



Center for Clinical and Translational Science

# CCTS DIGEST

Latest news and upcoming events  
for the CCTS Partner Network

August 30, 2021



## End of an Era: Pittman Center for Advanced Medical Studies (PCAMS) Demolished

PCAMS was the home of the CCTS for over 10 years, providing a gathering space that fostered collaboration and community among our investigators. Although the CCTS offices moved across campus at the Hub to the Shelby Biomedical Building earlier this year, we officially said farewell last week as PCAMS was demolished to make way for new construction on the Altec Styslinger Genomic Medicine and Data Science Building.

Do you have a memory from your time in PCAMS to share? Email [ccts@uab.edu](mailto:ccts@uab.edu) and your story might be featured in future newsletters and on the CCTS Twitter (@cctsnetwork).

## CCTS Research Training Program Kicks Off Next Week

This 6-week program provides in-depth training on essential areas of clinical investigation. This opportunity is appropriate for study coordinators, billing managers, regulatory staff and other research team members. The program begins September 7, 2021 and goes through October 12, 2021.

**Register today.**



## Access Translational Science 2021 Recordings

Recordings from Translational Science 2021 (TS21) are now available. This incredible scientific meeting, hosted by the Association for Clinical and Translational Science, features presentations and workshops by CTSA members across the country and the CCTS Partner Network. Because TS21 was completely virtual, researchers have the unique

opportunity to access more content from this conference than in previous years. Recordings are free for [members](#).

Visit the ACTS [Learning Library](#) to explore recordings.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Available Weekly

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

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Prepare your study-related questions for this online or in-person opportunity. Virtual sessions by appointment only, walk-in clinics, M-10-2pm & W-11:30-1pm in the Edge of Chaos (4th floor Lister Hill Library).

[Email for Details](#)

### Sept. 3 | 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.

[Sign Up](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

### September 9-11

#### 15th Annual Diabetes, Obesity, and CV Disease Virtual Summit

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Virtual two-day summit packed with expert speakers.

[Agenda](#) | [Register](#)

### Sept. 2 | 12-1pm

#### Research Seminar Series

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Quality in Clinical Research: Can We Do It? Presented by Penelope Jester, RN, MPH, CCRC. RSS topics are of interest to clinical research personnel including investigators, regulatory personnel, study coordinators and financial administrators. \*CME credits provided for each session.

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### September 7 | 1-4:30pm

#### Research Training Program

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A six-session, in-depth training on essential areas of clinical research and trials with key leaders at UAB.

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### Sept. 9 | 11am-1pm

#### UAB OIRB

#### Virtual Office Hours

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An opportunity for everyone in the research community to access an experienced UAB OIRB staff member.

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

### Sept. 10 | 10-11am

#### Case Studies in Collaboration and Teamwork

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This program covers the basics of team science and collaboration as well as how to navigate the challenges of working in interdisciplinary teams to improve research outcomes.

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[Full Events Calendar](#)



## Learn on your own schedule, with the **CCTS Video Channel**

This week we're highlighting  
Dr. Bertha Hidalgo's presentation,  
**"Scientific Manuscript Writing"**, part  
of the Translational Research Summer  
Series. [Click here to check it out!](#)

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