

# Resilience and Independence in Aging Seminar Series



THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

College of Medicine

Tucson

**Tuesday, March 12th, 2019**

**12:00 PM - 1:00 PM**

*(lunch will be provided)*

**Keating Building, BIO5 Institute – Room 103**



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Institute

*College of Medicine –Tucson, College of Public Health, & The BIO5 Institute Present:*

***“Our Grandparents, Our Parents, Our Future Selves: Optimizing Function in Old Age”***



## **Thomas M. Gill, MD**

Humana Foundation Professor of Medicine (Geriatrics) and Professor of Epidemiology (Chronic Diseases) and of Investigative Medicine; Director, Yale Program on Aging; Director, Claude D. Pepper Older Americans Independence Center; Director, Yale Center for Disability and Disabling Disorders; Director, Yale Training Program in Geriatric Clinical Epidemiology and Aging-Related Research

### **Biography:**

Dr. Thomas Gill is Professor of Medicine, Epidemiology, and Investigative Medicine and the Humana Foundation Professor of Geriatric Medicine at Yale University. He received his research training in clinical epidemiology as a Robert Wood Johnson (RWJ) Clinical Scholar at Yale, and he joined the faculty in 1994 after completing an additional year as a geriatrics fellow. Dr. Gill is a leading authority on the epidemiology and prevention of disability among older persons and is the recipient of numerous awards, including the Paul Beeson Physician Faculty Scholars in Aging Research Award, the RWJ Generalist Physician Faculty Scholar Award, the 2001 Outstanding Scientific Achievement for Clinical Investigation Award from the American Geriatrics Society, the Ewald W. Busse Research Award in the Biomedical Sciences, and the 2012 Joseph T. Freeman Award from the Gerontological Society of America.

### **Seminar Information:**

The Aging and Resilience Seminar Series is designed to facilitate aging research and to foster new generations of investigators at the University of Arizona to address significant aging research questions. The seminar will bring UA researchers together to create synergies by sharing research findings and research plans. The series will also provide opportunities for UA researchers to meet and to hear from lead investigators of aging and resilience in other research institutions, specifically Pepper Centers. These activities are the core of the CHiLi program – the Consortium to Halt Injury and Infection in older adults Leading to Independence.

**RSVP**

For questions, please contact Amy Randall-Barber at 520-626-3001 or [amyrandall@bio5.org](mailto:amyrandall@bio5.org)

**Directions to Keating 103:** The Thomas W. Keating Building (BIO5 Institute) is located just east of the Southwest corner of Cherry St./Helen St. The main entrance to the building faces north. It is the building with the large white structure over the top of it.