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CCTS DIGEST

Center for Clinical and Translational Science

The latest clinical and translational science news, events, and funding opportunities for the CCTS Partner Network



So What? Why Your Communication Matters & How to Make it Better

Here are ten tips on how to better communicate your science – whether it is with a reporter, community member or science writer.

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Meet Our New LEAD Cohort

Congratulations to our 2019-2020 Learn Enhance Advance Drive (LEAD) Cohort! These 16 participants are committed to enhancing their interpersonal and leadership skills. The purpose of the LEAD program is to build a pipeline of future leaders within UAB, the CCTS Hub.

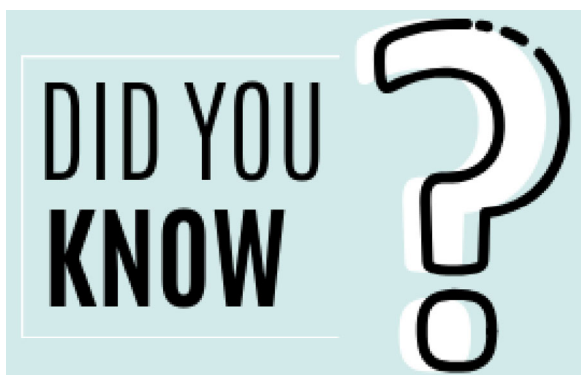
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Join the CCTS Leadership Team to Elevate Clinical & Translational Research to New Heights

With the recent renewal of its NIH award, the CCTS embarks on a new phase – CCTS 3.0 – to elevate platforms for scientific excellence, research partnership, workforce development and community engagement. This ambitious vision for growth and advancement will rely on our dedicated leadership team, with its enthusiasm and tenacity to develop strategic initiatives and facilitate their implementation. To support this growth, the CCTS seeks applications for the position of Deputy Director to expand the CCTS leadership team in the continuing development of clinical and translational

investigation at the CCTS Hub at UAB and across the CCTS Partner Network. [Learn More](#)

CCTS Translational Training Symposium Don't Delay, Registration is Filling Up!



The Gulf of Mexico is the largest gulf in the world! Join the us in Gulf Shores, AL for the CCTS Translational Training Symposium November 14-15.

[Learn more](#)

Funding Opps. & Deadlines

CCTS Interdisciplinary Network Pilot Program

Pre-applications deadline extended to Monday, October 21

CTSA Program Request for Information (RFI)

Request closes on Friday, October 25

CCTS Translational Training Symposium

Register by Friday, November 1

Clinical and Translational Science Training Program (CTSTP)

Apply by Monday, November 4

Predocctoral Clinical/Translational Research Program (TL1)

Apply by Sunday, December 1

More Funding Opportunities

Lectures & Learning



Case Studies in Mentoring: Establishing an Authorship Policy

Bring your questions and concerns and join us as we explore the nuances of the mentor-mentee relationship. Our case-based discussions help participants discover new strategies to maximize the benefits of this career-enhancing skill. Open to investigators at any level from across the CCTS Partner Network. Registration requested, walk-ins welcome.

Oct. 16 | 11am-12pm | PCAMS | Zoom Available
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SPECIAL TOPICS IN CLINICAL TRIALS

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The CCTS Clinical Research Support Program (CRSP) team will discuss "IRB How to Write Documents and Improve IRB Submissions." CMEs will be provided for each one-hour session.

Oct. 17 | 12-1pm | PCAMS | Zoom Available
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FRIDAY FELLOWS

Friday Fellows

This meeting provides the opportunity for T32 pre and post docs, investigators, and others interested in population and health outcomes research to discuss best practices in a supportive "discipline agnostic" environment. Meet other researchers and have FUN!

Oct. 18 | 8-9:30am | PCAMS | Zoom Available
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Informatics Institute Powertalk Seminar Series

Daniel Silva, PhD, Assistant Professor for the Department of Industrial and Systems Engineering at Auburn University, will discuss "Using Industrial Engineering and Lean Techniques to Mitigate Burnout in Care Teams."

Oct. 18 | 10:15-11:30am | Shelby 105 | Zoom Available
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CCTS Friday Mentoring Lunch

This is an informal opportunity to join with peers and Drs. David Chaplin and Lisa Jackson to discuss mentoring opportunities, challenges and advantages. Please register no later than noon on Tuesday, Oct. 15.

Oct. 18 | 11:30am - 12:30pm | PCAMS
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Training Interdisciplinary & Emerging Research Scholars (TIERS)

Martin Young, DPhil, Professor for the Division of Cardiovascular Disease at UAB, will discuss "Writing Your Specific Aims." Lunch will be provided for those who register.

Oct. 18 | 12-1:30pm | PCAMS| Zoom Available
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Full Events Calendar



CCTS Spotlight

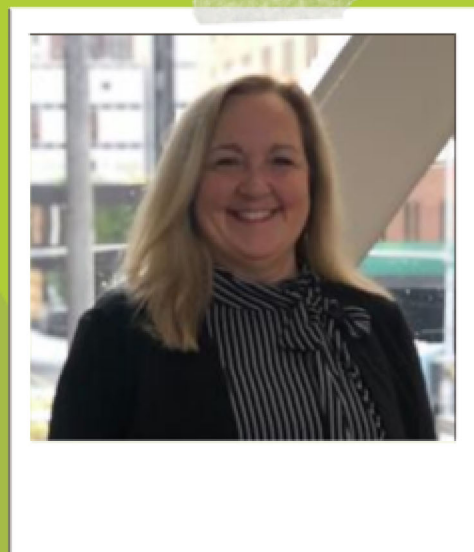
Sandra Roberts

Director of Operations

Southern All of Us Network (UAB)



Sandra Roberts has done an outstanding job in coordinating the efforts of more than 10 sites in the All of Us Southern Network - the largest network in the national All of Us Research Program. This program has innumerable moving parts that mesh remarkably smoothly, in large part thanks to Sandra's efforts.



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