



Center for Clinical and Translational Science

CCTS DIGEST

Latest news and upcoming events for the CCTS Partner Network

June 6, 2022

Minng the Genome: New! All of Us Research Program Data Funding Opportunity

Administrative supplements are now available to researchers who leverage the diverse data sets in the All of Us Researcher Workbench.

[Learn more about this exciting opportunity.](#)



Are you or members of your team new to Translational Research?

CCTS Translational Research Summer Series is an opportunity for investigators to connect with experts presenting an introduction to translational research. The eight-week virtual lecture series begins this Wednesday, June 8th.

[Register today!](#)



Mark your calendar for the 2022 CCTS Translational Training Symposium, being held in person at the [Battle House Hotel](#) in Mobile, Alabama from September 14-16th. This

2.5-day event convenes predoctoral, postdoctoral, and early career scholars from across the CCTS Partner Network for experiential training and career development sessions on translational and design thinking, grant writing, clinical trials, community engagement, funding opportunities, and more.

Registration details are forthcoming, but you can go ahead and [download the calendar application to save the event!](#)

CCTS IN THE NEWS

The CCTS is delighted to acknowledge and celebrate the steady stream of news about the outstanding accomplishments of our CCTS members.

18 Faculty named winners of the 2022 Dean's Excellence Awards

Dr. Dean is a 2018 CCTS CTSTP Scholar; Dr. Hyndman is CCTS Nascent Projects Panel Co-Lead; Dr. Limdi is CCTS Training Academy Co-Director; Dr. Wallace is CCTS Telehealth Lead.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Available Weekly

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

Prepare your study-related questions for this online or in-person opportunity. In-person clinics are Wednesdays from 11:30-1:00 & Fridays from 8:30-11:30 in SHEL 120.
[Email to Schedule a Virtual Session](#)

June 9 | 11am-1pm OIRB Office Hours

An opportunity for anyone and everyone in the research community to have direct access to an experienced OIRB staff member.
[Drop-In](#) | [Add to Calendar](#)

June 8 | 9-10am

Translational Research Summer Series: Introduction to Translational Science

Presented by Jennifer A. Croker, PhD, Senior Administrative Director for the CCTS.

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June 9 | 2-3pm OnCore Q&A Session

Do you have a question or concern about OnCore? Join OnCore staff on Thursdays for a drop-in session to have any and all questions addressed.
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June 13 | 11am-12pm

Case Studies in Mentoring: Developing Negotiating Skills

Bring your questions and concerns and join us as we explore the nuances of the mentor-mentee relationship.

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[Full Events Calendar](#)

Get to Know Your CCTS

THIS WEEK, MEET **CLIFFORD KENNON, MS**
PROGRAM DIRECTOR
CCTS ENGAGEMENT OF COMMUNITIES



1 What was the best thing you did last month?

During Mothers' DAY weekend for Saturday, I was able to lead my fraternity scholarship committee as chairman in Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity and award five inaugural scholarships to high school seniors from various high schools across Jefferson County who participated in our Black History Month Essay Contest earlier this year. Contributing to positive impact with our youth is always a high priority to me. Additionally on Sunday, Mothers' DAY, I enjoyed a GREAT day of fun fellowship with my mother and siblings. My family always enjoy celebrating our Mother because we believe we have the best one in the whole world!

2 If you could take anyone to lunch, dead or alive or fictional character, who would it be?

There are many great men and women that I'd like to take to lunch. In choosing just one, I'd say Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall. Justice Marshall was a civil rights lawyer who used the courts to fight Jim Crow laws and dismantle segregation in the United States. Justice Marshall was a towering figure who became the nation's first Black United States Supreme Court Justice and he is best known for arguing the historic 1954 Brown v. Board of Education case. He also went on to become a significant advocate for civil rights, winning several cases to help Black American teachers get equal pay. I am confident that if he were alive today and I had that opportunity, it would be a lunch meeting that I would never ever forget.

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