Funding Opportunities

Enhance Your Research with a CCTS and/or Radiology Imaging Development Voucher
Do you have specimens that need processing, data that need analyzing, or subjects who require dietary, nursing, or regulatory support? Would your project benefit from molecular, functional or anatomic images? The CCTS and UAB Dept. of Radiology voucher programs offer extra support that may help take your research to the next level. Investigators with a full-time faculty appointment at any CCTS Partner institution are encouraged to apply. Each program offers up to $5,000 in direct costs. More

Small Business Innovation Research and Technology Transfer Grants
Applications for PA-18-574 and PA-18-275 should address a range of focus areas relevant to any stage of translation, from target validation through pre-clinical and clinical evaluation, to intervention implementation and dissemination. Applications due Sept.
Health Services, Outcomes and Effectiveness Research Training Program
This is a full-time mentored research training postdoctoral fellowship supported by the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (ARHQ) through the T32 Institutional National Research Service Awards (NRSA). The program prepares scholars for a career translating research evidence into practice. Applications due Sept. 17. More

Health Disparities Research Education Certificate Program 2018-19 – Open to CCTS Partners!
This interdisciplinary professional development program is recruiting junior faculty, medical residents, postdoctoral fellows, and mid-level faculty interested in making a transition to disparities research in obesity, cancer, aging, cardiovascular disease, HIV, and other disease conditions. Scholars who complete the program may be eligible to apply for pilot funding to start their project. Applications and Letters of Support due Sept. 19. More

CCTS Radiology Pilot Research Initiative
In collaboration with the UAB Department of Radiology and School of Medicine, the CCTS is requesting pilot study proposals for research projects requiring human imaging on the Highlands 3T, PET/MR, PET/CT, CT, and/or Small Animal Imaging on the 9.4T, MRI, Micro PET/CT, etc. The intent of the Pilot Initiative is to promote pre-clinical and clinical research projects and so acquire data that can be used in publications and extramural grant applications. Application due Sept. 21. More

This Week’s Learning Opportunities
Case Studies in Mentoring: Maintaining Effective Communication
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.
Sept. 5 | 11am-12pm | PCAMS | More

CCTS Drop-In Clinics
Join us for the first Wednesday Drop-In Clinics for free consultations in Biostats, Epidemiology and Research Design, Biorepository, Bionutrition, and Clinical Research Unit. No appointment necessary. Bring laptop and study related questions.
Sept. 5 | 11:30am-1pm | PCAMS | More

Special Topics in Clinical Trials
The CCTS Clinical Research Support Program team will discuss, "Preparing for an FDA Audit: What You Should Know." Earn AMA PRA Category 1 CME credit. GoToMeeting Available.
Accessing Clinical Data for Research with i2b2
This hands-on training will help investigators learn how to access de-identified patient data, check study feasibility, develop hypotheses, and more. **Registration required.** Attendees encouraged to obtain i2b2 access prior to training.

Sept. 6 | 12-1pm | PCAMS | More

Upcoming Events

**Department of Epidemiology Seminar Series: Informatics for Translating Clinical Research Finding to Populations: Small and Big Data**
Sept. 10 | 12-1pm | Ryals 407

**CCTS Research Training Program**
**Registration and $150 course fee required**
Sept. 11 - Oct. 16 | 7:45am-12pm | PCAMS

**CCTS I-Corps Bootcamp**
**Registration required**
Sept. 12 | 8am-12pm | Nielsen Innovation Lab, CSB 109

**Case Studies in Mentoring: Aligning Mentor/Mentee Expectations**
**Registration requested**
Sept. 12 | 11am-12pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available

**Sips & Science: Understanding Your Aging Brain**
**Registration Requested**
Sept. 12 | 5-7pm | Southern Research

**HSE Entrepreneurial Grand Rounds: I-Corps@NCATS Workshop**
Sept. 14 | 1-2pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available

**Department of Epidemiology Seminar Series: Generating and Using Polygenic Risk Scores for Complex Traits in Studies with Diverse Populations**
Sept. 17 | 12-1pm | Ryals 407

**Case Studies in Mentoring: Assessing Mentee Understanding**
**Registration requested**
Sept. 19 | 11am-12pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available

**Alabama Drug Discovery Alliance Symposium**
**Registration required by Sept. 17**
Sept. 20 | 8:30am-12pm | Southern Research

**UAB Center for Exercise Medicine Science Communication Workshop**
**Registration required**
Sept. 20 | 11:45am-1pm | Hill Student Center | UAB

**Special Topics in Clinical Trials: How to Create Source Documents**
Sept. 20 | 12-1pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available

**UAB Center for Exercise Medicine REACT Clinical Trials Workshop**
6th Annual UAB Center for Exercise Medicine Symposium
Registration required
Sept. 21 | 8am-2pm | Hill Student Center | UAB

I-Corps@NCATS Regional Short Course Kick-off Workshop - UC Davis
Registration required by Sept. 4
Sept. 21 | 9am-4pm | Davis, CA

Informatics Institute Lecture: Dr. Aidong Zhang
Sept. 21 | 1:30-2:30pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available

Department of Epidemiology Seminar Series: The Pediatric and Congenital Heart Center of Alabama
Sept. 24 | 12-1pm | Ryals 407

Case Studies in Mentoring: Addressing Equity and Inclusion
Registration requested
Sept. 26 | 11am-12pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available

UAB Research Orientation Program
Registration required
Sept. 27 | 12-1pm | PCAMS

Accessing Clinical Data for Research with i2b2
Registration required. Attendees encouraged to obtain i2b2 access prior to training.
Sept. 27 | 1-3pm | LRC 210A

NCATS Day 2018: Engaging Patients and Communities for Smarter Science
Sept. 28 | 9am-4:30pm | NIH | Bethesda, MD

6th Annual Immunogenomics Conference
Oct. 1-3 | HudsonAlpha Institute for Biotechnology | Huntsville, AL

Department of Epidemiology Seminar Series: Morbidity in Cancer Survivorship
Oct. 8 | 12-1pm | Ryals 407

Accessing Clinical Data for Research with i2b2
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Oct. 9 | 1-3pm | LRC 210A

Case Studies in Mentoring: Cultivating Ethical Behaviors
Registration requested
Oct. 10 | 11am-12pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available

5th Annual Community Engagement Institute
Building Bridges for Better Health through Engaging Communities
Oct. 12 | 8am-5pm | Hyatt Regency Hotel | Hoover, AL

Department of Epidemiology Seminar Series: Improvements of Bacterial Susceptibility to Fluoroquinolones After Implementation an Antimicrobial Stewardship Restriction Program: A Decade-Long Experience
Oct. 15 | 12-1pm | Ryals 407

Case Studies in Mentoring: Establishing an Authorship Policy
Registration requested
Oct. 17 | 11am-12pm | PCAMS | GoToMeeting Available
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