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Greater Charlotte Association of Clinical Research Professionals



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Greetings from Perla Nunes

I hope all of you had a great Summer! For those who do not know me, let me introduce myself. I am serving as the President of the Greater Charlotte Chapter of ACRP for 2013. I've been a GCACRP member since 2007 and a board member since 2010. For the past 4 years I have been working for Duke Medicine's MURDOCK Study. I am a Project Leader overseeing Community Outreach and Recruitment for the study.

Thus far in 2013, we have had the following programs:

- February 5– “MURDOCK Study: Building a Registry and Biorepository for Patient Population Characterization.” Melissa Cornish and Leah Bouk gave a very informative presentation.
- April 16 - Dr. Michael Runyon, Director of the CMC Global Emergency Medicine Program spoke of his research work in Tanzania.
- May 21 - This program featured Sophia Miranda, Assistant Director, Human Research Protection Program for Carolinas HealthCare System. Ms. Miranda's presentation titled “Association for the Accreditation of Human Research Protection Programs, Inc. (AAHRPP)”.
- September 17 – A live webinar program titled “Physician Payment Sunshine: A Ray of Hope or a Deeply Flawed Law?” The Speaker was David Vulcano, a member of the Clinical Services Group of HCA. David is the AVP and Responsible Executive for Clinical Research. He is a well-known leader in the clinical research industry, and within ACRP.

We will be having our Fall Conference at UNC Charlotte on Friday, 10/25. The topic of the conference is “Lost in Translational Medicine”. We have many great speakers on the agenda. Hope to see you there!



Treasurer's Report September 2013

Treasury Balance 9/9/2013: \$9,946.11

Fall Conference Fees will be pending after October 25, 2013



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The Greater Charlotte Chapter of ACRP has a proud history of providing support and educational opportunities to the Charlotte research community. This is done completely through the work of dedicated volunteers. If you would be interested in serving on any of our committees, please contact Regina McFadden or any of the committee chairs listed below.

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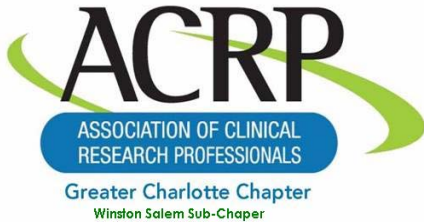
2013 GCACRP Event Registration

All registrations will be done through the Greater Charlotte Chapter page on the ACRP Website. Log in at <http://www.acrpnet.org> and follow the links to the Greater Charlotte chapter. Here you will be prompted to register for events either as a member (free including dinner), member requesting contact hours (\$10, dinner is free), Non-member (\$10 for dinner), or Non-member requesting contact hours (\$35 for hours and dinner). Registration for events will only be available shortly before each event. If you purchase contact hours and attend the event, the online evaluation form will be available starting the day following the event. You must complete the evaluation to receive your contact hours.

The September Monthly meeting was held on September 17, 2013 with David Vulcano AVP & Responsible Executive, Clinical Research, HCA speaking on Physician Payment Sunshine: A Ray of Hope or a Deeply Flawed Law?

Please stay tuned for details on the end of the year holiday gathering and business meeting in December.





Winston-Salem Sub-Chapter

Did you know that GCACRP has a sub-chapter in Winston Salem? **New members should choose Winston-Salem from the Chapter options when registering for or renewing their chapter membership.**

Next meeting date and time:

November 4, 2013
Networking: 5:30 – 6:00 pm
Meeting: 6:00 – 8:00 pm
The meetings offer 2 CEU's each.
Sign up through the ACRP website

Location: Sara Lee Conference Center at Forsyth Hospital – 3333 Silas Creek Parkway, Winston-Salem, NC 27103. Parking is free.

As, always, if you have program suggestions or would like to get involved the WS Sub-Chapter, they will be very glad to hear from you.

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If you would be interested in working with the Winston Salem Sub-Chapter, please contact Bob Romanchuk

MEMBERSHIP:

Commitment and Cooperation



We currently have **103** local chapter members. If you are interested in joining the local chapter, please sign-up online at www.acrpnet.org/

ACRP membership is a prerequisite for chapter membership. Annual chapter dues are \$20, which allows you to receive continuing education credits from our programs at a greatly discounted rate. We also provide complementary dinner at our meetings for chapter members.

To join ACRP and the local chapter please follow this link:
<http://www.acrpnet.org/GetInfoFor/USChapters/GreaterCharlotte.aspx>

GCACRP was founded in June 1996. Our goals for establishing the chapter were to provide effective means to:

- Professional Interaction With Colleagues;
- Advanced Continuing Education;
- Providing A Readily Accessible Mechanism For Regional Program Development;
- Furnishing Improved Access To ACRP Membership Resources and Opportunities Including Certification With Contact Hours.

Distribution List

If you know of a research professional who would like to be on our distribution list, please send contact information to Reggie McFadden at 704-355-7608 or email at regina.mcfadden@carolinas.org

ACRP Online Community

The ACRP Online Community connects you to thousands of your industry colleagues through interactive eForums and a searchable Member Directory, and puts you in touch with hundreds of resources that can help you in your day-to-day job.



Greater Charlotte ACRP
And
UNCC Center for Professional & Applied Ethics
Presents

“Lost in Translational Medicine”



Friday October 25, 2013

7:30 am – 4:00 pm



The Center for Professional and Applied Ethics

UNC Charlotte Campus
Barnhardt Student Activity Center
9201 University City Blvd.
Charlotte, NC 28223 USA

- Have you ever wondered, what is Translational Medicine?
- What does it take to do Translational Medicine?
- How does this affect my subjects and what are the ethical implications?
- Join us to learn more!

Registration will be available at: <http://acrpnet.org/> in early October. Contact hours have been applied for through ACRP (6.5 hours).

UNC Charlotte Faculty & Students: No charge for attendance but registration is required at: <http://acrpnet.org/> Contact hours may be purchased during registration.

Registration Category	Cost to Attend Program	Program + 6.5 contact hours
GCACRP & ACRP member	\$100	\$130
General Public (non-ACRP)	\$145	\$190
UNC Charlotte students	Free	\$45



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