

March 3, 2017



# CCTS DIGEST

## Center for Clinical and Translational Science

Providing solutions to sharpen science, improve human health, and address disparities and diseases disproportionately represented within the Deep South.

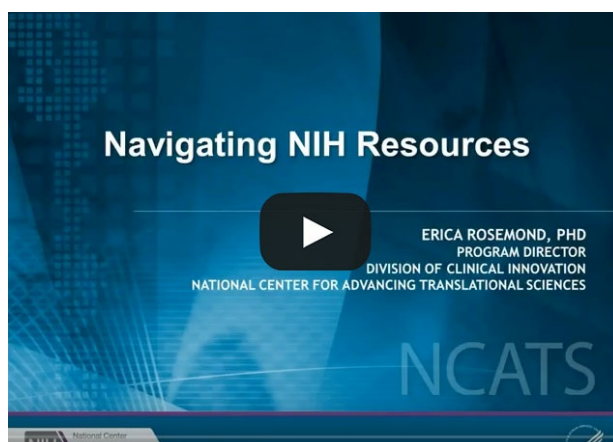


### Did You Know?

More than 100 people have registered to attend our 2017 Community Health Innovation Awards (CHIA) workshop, a record high! Now in its fifth year, CHIA provides funding to support projects aimed at solving real-world health challenges in Birmingham communities. The workshop is the first step of a rigorous process to turn novel ideas into sustainable solutions.

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### Featured Video - Navigating NIH Resources

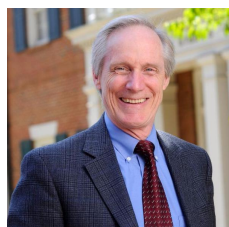


### News/Announcements



### Calling All Mentors! CCTS Seeks CHIA Champions

We are looking for a few special individuals to serve as mentors for the historic number of applicants who responded to our 2017 Community Health Innovation Awards (CHIA) (see Did You Know? above). If you've been looking for a way to make a difference, consider this rewarding opportunity. Apply by **Monday, April 3rd**. [More](#)



### CCTS Director Talks Translation Acceleration

Dr. Robert P. Kimberly, UAB Senior Associate Dean for Clinical and Translational Science, highlighted the many ways CCTS helps speed the pace of scientific discoveries and their progress along the translational pipeline to a standing-room only crowd at Wonderful World of Technology event. [More](#)



### Last Call: CCTS Seeking New K-Scholars

Calling all full-time jr. faculty with a clinical or research doctorate! If you are interested in translational or patient centered outcome research, consider applying for an institutional K award, which provides funding for up to 2 years. **Letters of Intent (LOI) due March 6, 2017.** Request an LOI package **TODAY.** [More](#)

## Funding Opportunities



### FY17 DOD CDMRP Program Pre-Announcements

The Department of Defense (DOD) Office of Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP) is providing information to allow investigators time to plan and develop ideas for submission to **anticipated FY17 funding opportunities.** [More](#)



### National Library of Medicine: Funding to Integrate Informationists on Active Awards

The NLM is offering an Administrative Supplement to eligible NIH awardees with active R01s (some other mechanisms also eligible) to enhance the storage, organization, management, and use of digital research data through involvement of informationists (aka in-context information specialists). **Apply by March 15, 2017, 5pm local time.** [More](#)



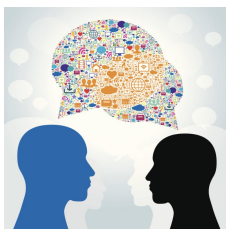
### UAB-HudsonAlpha CGM Announces New Postdoc Training Program in Genomic Medicine

The Center for Genomic Medicine (CGM) is accepting applications for a unique opportunity to research and validate new genomic approaches for clinical care, funded by a National Human Genome Research Institute T32 grant. [More](#)



### NCATS Announces SBIR/STTR Funding to Advance Translational Research Activities

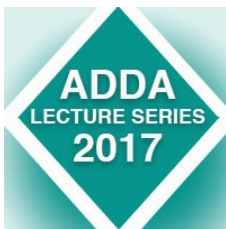
NCATS encourages applications in the following research areas: drug discovery and development, diagnostics and devices, bioinformatics and information technology, and clinical research. **Deadline is April 5, 5:00pm local time.** [More](#)



### NIDCD Research Grants for Translating Basic Research into Clinical Tools (R01) PAR-17-184

This funding opportunity seeks teams comprising basic and clinical researchers and clinicians to develop tools for improved diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of hearing, balance, smell, taste, voice, speech or language disorders. **Letter of Intent due Sept. 18, 5:00pm local time.** [More](#)

## Upcoming Events



### ADDA Lecture Series: Assay Development in Drug Discovery

This week's lecture has been **RESCHEDULED** for March 28.



### Bioinformatics Power Talks

Charles Berger, Senior Director of Product Management for Data Mining and Advanced Analytics at Oracle, will discuss "Machine Learning, Analytical Clouds and Enabling 'Predictive' Applications."

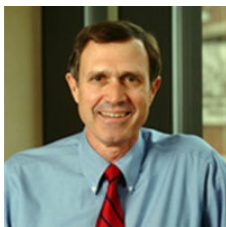
March 8 | 10-11am | THT 142 | [More](#)



### UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Bioethics Seminar Series

Dr. Tom May, Senior Scientist at HudsonAlpha Institute for Biotechnology, will discuss "Demarcation of Clinical vs Research Duties."

March 8 | 3-4pm | Kaul 266 | [More](#)



### March TIERS: 25 Unproven Things that Leaders Should Do Most of the Time

Dr. Peter Ginter actively researches strategic management, leadership, and healthcare organizations. He has authored or coauthored 16 books including *Strategic Management of Health Care Organizations, 7th edition* (2013) and *Public Health Leadership and Management* (2002). GoToMeeting accessible.

March 9 | 2:30-3:30pm | PCAMS | [More](#)

### ADDA Lecture Series: Medicinal Chemistry: From Hit to Lead

March 14 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

### Inaugural Nathan Shock Symposium

March 15 | 9am-3pm | Hill Student Center

### UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Seminar

March 15 | 3-4pm | Finley Conference Center

### CCTS Research Seminar Series: How to Register a Protocol in ClinicalTrials.gov

March 16 | 11am-1pm | PCAMS

### SfRBM Regional Redox Symposium: Translational Redox Biology

March 16-17 | Hill University Center

### ADDA Lecture Series: High Throughput Screening

March 21 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

### CCTS Bioethics in Precision Medicine Symposium

March 23 | 10am-3:30pm | Mobile, AL

### ADDA Lecture Series: Assay Development in Drug Discovery

March 28 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

### UAB Mentoring Week/Graduate Appreciation Week

April 3-7 | UAB

### ADDA Lecture Series: How to Submit an IND

April 4 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

### UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Seminar

April 5 | 3-4pm | Finley Conference Center

**CCTS April Forum: Innovating in Healthcare**

April 5 | 4:45-6pm | PCAMS

**Research Methods and Secondary Data Analysis Seminar Series**

April 6 | 11:45am-1:15pm | MT 634

**Precision Medicine: Integrating Genetics and Genomics into the Clinic**

April 7 | 8am-2pm | \$49 | LSUHSC

**ADDA Lecture Series: Pharmacokinetics and ADME**

April 11 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

**I-Corps™ South Spring Regional Training Kickoff**

April 12 | 9am-3pm | UAB

**UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Bioethics Seminar Series**

April 12 | 3-4pm | Finley Conference Center

**Accessing Clinical Data for Research with i2b2**

*Registration required. Attendees encouraged to obtain i2b2 access prior to training.*

April 18 | 1-3pm | Cudworth 305 | [Register](#)

May 4 | 1-3pm | Cudworth 305 | [Register](#)

**Spring 2017 CTSA Program Meeting**

April 18 | Washington, DC

**ADDA Lecture Series: Business Development**

April 18 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

**ACTS Presents Translational Science 2017**

April 19-21 | Washington, DC

**UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Seminar**

April 19 | 3-4pm | Finley Conference Center

**ADDA Lecture Series: Preclinical Toxicology**

April 25 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

**LSU Health Sciences Center Rare Disease Seminar**

April 28 | noon-1pm | LA Cancer Research Center

**ADDA Lecture Series: Clinical Trials**

May 2 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

**Spring 2017 Regional Seminar on Program Funding and Grants Administration**

May 3-5 | New Orleans, LA

**UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Seminar**

May 3 | 3-4pm | Finley Conference Center

**UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Symposium**

May 8 | 10am-6pm | Huntsville, AL

**ADDA Lecture Series: What is a Valid and Druggable Target?**

May 9 | noon-1pm | PCAMS

**UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Bioethics Seminar Series**

May 10 | 3-4pm | Finley Conference Center

**UAB-HudsonAlpha Center for Genomic Medicine Seminar**

May 17 | 3-4pm | Finley Conference Center

**Big Data Training for Translational Omics Research**

*Apply by March 7*

June 2-11 | West Lafayette, IN

**2017 Southeastern Pediatric Research Conference**

*Abstract deadline is April 3*

June 9 | Georgia Aquarium | Atlanta, GA

**This is Engagement: Best Practices in Community-Engaged Scholarship**

*Call for proposals for presentations and posters that inform or advance university-community partnerships is **open until March 15.***

Sept. 24-27 | Birmingham, AL

**Complete listing of CCTS events**