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**Program Steering Committee Meeting of the MSM/TU/UAB CCC Partnership**

**University of Alabama at Birmingham, Comprehensive Cancer Center**

**AGENDA**

**Venue:** Wallace Tumor Institute (WTI 231)

**Date/Time**: **March 25, 2014**

5:00 - 5:30 pm:Pre-meeting Discussion [PSC members and NCI Official (WTI 201)]

5:30 - 6:15 pm: Meeting of PSC Members with Dr. Ray Watts President and Dr. Edward Partridge, Comprehensive Cancer Center of University of Alabama at Birmingham (WTI 201)

6:30 - 7:30 pm: Dinner (WTI 231) (PSC Members, NCI Official, and PIs)

7:30 - 8:30 pm: Partnership updates by the PIs

* + - * UAB Comprehensive Cancer Center Update, Dr. Upender Manne
      * Morehouse School of Medicine Update, Dr. James Lillard
      * Tuskegee University Update, Dr. Timothy Turner

**Date/Time: March 26, 2014**

7:15 - 8:00 am: Continental Breakfast

8:00 - 8:15 am: Greetings & Introductory Remarks by Dr. Ray Watts, President, University of Alabama at Birmingham (WTI 231)

8:15 - 8:25 am: Brief Introduction by the PSC Chair, Dr. Claudia Baquet

8:25 - 8:35 am: NCI Perspectives, Dr. Peter Ogunbiyi

8:35 - 8:50 am: **Planning & Evaluation Core**

**Co-Leaders** **Institution**

Mechelle Claridy, MPH MSM

Marilyn DeNeal, EdS TU

Michelle Martin, PhD UAB (Presenter)

Maria Pisu, PhD UAB

8:50 - 9:05 am: Shared Resource: Bioethics

**Co-Leaders Institution**

Nathan Nobis, PhD MSM

Stephen Sodeke, PhD TU (Presenter)

William Grizzle, MD, PhD UAB9:05 - 9:20 am:

**Shared Resource: Biostatistics**

**Co-Leaders** **Institution**

Wonsuk Yoo, PhD MSM (Presenter)

Peter He, PhD TU

Karan Singh, PhD UAB

9:20 - 9:35 am: **Cancer Education Program**

Co-Leaders Institution

Gary Sanford, PhD MSM

Roberta Troy, PhD TU (Presenter)

Michelle Martin, PhD UAB

9:35 - 9:50 am: **Cancer Training Program**

**Co-Leaders Institution**

Stephanie Miles-Richardson, DVM, PhD MSM

Shailesh Singh, PhD MSM

Veena Rao, PhD MSM

Roberta Troy, PhD TU

Mona Fouad, MD, MPH UAB

Ann Smith, MPH UAB (Presenter)

9:50 - 10:00 am: Break

10:00 - 10:30am: **Pilot Project Presentations**

**Project Title Co-Leaders/Institution**

10:00 - 10:15 am: BRCA1 Deficiency and Epithelial Ovarian Veena Rao, PhD/MSM (Presenter)

Cancers Charles Landen, MD/UAB

10:15 - 10:30 am: Chemopreventive and Therapeutic Activity of Kamel Khazal, PhD/TU (Presenter)

*Withania* somnifera and is Mechanism of Action Clinton Grubbs, PhD/UAB

in Human Breast Cancer

10:30 - 11:00 am: **Full Project Presentations**

**Project Title Co-Leaders/Institution**

10:30 - 10:45 am Molecular Characterization of Aggressive Colon Temesgen Samuel, PhD/TU (Presenter) Cancers of African-American Patients Clarence Clark, MD/ MSM

Upender Manne, PhD/UAB

10:45 - 11:00 am: Kaiso as a Prognostic Factor and Potential Clayton Yates, PhD/TU (Presenter)

Therapeutic Target in Breast Cancer William E. Grizzle, MD, PhD/UAB

11:00 - 11:15am: **Cancer Outreach Program**

**Co-Leaders Institution**

Ernest Alema Mensah, PhD, DMin, MS ,MS Div MSM

Mechelle Claridy, MPH MSM

Vivian Carter, PhD TU

Barbara Howard, MS TU

Norma Dawkins, PhD TU

Mona Fouad, MD, MPH UAB (Presenter)

Michelle Martin, PhD UAB

Nedra Lisovicz, PhD, MPH UAB

11:15 - 11:45 am **General Discussion on Presentations**

11:45am - 12:15pm: Meeting with PSC & Scholar Trainees/Students

12:15 pm - 1:30pm: Working Lunch Meeting: Development of strategies to strengthen the Partnership and ensure its continued success (All Participants)

1:30 - 2:00 pm: Meeting of PSC Members and NCI Official(s) (Closed) (WTI 201)

2:00 - 2:30 pm: Briefing of Partnership PIs (WTI 231)

2:30 pm: Adjournment