



Center for Clinical and Translational Science

# CCTS DIGEST

Latest news and upcoming events  
for the CCTS Partner Network

October 19, 2020



## Time is Running Out! CCTS Pilot Pre-Applications Are Due October 25th!

Since 2008, the CCTS Pilot Program has supported innovative research tackling health disparities and challenges that disproportionately affect minority and special populations in our region. Don't miss this opportunity!

[Apply today.](#)

## NEW! Mining the Genome with Dr. Bruce Korf

The CCTS Digest will begin featuring a monthly column dedicated to the field of genomic medicine, to spotlight efforts and developments underway and to connect CCTS members to research opportunities.

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## Register for the *All of Us* Research Workbench Onboarding Session

The All of Us Research Workbench is open for beta testing! Now, approved health researchers may begin using All of Us dataset and tools in studies. There will be an onboarding session on Nov. 4th from 10:30-11:30am via Zoom.

[Click here to learn more or register now.](#)

## 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](#)

### Oct. 22 | 8am-12pm

#### Research Orientation Program

A one-session overview of how to  
implement a sponsored or  
investigator-initiated study, including  
key clinical, regulatory and financial  
requirements.

[Register](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

**Oct. 22 | 1-2:30pm**

CCTS Grant Proposal Development  
Academy

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This six-week comprehensive overview of the ins and outs needed to develop, write, and submit winning grant proposals presented by Research Administrators, Faculty, and Funding Agency Program Officers.

[Register Today](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

**Oct. 23 | 8-9:30am**

Friday Fellows

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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 works in progress.

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**Oct. 23 | 10-11am**

Informatics Institute PowerTalk  
Seminar Series

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"Getting to the Edge of Biological Networks" presented by Shahid M. Mukhtar, Ph.D.

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**Oct. 26 | 11am-12pm**

Case Studies in Mentoring:  
Addressing Equity and Inclusion

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Bring your questions and concerns and join us as we explore the nuances of the mentor-mentee relationship.

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**Oct. 27 | 4-5pm**

Informatics Resources Seminar with Dr. Elliot Lefkowitz

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Dr. Lefkowitz will discuss resources available for students and researchers interested in informatics.

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# CCTS Spotlight

## Renie Moss

AGHI Program Director

"Renie's official title is Program Director for the Alabama Genomic Health Initiative, but people who work with her know Renie as the catalyst, coordinator, and often the glue that holds things together for a spectrum of collaborative projects across the intellectual and geographic landscape that includes the CCTS. Her ability to manage, integrate, and facilitate intersecting projects is admirable and inspirational. And, for those who know her personally, she is also a tireless and passionate advocate for patients and their families."

*-Greg Barsh, MD, PhD*



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