

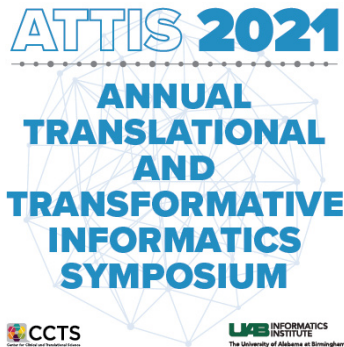


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Latest news and upcoming events
for the CCTS Partner Network

March 1, 2021



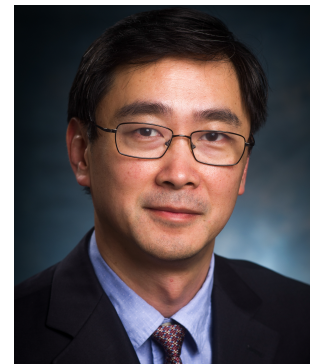
Mark Your Calendar for ATTIS 2021

The Annual Translational and Transformative Informatics Symposium (ATTIS), cohosted by the CCTS and UAB Informatics Institute, will be held virtually on Friday, April 23 from 8am-5pm. Faculty, postdoc trainees, and graduate students are invited to report progress on the latest informatics research and applications in biomedical sciences. The themes of this year's symposium are bioinformatics methods, genomics, cancer genomics, single-cell genomics, clinical genomics, epigenomics, cloud computing, bioinformatics education and relevant applications. The deadline to submit an abstract is April 9th at 5pm.

[Learn more.](#)

Dr. Jake Chen to be Inducted into Medical and Biological Engineering Elite

The CCTS is proud to congratulate Dr. Jake Chen, CCTS Informatics, on his election into the prestigious American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (AIMBE) College of Fellows, for significant contributions to translational bioinformatics research that leads to innovative precision medicine software tools and drug discovery practice.



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The National COVID Cohort Collaborative (N3C)

The [National COVID Cohort Collaborative \(N3C\)](#) has created a large, centralized data resource available to the research community to study COVID-19 at a scale and statistical power not possible within any single institution. As of February 26, 2021, the N3C Data Enclave has grown to include **42 sites, 3.5 M patients, and 816,219 COVID-19 positive patients**. Currently, **8 of the 11 CCTS Partner Institutions have signed DUAs**, allowing investigators at those institutions to access this resource. For an introduction or refresher on the N3C, [check out this recent webinar](#).

[Learn more and access additional resources here.](#)

Medical Grand Rounds this Wednesday, March 3

Katherine E. Hartmann, MD, PhD, Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology and Medicine and Vice-Chair of Research Integration at Vanderbilt University, will present "Doing Life (In Science)" as the keynote presentation for the 2021 DOM Trainee Research Symposium. Tune in at noon on Wednesday, March 3, via Zoom. (If outside UAB, enter "CCTSPartner" when asked for a BlazerID during registration.)



[Register here.](#)



Register for Accelerating Health Equity: March 16-18, 2021

This virtual conference, hosted by [AHA Community Health Improvement \(ACHI\)](#) and the [Institute for Diversity and Health Equity \(IFDHE\)](#) offers unparalleled access for leaders in community health, diversity and inclusion to share successful action steps and stories, build stronger connections with peers and increase collaborative efforts.

[Learn more and register.](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Available Weekly

[Drop-In Clinic: Biostats, Epidemiology, & Research Design \(BERD\)](#)

Prepare your study-related questions for this online opportunity. By appointment only.

[Email for Details](#)

March 4 | 12-1pm

[Research Seminar Series: Source Document Creation](#)

This series covers the latest need-to-know topics in clinical trials, with sessions curated by investigators and their research teams.

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March 5 | 8-9:30am

[Friday Fellows](#)

An opportunity for T32 pre and post docs, investigators, and others interested in population and health outcomes research to discuss research methods, career development, and

March 3 | 12-1pm

[Medical Grand Rounds: Katherine E. Hartmann, MD, PhD](#)

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March 4-5

[Southeast Regional Clinical and Translational Science Conference](#)

This virtual conference brings together researchers from across the region to present the best new clinical and translational research and build collaborative partnerships.

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March 5 | 10-11am

[Informatics Institute Powertalk Series: Clinical Informatics](#)

"Building tools to support family centered care: the InfoSage experience" presented by Charles

works in progress.
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Safran, MD, MS, FACMI.
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March 8 | 11am-12pm
Case Studies in Mentoring:
Promoting Professional Development

Bring your questions and concerns and join us as we explore the nuances of the mentor-mentee relationship.
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Learn on your own schedule, with the CCTS Video Channel

This week we're highlighting the **Friday Fellows Playlist**. Click here to view the recent presentation by Dr. James Willig, "**The Many Lives of Data**" for key takeaways on the value of data in the clinic, in your research, and as an enterprise.

Want to suggest a topic for an upcoming training or enrichment event? [Email ccts@uab.edu!](mailto:ccts@uab.edu)

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