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CENTER *for* BIOETHICS, HEALTH & SOCIETY

Upcoming Events



OCTOBER 10: EXPLORING ETHICS CONFERENCE SERIES
"Managing Moral Distress: Is Resilience the Solution?"

Karl W. Thomas, MD, Professor, Pulmonary, Critical Care, Allergy and Immunology, Wake Forest School of Medicine

12:00-1:00 PM

The goal of this presentation is to identify solutions to the problem of moral distress that are unique and separate from management of other causes of distress and burnout. The discussion will begin with a proposal for a definition of moral distress that permits a clear distinction from other distress sources. Resilience training has been proposed as a potential solution for many problems in healthcare stress and distress, and the presentation will examine advantages and shortfalls of resilience training within the context of moral distress.

We're pleased to announce that Dr. Thomas' presentation will be followed by a brief response from two of our intuitional leaders, **Julie Freischlag, MD**, Chief Executive Officer of WFBMC, and **Alisa Starbuck, DNP, APRN, NNP-BC, NEA-BC**, Vice President of the Women's and Children's Health Services at WFBH.

Conference Room 10B&10C, 10th Floor
Conference Room, Comprehensive Cancer Center
at WFBMC.

To register, please visit www.nwahec.org
(Registration can also be completed on site)

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NOVEMBER 30: CHARLIE GARD PANEL

During the spring and summer of this year, Charlie Gard and his parents gripped the world via mainstream and social media. His life and prospects for treatment were widely debated before his death in London just short of his 1st birthday. On Nov. 30, a panel of Wake Forest bioethics, medical, and legal scholars will discuss Charlie's case and its implications for our thinking about end of life issues for infants in the US. We hope for a broad and talkative audience; more details will follow closer to the date.

Panel:

Christine Bishop, MD, MA, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Wake Forest School of Medicine

Christine Nero Coughlin, JD, Professor of Legal Writing, Wake Forest University School of Law

Kate Mewhinney, JD, Clinical Professor, Elder Law Clinic, Wake Forest University School of Law

Moderator: Nancy M. P. King, JD, Co-Director, Wake Forest University Center for Bioethics, Health & Society and Graduate Program in Bioethics

5:00 PM, Refreshments to follow

Z. Smith Reynolds Library Auditorium, Room 404, Wake Forest University

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FEBRUARY 2 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY

The *Wake Forest Journal of Intellectual Property and Business* is going to hold an interdisciplinary symposium focusing on Legal and Ethical Issues surrounding Intellectual Property and Medical Technology.

Co-Sponsored by the Center for Bioethics, Health & Society

Time TBD

Innovation Quarter (Wake DownTown)
455 Vine Street, Winston-Salem, 27101

FEBRUARY 23: ISOLATED BY LAW (WORKING TITLE)

The *Wake Forest Journal of Law and Policy* is hosting a symposium on Legal and Ethical issues surrounding Quarantine. This symposium is also co-sponsored by the Wake Forest Center for Bioethics, Health & Society.

Time TBD

Wake Forest School of Law, Reynolda Campus

Graduate Program in Bioethics

The Bioethics Graduate Program at Wake Forest University is accepting applications for Spring and Fall 2018 admission.

The Program provides an educational opportunity in bioethics for current and future professionals, including health care providers, researchers in biomedicine and the life sciences, lawyers, and professionals in health and research administration and the biotechnology industry. The program is attractive to working professionals as well as students in pre-health, pre-law, and humanities programs who will continue onto professional schools and/or doctoral programs. The students in the Bioethics program bring a diversity of academic, employment, and life experiences to the classroom. The program faculty is nationally recognized in the field of bioethics.

The small class sizes and versatile curricular options enable students to tailor the program to their individual interests. The program emphasizes face-to-face interaction, promotes scholarly and interpersonal communicative capabilities, and fosters close relationships among students, faculty and alumni.

The Graduate Program offers a Master of Arts degree and three Graduate Certificate options, as well as several joint degree options. The program is flexible for both full and part-time study. For more information, including program philosophy, course and faculty listings, and application procedures, please contact [Vicky Zickmund](mailto:Vicky.Zickmund@wfu.edu), (336-716-1499) as well as visit the website:

<http://bioethics.wfu.edu/academic/graduate-programs>

Opportunities

Funding: The **Center for Bioethics, Health & Society** is now accepting applications for grants up to \$8,000 for research, course development and other scholarly projects pertaining to Bioethics. The proposal deadline is January 8, 2018.

The **Center for Bioethics, Health & Society** also accepts, on a rolling basis, applications for small grants to support Bioethics activities.

For information and the application form for this [funding opportunity](#), please see the [CBHS Funding Application](#) on the Center's website.

Donation Button: There is now a new donation button online. Here is a link, bottom right hand side, "[Support Our Programs](#)". This is an opportunity to give to the Center for Bioethics, Health and Society, or directly to the Graduate Programs of Bioethics. Thank you for considering Wake Forest Bioethics in your annual giving campaign!

Travel Information

Parking: Reynolda -For those coming from Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center campus and the general public the Orange parking zones are available to you. Z. Smith Reynolds Library is Building 7 on the map - [Reynolda Parking](#).

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Medical Center - [Medical Center Parking for Exploring Ethics Series](#).

Shuttle service: [Link](#) for service to/from Medical Center to WFIQ/Wake Downtown and [Link](#) for service to/from WFU from WFIQ/Wake Downtown. Down load shuttle [App](#).