Bioengineering at NYU Polytechnic School of Engineering: Opportunities for Collaborative Translational Research - March 6, 2014

- The CTSI is pleased to announce an opportunity to meet and network with researchers from the NYU Polytechnic School of Engineering. A poster session will be held on Thursday, March 6th in Alumni Hall (in front of Farkas Auditorium) from 3:00 – 5:00 pm. A total of 25 researchers from NYU Poly will be showcasing their research interests and potential collaborative opportunities. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Rosa Hsieh

Mentor of the Year Award – Call for Nominations

- The CTSI is pleased to announce a call for nominations for the annual Translational Research Mentor of the Year Award. Mentorship is one of the most important determinants of a successful career in translational research, yet it is a component of career development that is often under-appreciated. TREC would like to recognize outstanding mentors. Mentors in Translational Research from NYUSoM or any other NYU School or College are eligible, along with our HHC CTSI partner facilities. To nominate a mentor, the mentee must submit a letter to Jessica Stangel by March 14th. For detailed information about the award and what to include in the letter, please visit the Mentor of the Year Website


- Please join the CTSI on Friday March 28th starting at 9:00 am for the seminar Understanding Patient and Stakeholder Engagement in Patient Centered Outcomes Research. Session speakers are Drs. Darius Tandon, PhD, and Chau Trinh-Shevrin, DrPH. Dr Tandon is Associate Professor in Medical Social Sciences and Associate Director, Center for Community Health at Northwestern University, as well as the Co-Chair of PCORI Patient Engagement. Dr. Trinh-Shevrin is an Associate Professor in the NYU Department of Population Health, and Co-director of the NYU-HHC CTSI Community Engagement & Population Health Research Core. This seminar will help participants: to recognize the potential role of patients and other stakeholders in patient-centered outcomes research; to articulate and apply the ‘PCORI Patient and Family Engagement Rubric’ as a guide to engaging stakeholders in the conduct of research; and to discuss the process involved in obtaining patient and other stakeholder input during the research planning. The seminar will take place in the Translational Research Building, 227 East 30th Street, First Floor Seminar Room. For more information and to RSVP please contact: Catlin Rideout

NYU Ion Channels and Transporters Science Interest Group Meeting: March 5, 2014

- The March seminar of the Ion Channels & Transporters Science Interest Group will be held on Wednesday, March 5th at 6:15 pm in Bellevue 10W5 (10th Floor, H building on the inpatient side). Light snacks will be provided, and Rowann Bowcutt will be presenting her research. To learn more about this interest group, please click on the following link: ICT Interest Group

TREC Grand Rounds: Dr. Alan N. Charney from Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation - March 26, 2014

- This month’s grand rounds is scheduled for March 26th from 4:00- 5:00 pm in the Translational Research Building, Room 818. Dr. Charney’s presentation is entitled Research and Drug Development in the
Pharmaceutical Industry. If you have any questions, please contact Jessica Stangel

RECENT CTSI NEWS & HIGHLIGHTS

2014 Physician Scientist Training Program Award Recipient: Dr. Irfana Soomro
• The CTSI would like to congratulate Dr. Irfana Soomro for receiving this year’s PSTP award. The program will begin in July 2014. All of the applications received were of high merit. To learn more about this program, please click on the following link: PSTP

2014 International Symposium on Minority Health & Health Disparities
• The theme of the 2014 International Symposium on Minority Health and Health Disparities will focus on Transdisciplinary Collaborations: Evolving Dimensions of US and Global Health Equity. CEPHR co-director, Dr. Trinh-Shevrin, will co-chair the national Scientific Committee for this Symposium. The symposium will take place December 1-3, 2014 in National Harbor, Maryland. The call for abstracts has been opened. To learn more about this symposium, please click on the following link: ISMHHD

CTSI Clinical Research Center: Study of the Month
• The featured study of the month is Dr. Becca Rosenberg’s study on investigating parental anxiety and child pain along the timeline of their child’s cleft lip/palate repair surgery. Using the CRC Services, Dr. Rosenberg will collect data to develop a parent-focused intervention with a goal to decrease parental anxiety and potentially decrease medical trauma and postsurgical child pain. To learn more about the CRC and what it offers, please click on the following link: CRC

FEATURED RESOURCE OF THE MONTH
Consultation in Biomedical and Clinical Research Informatics (CHIBI)
• The Best Practices Integrative Consulting Service (BPIC) of the Center for Health Informatics and Bioinformatics in collaboration and with the sponsorship of the NYU-HHC CTSI offers a consulting clinic for investigators that need help in areas of informatics. Consultations are offered by expert informatics faculty and have led to numerous successes including improvements in methodology and publications. To learn more about this service; please click on the following link CHIBI Consultation Service. If you would like to request a consult, please complete a Service Request Form

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