**25th Annual Appalachian Spring Conference**

**War-related injuries to the hearing and balance system**

**Stanton-Gerber Hall**

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| **Thursday, June 28, 2018** | |
| **Time** | **Topic (official title to come)** |
| 7:30 am – 8:30 am | Registration and Breakfast, Ground Floor |
| 8:30 am – 8:45 am | Welcome and Introductions |
| 8:45 am – 10:45 | Podium Session 1 |
| 10:45 am – 11:00 am | Break and exhibits |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 pm | Podium Session 2 |
| 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm | Box lunches |
| 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm | Podium Session 3 |
| 2:00 pm – 2:30 pm | Break and exhibits |
| 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm | Podium Session 4 |
| 6:00 pm | BBQ & Bluegrass Reception |

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| **Friday, June 29, 2018** | |
| 8:00 am – 8:30 am | Check-in and continental breakfast |
| 8:30 am – 10:30 am | Podium Session 5 |
| 10:30 am – 11:00 am | Break and exhibits |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 pm | Podium Session 6 |

Presentations will focus on the effects of noise and blast exposure on hearing, tinnitus, balance, and vestibular function in both animals and humans. Our distinguished speakers include:

• Colonel Sidney Hinds from the Blast Injury Research Program Coordinating Office at the USAMRMD

• Drs. Courtney Stewart, Richard Altschuler, and W. Michael King from the University of Michigan

• Drs. Genene Holt and Anthony Cacace from Wayne State University

• Dr. Jorge Serrador from Rutgers New Jersey Medical School

• Dr. Doug Brungart from the Walter Reed National Military Medical Center

• Dr. Marc Fagelson from East Tennessee State University

• Drs. Faith Akin, Owen Murnane, and Courtney Hall from the Mountain Home Hearing and Balance Research Program