Conference Theme: “Effective Health Care and Inclusion: Growing the Next Generation of Researchers for Bioethics, Biomedical, Behavioral, and Health Disparities Research”

Conference Venue: Auburn Marriott Opelika Hotel and Conference Center at Grand National, 3700, Robert Trent Jones Trail, Opelika, AL  36801

Tentative Schedule of Activities

WEDNESDAY, January 23, 2019
10:00 a.m.  On-Site Registration and Continental breakfast
10:30 a.m.  Welcome and Greetings
10:45 a.m.  Plenary Session: Philosophical Accounts of Vulnerability and Ethical Obligations
11:45 a.m.  Watch Documentary Film: “Deadly Deception” over LUNCH
1:15 p.m.  Depart for Tuskegee
2:15 p.m.  View USPHS Syphilis Study and HeLa Cells Exhibits—TU Legacy Museum
3:30 p.m.  Facilitated Discussion on Documentary Film and Exhibits—TU Kellogg Conf. Center
4:30 p.m.  Tour of Tuskegee University Campus
4:45 p.m.  Depart for Opelika
6:00 p.m.  Exhibit/Poster Set-ups
6:30 p.m.  NETWORKING DINNER and Poster Session I

THURSDAY, January 24, 2019
7:30 a.m.  On-Site Registration
8:15 a.m.  Continental Breakfast
8:30 a.m.  Welcome and Greetings
8:45 a.m.  Plenary Session: The Unnatural Causes of Health Inequalities and Inequity
9:45 a.m.  Networking Coffee Break
10:00 a.m.  Viewing of Video-Clip: Flint Water Documentary
11:00 a.m.  Facilitated Discussion
12:30 p.m.  LUNCH: Keynote Address: Breaking the Cycle of Health Inequalities: What does bioethics and public health ethics have to do with it?
1:45 p.m.  Panel Discussion: Current Intervention Research on Improving Minority Health: Standards and Models, Promises and Perils; Q&A
2:45 p.m.  NETWORKING Coffee Break
3:00 p.m.  Posters Session II
4:15 p.m.  Panel Discussion: The Obligations and Challenges of Translating Research Findings into Practice—From Bench side to Bed side to the Community and Everything In-between!
6:30 p.m.  Celebration and NETWORKING Banquet

FRIDAY, January 25, 2019
7:30 a.m.  On-Site Registration/Breakfast
8:15 a.m.  Welcome and Greetings
8:30 a.m.  Plenary Session: *Envisioning Future Research and Clinical Practice with Bioethics Lens: A Word for the Next Generation of Researchers- All of Us Research Program, Activism, and Policy Implications*

9:20 a.m.  Panel Discussion: *Take-Home Lessons Session: What Should Change and What Should Remain the Same to Promote Health Equity? Q&A*

10:20 a.m.  Networking Coffee Break

10:30 a.m.  Panel Discussion: *Ethical relationships between Large Research-Intensive Institutions and Smaller Minority-Serving Institutions: What Should Be Encouraged and What Should Be Discouraged to Promote Equity? Q&A*

11:30 Noon  DEBRIEFING, EVALUATION, CLOSING and BOXED LUNCH