



March 29, 2021



## Annual CCTS Bioethics Forum Yields Powerful Conversation

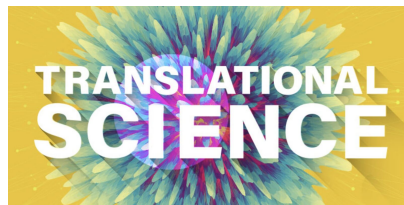
Last Friday's forum addressed common questions surrounding vaccine hesitancy and scientific mistrust.

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## CCTS Announces the 2021 Predoctoral Trainees!

The CCTS is pleased to announce the newest cohort for the Predoctoral Clinical/Translational Research (TL1) Training Program.

[Meet the new CCTS Trainees.](#)



## Translational Science 2021 (TS21) is Here: CCTS Engaged in Sharing, Learning

Here is the list of presentations, abstracts, and posters from across the CCTS Partner Network!

[See the schedule here.](#)

**Effective Immediately - Resumption of Research Operations and Human Subjects Research Guidelines have been updated for the CCTS Hub.**

## 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 30 - April 2**  
[Translational Science 2021](#)

### March 30 | 12-1pm

Learning Health System Month Seminar

"Next Steps to Creating the UAB LHS."  
[Register](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

**April 1 | 12-1pm**  
[Research Seminar Series: Ask the IRB!](#)

We're looking forward to hearing from many CCTS members during this scientific program focused on *Breaking Barriers and Building Bridges* across clinical research and translational science.

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**April 2 | 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 works in progress.

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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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**April 2 | 10-11am**  
Informatics Institute Powertalk Seminar Series - Clinical Informatics

"Facilitating Collaborative Research: Data Harmonization and Pooling" presented by Dr. Eneida Mendonca.

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**April 5**

Kaizen R2T March Game Begins: [Register by March 31](#)

Complete your NIH-required Rigor, Reproducibility, & Transparency training in this interactive gaming format using the Kaizen App.

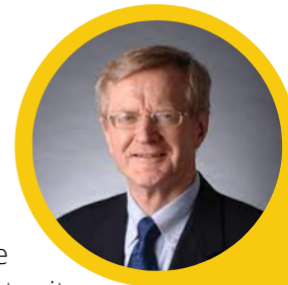
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Full Events Calendar

## CCTS Spotlight

**Ronald W. Horswell, PhD**

**Associate Professor, Research Department/Laboratory:  
Population and Public Health  
Pennington Biomedical Research Center**



"Dr. Horswell is a great team member, bringing years of experience and knowledge in the area of informatics. He jumps at every opportunity to help investigators across our region and often tackle the most important health issues we face. He is involved with the CCTS, LA CaTS Center, N3C, and many more initiatives - providing high quality research where it counts the most! We are lucky to have Ron on our team."

*-Eric Ravussin, PhD, CCTS Site Lead, PBRC Associate Executive Director, Clinical Research*

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