Workshop on International Graduate Students/Post-Docs and Education in the Responsible Conduct of Research

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Elizabeth Heitman, PhD, is Professor in the Program in Ethics in Science and Medicine at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas, Texas. Her work focuses on cultural aspects of ethics in biomedical science, clinical medicine, and public health, with an emphasis on international standards of research ethics and education in the responsible conduct of research. She has been the PI of research grants on research integrity standards from both NSF and NIH, and has directed or serves as key personnel on research training grants from NIH’s Fogarty International Center and the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute.

Sergio Litewka, MD, MPH, completed his medical degree at the University of Buenos Aires and his master’s in public health at the University of El Salvador, also in Buenos Aires, Argentina. He is a faculty member in the UM Department of Surgery and the director of global bioethics at the University of Miami Institute of Bioethics, a World Health Organization (WHO) on Ethics and Health Policies. As global bioethics director, Dr. Litewka’s work focuses on the development of research and education activities with governmental organizations, universities and the private sector on human subject protection and the responsible conduct of research. In Asia, Dr. Litewka is a regular speaker for research integrity topics at Sri Ramachandra University (Chennai, India) and Tokyo University (Tokyo, Japan). From 2005 until 2017, he was also the International Director for the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI Program), a web based initiative for research ethics education. During 2011 he served as a member of the International Research Panel at the U.S. Presidential Commission for the Study of Bioethics Issues.
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THURSDAY, MARCH 21

PART 1:
Professional development is critical for all trainees, and education in the responsible conduct of research (RCR) is a part of professional development.

8:00 am Lite breakfast
8:30 -8:45 Welcome and Introductions
   Shaun Bowler, Ph.D.
   Distinguished Professor & Dean of the Graduate Division
   University of California Riverside
8:45 -9:30 Presentation: Education in the Responsible Conduct of Research and the University’s Mission
   Elizabeth Heitman, Ph.D.
   Professor, Program in Ethics in Science and Medicine
   UT Southwestern Medical Center
9:35-10:00 Group Discussion: RCR education on the UC campuses
10:00 - 10:15 Break

PART 2:
All trainees need education in RCR, and international students may have particular needs with respect to RCR education.

10:15-10:45 Presentation: Three real scenarios featuring international trainees in the US
   Corinna Raimondo, Ph.D.
   Adjunct Professor in RCR for the McCormick School of Engineering and
   Senior Compliance Specialist for the Office for Research Integrity
   Northwestern University
10:45 -11:45 Discussion: Orientation to graduate school and fellowship: How new a world?
11:45- noon Break
12:00 -1:00  Working Lunch

1:00-1:30  Presentation: An Overview on Global Research Integrity Models

Sergio Litewka M.D., M.P.H.
Director, Global Bioethics, Institute for Bioethics and Health Policy
Associate Research Professor, DeWitt Daughtry Family Department of Surgery
University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine

1:30-2:00  Presentation: Tailoring RCR Education to the Needs of International Trainees: Key Issues for a Multinational Audience

Elizabeth Heitman, Ph.D,

2:00 -2:30  Discussion: RCR education and the Singapore Statement on Research Integrity

2:30-2:45  Break

2:45-3:15  Presentation: Designing Engineering Ethics Educational Modules for International Trainees: A Case Study

Byron Newberry, Ph.D.
Professor of Mechanical Engineering
Baylor University

3:15-4:15  Discussion: Developing curricula for UC’s trainees: Can one size fit most?

4:15-4:30  Wrap up
FRIDAY, MARCH 22

PART 3:
Institutional action.

8:00  Lite breakfast

8:30-9:00  Welcome and Recap of Previous Day

  Shaun Bowler, Ph.D.

  Melissa S. Anderson, Ph.D.
  Professor of Higher Education and Director of Graduate Studies
  Department of Organizational Leadership, Policy and Development
  University of Minnesota

9:00-9:45  Commentary

  Shaun Bowler and participants

9:45 – 10:00  Break

10:00-10:45  Discussion in Campus-Based Groups: Current local successes/ challenges in
  RCR education for international trainees

10:45-11:30  Group Reports

11:30 – 11:45  Break

11:45-12:45  Working Lunch

12:45-1:15  Conclusions from Lunch Discussions
1:15-2:00  **Discussion with Panel**

*Elizabeth Heitman*
*Sergio Litewka*
*Melissa Anderson*

2:15-2:45  **Commentary / Next Steps**

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