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2009 Delaware Health Sciences Alliance Research Conference

Symposium on Clinical and Translational Science

Wednesday, May 6, 2009, John M. Clayton Hall

University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware

8:00 a.m.
Lobby

Registration and Continental Breakfast Exhibits

9:00 a.m.

Welcome on Behalf of Delaware Health Sciences Alliance:

Dr. Daniel Rich, Provost, University of Delaware

Member, Delaware Health Sciences Alliance Coordinating Council

9:10 a.m.

Symposium Welcome and Introduction of Speakers:

Dr. Richard Pestell, Director, Kimmel Cancer Center,
Thomas Jefferson University

9:10 a.m.

Keynote Address: Dr. Barbara Alving, MD, Director,
National Center for Research Resources, NIH
“CTSAs in the USA”

9:50 a.m.

Address: Dr. Ronald Sokol, MD, Professor of Pediatrics; Vice Chair, Clinical and Translational Research; Director, Colorado Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute; Program Director, Clinical Translational Research Center; Associate Medical Director, Pediatric Liver Center and Liver Transplantation Program; University of Colorado at Denver
“Rare Disease Research in Children as a Paradigm for Clinical and Translational Research”

10:30 a.m.

Audience Response and Discussion with Drs. Alving and Sokol

10:45 a.m.

Break

11:00 a.m.

Panel A: The Promise of the Delaware Valley Institute for Clinical and Translational Science

Moderator: Dr. Arthur Feldman, Chair, Department of Medicine,
Thomas Jefferson University

Panel Discussion

- **Dr. Brian Little** , Vice President, Academic Affairs and Research, Christiana Care Health Systems
- **Dr. Jeffery Twiss**, Director, Center for Translational Neurobiology, Nemours
- **Dr. Leonard Freedman**, Vice Dean for Research, Jefferson Medical College, Thomas Jefferson University
- **Dr. Donna Woulfe**, Assistant Professor, Jefferson Center for Translational Research, Thomas Jefferson University
- **Dr. Thomas Buchanan**, Deputy Dean, College of Engineering and Professor, Mechanical Engineering, University of Delaware

12:00 p.m.	<i>Audience Response and Discussion</i>
12:15 p.m.	<i>Luncheon</i>
1:15 p.m.	<p>Introduction of Luncheon Speaker: Dr. Richard Pestell, Director, Kimmel Cancer Center, Thomas Jefferson University</p> <p>Speaker: Dr. Julian Solway, Walter L. Palmer Distinguished Service Professor, Professor of Pulmonary and Critical Care in the Department of Medicine, and Director of the University of Chicago Institute for Translational Medicine</p> <p>“From Bench to Bedside: Lessons Learned in the University of Chicago CTSA.”</p> <p><i>Audience Response and Discussion</i></p>
2:15 p.m.	<p>Panel B: Track Record of Collaboration</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Vicky Funanage, Director, Biomedical Research of the Nemours Foundation, and Head, Musculoskeletal Inherited Diseases Laboratory</p> <p>Panel Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. David Usher, Associate Chair, Biological Sciences Department, University of Delaware • Dr. Richard Derman, Chair, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Christiana Care Health Systems • Dr. Kathryn Kash, Associate Professor, Jefferson School of Population Health, Thomas Jefferson University • Dr. Ayyappan Rajasekaran, Director, Center for Childhood Cancer Research, Nemours • Dr. William Weintraub, John A. Ammon Chair of Cardiology, Christiana Care Health Systems •
3:15 p.m.	<i>Audience Response and Discussion</i>
3:30 p.m.	<p>Translational Medicine: Industry Perspectives</p> <p>Dr. Anastasia Christianson, Astra Zeneca</p> <p>Invitee from Wyeth (to be announced)</p>
4:15 p.m.	<i>Audience Response and Discussion</i>
4:30-5:30 p.m.	<i>Reception</i>