

# MAURY STRAUSS DISTINGUISHED PUBLIC LECTURE

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## *In Person Lecture: What is Alzheimer's Disease and Can We Prevent It?*

Alzheimer's disease and related dementias (ADRD), neurodegenerative conditions which affect memory and thinking, have tremendous impacts on patients, their caregivers, and our healthcare systems. The global prevalence of dementia is projected to triple to an estimated 153 million individuals living with dementia by 2050; and until very recently, treatment and prevention options have been limited. Groundbreaking advances in basic science, drug development, and population-based health now presage a changing outlook for the field. Dr. Yaffe will discuss the public health impacts of ADRD trends, latest breakthroughs in research, challenges to progress, and the future landscape of ADRD prevention.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, at 5:30 p.m.

(Reception and hors d'oeuvres at 5 p.m.)

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