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### 2014 Eberhardt Rechtin Keynote Lecture

# “Applying Systems Engineering to Improve Healthcare”

Presented by

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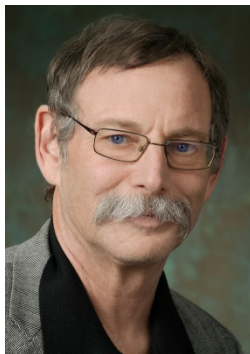
**Thursday, December 11, 2014**

**USC Davidson Conference Center (DCC)**

**2:00-3:30 PM Seminar, DCC Board Room**

**3:30-4:30 PM Reception, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Lobby**

**ABSTRACT** - Systems engineering has proven effective at creating solutions to important societal problems that include a complicated mixture of technical, cost, legal, and social constraints. The healthcare system would seem to be a candidate for benefiting from the application of systems engineering; Dr. Siegel discusses avenues for approaching this problem.



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