

April 13, 2020



# CCTS DIGEST

Center for Clinical and Translational Science

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

## Translational Science 2020

**CCTS POSTER SESSIONS**

**APRIL 15 & 16 at 1:00 PM**

### **CCTS Goes Live with Poster Sessions after Translational Science 2020 Conference**

The CCTS will follow the highly-anticipated Translational Science 2020 meeting with exciting virtual poster sessions featuring the research of this year's CCTS Trainees.

[Learn More](#)



**Training Interdisciplinary & Emerging Research Scholars**

### ***Self-Care in the COVID Era***

**April 17, 2020 | 12:00-1:00 PM**

#### **Join Us This Friday for Self-Care in the COVID Era**

A panel of clinical and translational investigators will share their experiences during this time of social distancing, and highlight approaches to self-care in the midst of life's other demands.

[Learn More](#)



**MAP IT. ZAP IT.**

We're tracking the latest COVID-19 hot spots. Tell us how you feel today.

[helpbeatcovid19.org](https://helpbeatcovid19.org)

**UAB**  
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ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM

As the Deep South sees a surge in cases of Covid-19, experts from several schools and colleges at UAB have created a symptom checker to identify hot spots where the virus is spreading.

[Learn More](#)

## Lectures & Learning

**The CCTS will continue connecting during this time of social distancing by providing access to online meetings and alternative learning opportunities. Please check the [CCTS Upcoming Events](#) page frequently as changes to scheduling and format are still in development.**

CCTS virtual events often utilize [Zoom](#). If you have any questions about how to launch a meeting using Zoom, please contact CCTS Director of Distance Learning, [Brian Wallace](#).



### CASE STUDIES IN MENTORING

#### [Case Studies in Mentoring: Cultivating Ethical Behaviors](#)

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. All sessions facilitated by experienced UAB mentors.

April 13 | 10:30-11:30am | [Zoom](#)  
[Add to Calendar](#)

#### [Thriving in a Virtual World](#)

A 3-part series to facilitate successful teamwork in a



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virtual workplace with Joel Dobbs, Executive in Residence and Director of the Office of Innovation and Entrepreneurship in the Collat School of Business.

*Topic for this session: Working with Virtual Teams*

April 14 | 12pm & 4pm | [Zoom](#)  
[Add to Calendar](#)



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**Drop-In Clinic: Biostats, Epidemiology, & Research Design (BERD)**

Prepare your study-related questions for this online opportunity.

April 15 | 11:30-1pm | [Email for Details](#)  
[Add to Calendar](#)



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**Translational Science 2020 CCTS Poster Sessions**

Following the highly-anticipated Translational Science 2020 meeting, the CCTS will host brief virtual poster session presentations.

April 15 & 16 | 1-2pm | [Zoom](#)  
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**Research Training Program**

This 6-week program provides research staff (study coordinators, billing staff, regulatory coordinators, etc.) with the basics of implementing and managing a clinical study or trial with an emphasis on good clinical practices (GCPs), research compliance, and other key topics.

April 16 | 8am-12pm | [Must Register to Join](#)  
[Add to Calendar](#)



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**Research Seminar Series**

*IRB Waivers*, presented by: Cari R Oliver, MPA, CIP, Assistant Director, Office of the Institutional Review and Dorothy Shaw of the Clinical Research Support Program.

April 16 | 12-1 pm | [Zoom](#)  
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**Friday Fellows**

This week's topic is *Planning Your Fellowship*. This meeting provides the opportunity for T32 pre and post docs, investigators, and others interested in population

## FRIDAY FELLOWS

and health outcomes research to discuss best practices in a supportive "discipline agnostic" environment.

April 17 | 8-9:30am | [Zoom](#)  
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### TIERS: Self-Care in the COVID Era

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April 17 | 12-1 pm | [Zoom](#)  
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# Funding Opps. & Deadlines

## COVID-19 FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES & INFORMATION

\*General Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) - Proposal Submission and Award Management Related to COVID-19 Notice Number: NOT-OD-20-083\*

\*UPDATE: NIH Late Application Policy Due to Public Health Emergency for United States for 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)\*

\*Notice of Special Interest (NOSI): Competitive and Administrative Supplements for the Impact of COVID-19 Outbreak on Minority Health and Health Disparities\*

\*Accepting COVID-related submissions to *Obesity*.\*

For all NIH COVID-19 specific funding opportunities, [click here](#).

Notice of Special Interest: Administrative Supplements to Promote Research Continuity and Retention of NIH Mentored Career Development (K) Award Recipients and Scholars  
*First available due date March 5*

NIH Announcement of the NCATS "Rare Diseases Are Not Rare!" Challenge Prize Competition  
*Submission Period: February 29- April 30*

Emergency Competitive Revision to Existing NIH Awards (Emergency Supplement - Clinical Trial Optional) PA-20-135  
*Posted date: March 10*

Call for Research Concepts: Secondary Data Analysis on Obesity and Related Diseases in the Context of Health Disparities  
*Concept Due: May 1, 2020*

Phased Large Awards for Comparative Effectiveness Research – Cycle 2 2020  
Opens May 5, 2020

S10 Instrumentation Programs  
Deadline: June 1

Notice of Special Interest: Research Through NCATS' CTSA Program: Collaborative  
Innovation Awards (UO1 and R21)  
First available due date: July 10

[More Funding Opportunities](#)

## CCTS Spotlight

**Katie Vance, PhD**  
**Director Clinical Research**

*Our Lady of the Lake Regional Medical Center*

"Under Katie's guidance, Our Lady of the Lake Regional Medical Center has been a productive member of SHARe, responding actively to the trial opportunities offered through the NCATS' Trial Innovation Network. Katie is a responsive and accountable member of the SHARe Advisory Committee and OLOL's engagement with SHARe greatly increases the Network's reach to patient populations throughout the Louisiana area."



- *Frannie Horn, JD, EdS, Program Director, SHARe*

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