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See community partner announcements below and notify me if you would like to add anything.

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 <p><b>FRONTIERS</b> CLINICAL &amp; TRANSLATIONAL SCIENCE INSTITUTE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS</p>	
<h2>Positions Available, Descriptions Below</h2> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Associate Director to join its leadership team effective January 1, 2024. Faculty members at all Frontiers partner institutions are encouraged to apply.</li> <li>• Team Science Co-leads (two vacancies) by January 1, 2024. Application Deadline November 15th</li> </ul> <p>For more information, please open the attached PDFs and contact the Frontiers Executive Director, <a href="#">Julius Leary</a>. All materials must be sent to him by November 27<sup>th</sup>.</p>	
 <p><b>Center for African American Health</b></p> <p>The CAAH at KUMC launched this year following years of dialogue and collaboration with valued community partners. They are seeking team members to move from dialogue to action.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Administrative Assistant</a> position</li> <li>• <a href="#">Project Manager</a> position</li> </ul>	 <p><b>FRONTIERS</b> CLINICAL &amp; TRANSLATIONAL SCIENCE INSTITUTE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS</p>       <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Research and Discovery Grand Rounds</b>  <b>Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in the Faculty Research Workforce: Call to Action</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thursday, November 16, 2023</b>  12:00-1:00 PM CT via Zoom</p> <p>To register, click <a href="#">here</a>.</p> <p>Panelists are authors of the September 2023 article entitled <i>Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in the Pediatric Faculty Research Workforce: Call to Action</i>:</p> <p><b>Tamara D. Simon</b>, MD, MSPH- University of Southern California  <b>Danielle E. Soranno</b>, MD- Indiana University  <b>Samudragupta Bora</b>, PhD- Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine  <b>Jamie L. Lohr</b>, MD- University of Minnesota Medical School  <b>Nancy D. Spector</b>, MD- Drexel University, College of Medicine  <b>Beth A. Tarini</b>, MD, MS, MBA- Children's National Hospital</p>
 <p><b>FRONTIERS</b> CLINICAL &amp; TRANSLATIONAL SCIENCE INSTITUTE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS</p>       <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FUNDING OPPORTUNITY: LAURENS. AARONSON FRONTIERS  CLINICAL AND TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH PILOT AWARD</b></p> <p>The Letter of Intent deadline for this award is November 27<sup>th</sup> at 11:59pm CT. For more information <a href="#">please click here</a>.</p>	



## KANSAS BROADBAND NEWSLETTER

### Affordable Connectivity Program

124,422 enrolled households



438,634 eligible households



To learn more about the White House's initiative the *Affordable Connectivity Program*, [click here](#).



Bionexus KC and Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas City has issued a Request for Proposal for a portfolio of sponsored research grants. Two awards will be funded that focus on interventions aimed at reducing health disparities. For more information, [click here](#).



**Speed Tests:** Previous speed tests were for planning purposes. These tests will help as we move to the challenge process.

**Who:** Business or Residents across Kansas

**What:** Complete 3 tests on separate days

- Share your name/address
- Current subscribed internet speed
- Copy of your bill

**When:** October 18 - Nov 14, between the hours of 7-11 pm CST

Click [this link](#) to sign up and if you don't have internet text "internet" to 785-209-7779



The 2024 Translational Science Award Nominations are open! For a description of all seven awards, [please click here](#). You can acknowledge the outstanding contributions of the investigators and educators you work with by submitting a nomination by Monday, November 27<sup>th</sup>.

## Alternative Futures for Kansas

The [Center for Public Partnerships & Research](#) will present scenarios and activities that will ground participants in future thinking followed by creative ways to imagine the future in Kansas in light of disruptive technologies, shifting demographics, economic challenges and climate change. [Register for this free event here](#).

Thinking about Information Disorder in the Context of Health and Science: How Bad is the Problem and What Can We Do About It?

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2023

11:00 AM – 1:00 PM EST

Via Zoom (Registration is Required!)

REGISTER

Many policymakers, practitioners and members of the public are (rightfully) concerned about the potential consequences of widespread access and exposure to inaccurate, misleading and/or outright false information for both individuals and society, particularly when it comes to making important health-related decisions and policies.

In this interactive session, we will dig into the rapidly growing evidence base regarding the scope and nature of misinformation about science and health (sometimes referred to as an "infodemic") in order to better understand what it is that we are really up against. We will focus in particular on evidence-informed actions that individuals and organizations can take to reduce negative impacts within the health decision-making domain.

FEATURED SPEAKER



Ezra Markowitz, Ph.D., is a Professor of Environmental Decision-Making in the Dept. of Environmental Conservation at the University of Massachusetts Amherst. His research and teaching focus on the intersection of decision-making, persuasive communication, public engagement with science, and environmental sustainability. He is particularly interested and an expert in the practical application of behavioral science to improve individuals' and communities' decision-making and communications.



REGISTER



To register for this event via zoom, please [click here](#).



Innovations in Quality Forum will take place Thursday, November 16th from 3-4:30pm. This is brought through a partnership between the Health Forward Foundation, KC Health Collaborative, the Institute for Healthcare Improvement and other regional/community leaders along with the KC Health Equity Learning and Action Network. To Register and for more information [click here](#).

In Collaboration,  
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INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK

November 11-17, 2023



Please register on the [OIP Events Calendar](#) for details and venue information.

**SATURDAY, NOV. 11 4:00-7:30 P.M. (In-Person)**

Dinastia Festival of Lights  
Co-Sponsored by OIP and Indian Association of KUMC  
Francisco Lounge  
Dinner starts at 6:00 P.M.  
RSVPs needed for accurate catering number.

**ONLINE AUCTION ALL WEEK (Virtual)**

KUMC/O Auction  
Closes Saturday at 8:00 p.m.

**MONDAY, NOV. 13: 3:00 – 4:30 P.M. (Virtual)**

Immigration Matters for Clinicians, Researchers and other Professionals  
Judy Bordeaux, JD  
Bordeau and Houllies, LLC

**TUESDAY, NOV. 14: 12:00 – 1:00 P.M. (Virtual)**

Clinical Culture and Diversity Series  
The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Dr. Mani M. Mani  
International Educational Exchange and Partnerships Presentation  
Dr. Patrick Konda and Dr. Gloria Mwangi  
Continuing Education Credit Available

**WEDNESDAY, NOV. 15: 12:00 – 1:00 P.M. (In-Person)**

International Educational Experience Poster Presentations  
SON Atrium  
Posters will be on display Monday through Thursday morning.

**FRIDAY, NOV. 17: 5:00 – 8:00 P.M. (In-Person)**

IEW Celebration  
Ad Astra Room, HEB  
Food and Drink throughout evening  
RSVP's are Encouraged



For more information contact: Office of International Programs (913) 588-1480



[Click here](#) for the International Programs Event Calendar.

**National Rural Health Day**  
Celebrating the **Power of Rural!**  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2023**

For more information, [click here](#).