers, The state University of New Jersey.  
**Title:** Fetal alcohol programming of stress and immune axis functions
- 2:50 PM**            **Soundar Regunathan, Ph.D. - Program Director**  
Division of Neuroscience and Behavior,  
National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism National Institutes of Health  
**Title:** Meet and Greet NIH/NIAAA
- 3:20 PM**            **Break (showcasing Dr. Sarkar's special moments)**
- 3:30 PM**            **Award ceremony**  
**Sulie L. Chang, Ph.D. - Professor**  
President, Society on Neuroimmune Pharmacology  
Director, Institute of Neuroimmune Pharmacology  
Department of Biological Sciences  
Seton Hall University
- 4:00 PM**            **Closing Remarks**  
**Maria Agapito, Ph.D - NJAS President**