

**OBSSR/NIH Summer Training Institute on Randomized
Clinical Trials Involving Behavioral Interventions**

July 12–24, 2009

**Airlie Conference Center
Warrenton, Virginia**

Daily Schedule

SUNDAY, JULY 12

12:00 noon – 6:00 p.m.	Registration	Foxes Den, 1st Floor
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	Airlie Room, 1st Floor
7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Welcome and Introductions <i>Ron Abeles, Peter Kaufmann, Lynda Powell, and Christine Bachrach</i>	Federal Room, 2nd Floor
7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Opening Lecture <i>Peter Kaufmann</i>	Federal Room, 2nd Floor

MONDAY, JULY 13

***All meals will be held in the Airlie Room, 1st Floor**
***All General Sessions will be in the Federal Room, 2nd Floor**
***Individual Discussion Groups are assigned to the same rooms for the duration of the conference**

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Keynote Address Heart Failure ACTION – Pitfalls and Challenges	Ileana Piña
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	History of Behavioral RCTs	Lynda Powell
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Randomization and Units of Randomization	Walter Ambrosius
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	

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MONDAY, JULY 13 (cont.)

2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups* Group 1 – Board Room, 1st Floor Group 2 – Foxes Den, 1st Floor Group 3 – Garden Room, 1st Floor Group 4 – North Room, 2nd Floor Group 5 – West Room, 2nd Floor Group 6 – Forge Room	
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	

TUESDAY, JULY 14

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Primary Outcomes and Progression of Trials	Lynda Powell
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Sample Size and Power Analysis	DeJuran Richardson
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Equipoise and Blinding	James Calvin
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups*	
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 15

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Choice of Outcomes	Peter Kaufmann
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Developing an Analysis Plan	Walter Ambrosius
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Efficacy vs. Effectiveness Trials	Denise Simons-Morton
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups*	
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	
7:00 p.m. – 7:50 p.m.	Scientific Publishing: Guest Writers and Ghost Authors	Michael Lauer

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THURSDAY, JULY 16

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Measuring Patient-Reported Outcomes	Laurie Burke
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Control Groups, Placebos, and Blinding in Behavioral Trials	Kenneth Freedland
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Establishing a Research Team	DeJuran Richardson
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups*	
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Farewell Reception for Week 1 Faculty	

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FRIDAY, JULY 17

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Recruitment, Retention, and Adherence	Delia West
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Survival Analysis	Joseph Schwartz
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Patient Preference Designs	Steven Hollon
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups*	
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	

SATURDAY, JULY 18

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
	Recreation Opportunities (refer to Signup Sheets and Shuttle Schedule for times)	
12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (box lunches available upon request)	
	Recreation Opportunities	
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	

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SUNDAY, JULY 19

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
	Recreation Opportunities	
12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (box lunches available upon request)	
	Recreation Opportunities	
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Keynote Lecture: My Scientific Journey and Life Lessons Learned Along the Way	Abby King

MONDAY, JULY 20

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Treatment Fidelity and Quality Control	Bonnie Spring
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Subgroup Analysis	Michael Proschan
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Community-Based Participatory Interventions in RCTs	Steven Rothschild
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups*	
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	

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TUESDAY, JULY 21

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Protocol Changes During the Trial	Denise Bonds
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Group Randomization	David Murray
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Cost-Effectiveness Analysis	Daniel Polsky
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups*	
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items, Including Departure Schedule	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.	Data Safety Monitoring Boards	Peter Kaufmann
9:55 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
10:20 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:35 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Missing Data	Michael Proschan
11:25 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions & Discussion	
11:50 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 22 (cont.)

1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Recruitment of Women and Minorities	Olugbenga Ogedegbe
1:50 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Questions & Discussion	
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break	
2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discussion Groups*	
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner	

THURSDAY, JULY 23

***Graduation Dinner will be held in the Meadow Room, 1st Floor**

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items, Including Departure Schedule	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 12:00 noon	Reports of Fellows' Work Group: Design of RCT	Fellows
12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Reports of Fellows' Work Group: Design of RCT	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Unscheduled Time	Fellows
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Faculty Meeting	Faculty
6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Graduation Dinner	

FRIDAY, JULY 24

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Overview of Day and Administrative Items	Ron Abeles
9:05 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.	Grantsmanship & Career Panel	Faculty
10:05 a.m. – 10:25 a.m.	Refreshment Break	
10:25 a.m. – 12:00 noon	Unanswered Questions and Course Evaluation	Fellows & Faculty
12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – <i>Please clear the dining area by 12:50 p.m.</i>	
1:00 p.m.	Departure	

