You Are Cordially Invited to Join Us for a

CTSA Un-Meeting Event

The Critical Need for Professional Workforce Development at Academic Medical Centers: Collaborative Conversations

Who should attend:

- Clinical research professionals with a keen interest in workforce development
- Anyone involved in hiring, managing, training and supporting the competency and career development of clinical research professionals
- Due to space limitations and to ensure a diversity of representatives across CTSAs and AMCs, we encourage only 1-2 representatives per CTSA.

***When**: 30-April, 2020 (day before ACRP 2020 conference), 12:30 – 6:30 PM + Reception*

***Where:** The University of Washington – Seattle;* 1310 NE 40th St, Seattle, WA 98105

***Objectives**:*

- The purpose of this meeting is to use an "un-meeting" format to enhance focused discussions on topics related to workforce development for clinical research professionals (CRPs) working in academic medical centers (AMCs), especially those that are working on federally funded clinical research.
- The goal is to share perspectives on the challenges and successes in conducting research for NIH, with a focus on developing actionable ways to drive improvement in the clinical research workforce

***Agenda Highlights**:*

- *Key Note Speaker:*
  - Mike Kurilla, MD, Director of Clinical Innovation, National Center for Advancing Translational Science (NCATS), NIH.
- *Key Topics for brainstorming and idea generation:*
  - Competency-based, standardized job titles
  - Issues in Onboarding and Continuing Education of CRPs
  - Issues in Attrition, Retention, Progression
  - Improving the pipeline of CRPs

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***Fees**: No cost for registration*

Registration Notes:

- *Attendees will have the opportunity to register for ACRP 2020 at a significantly reduced rate of $699 for the conference.*
- *If you need a hotel for the CTSA un-meeting only, a block of rooms has been reserved at:*
  - Location: Silver Cloud Hotel – University District
  - Dates: the nights of April 29th and April 30th
  - Rate: $165 + $25.70 tax = $190.70 per night (onsite parking is an additional $15, internet and complimentary breakfast from 6:30-9:30AM is included)
  - The group code that must be provided at the time of booking is "ITHS Un-meeting"
- *If you will be attending BOTH the ACRP and CTSA un-meeting events, you can take advantage of the ACRP room block at the Sheraton hotel (details available once you register)*

To register for the CTSA un-meeting and/or the ACRP 2020 conference, please visit:

https://www.avectraacrp.com/eweb/DynamicPage.aspx?Reg_evt_key=b23d5a55-3210-441e-9c99-c2bab6d8ffe3&WebCode=EvtRedirectorTL

(Note: you will need to create a log in account with ACRP to complete the registration)

This un-meeting is eligible for 4.75 contact hours towards ACRP maintenance of certification.

We look forward to seeing you in Seattle!

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