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CENTER *for* BIOETHICS, HEALTH & SOCIETY

Upcoming Events

APRIL 10: EXPLORING ETHICS CONFERENCE SERIES
Workplace Violence in Healthcare: Just Part of the Job?"

Sara Scarlet, MD; UNC Center for Bioethics, Fellow University of Chicago MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics

12:00-1:15 PM

Conference Room 10CB, 10th Floor Conference Room, Comprehensive Cancer Center at WFBMC.

To register, please [click here](#) (Registration can also be completed on site). Online registration may not be available until closer to event.

APRIL 23: BIOETHICS SEMINAR: **Global Health Narratives**

Louise Penner, PhD, Associate Professor of English, College of Liberal Arts Director, Undergraduate English Major, University of Massachusetts Boston

5:00 PM, Refreshments to follow

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

MAY 3: EXPLORING ETHICS CONFERENCE SERIES **Trends & Developments in End-of-Life and Surrogate Decision-making Law**

Charles P. Sabatino, JD, Director of the American Bar Association's Commission on Law & Aging. Fellow and Former President of the national Academy of Elder Law Attorneys.

12:00-1:15 PM

Location TBD

Upcoming Events

May 3 & 4, 2018 Aging Re-Imagined. A multidisciplinary symposium about aging that aims to bring world-class speakers about aging-related issues to the Winston-Salem community. In 2016, the symposium hosted over 300 people, with approximately half from academia and half from the community. This is your place to come & learn with others about different aspects of aging with artists, clinicians, community members & researchers. Wake Forest University, Bridger Field House, 499 Deacon Boulevard, Winston-Salem, NC 27105.

Visit our website for details: <http://agingre-imagined.events.wfu.edu/>.

The speakers this year are:

Ashton Applewhite - *"This Chair Rocks-How Ageism Warps Our View of Long Life"* - A self-described activist about ageism and author of: **This Chair Rocks: A Manifesto Against Ageism**

Dan Gasby - *"Alzheimer's disease Care-giving"*

A former executive in the entertainment industry who is now a powerful advocate for people with Alzheimer's disease and their carers, particularly in the African-American community, which is disproportionately affected by the disease. He will be presenting on his experiences as well as his book, *"Before I Forget"* which has been described as a valentine to his wife, restaurateur, magazine publisher, and celebrity Chef, B. Smith.

Professor Kelvin J. A. Davies, PhD, DSc, FRSC, FRCP - *"Oxidative Stress & Aging"*

Dean of Faculty, Leonard Davis School of Gerontology & Director, Ethel Percy Andrus Gerontology Center; Director, USC Free Radical Institute; James E. Birren Chair of Gerontology, Leonard Davis School of Gerontology; Professor of Molecular & Computational Biology, Dornsife College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences, University of Southern California.

Charles P. Sabatino, J.D. - *"Aid-in-Living & Aid-in-Dying – Two Rights in Search of a Home"*

Director of the American Bar Association's Commission on Law and Aging, in Washington, D.C., Fellow & former President of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys.

Phillip Shabazz, Poet, Teaching Artist, and Writer & **Donovan Livingston, MA, Ed.M.**, Spoken Word Poet and Author, who will perform together the spoken word on Aging Re-Imagined.

Congratulations

Wake Forest School of Medicine, Wake Forest Institute of Regenerative Medicine

Regenerative Medicine Research Earns Margaret vanSchaayk Top Poster Honors

One of the top student research projects nationwide accepted for participation in the **22nd Annual Posters on the Hill** comes from Wake Forest Institute for Regenerative Medicine Summer Scholar alumna **Margaret vanSchaayk** and Wake Forest University graduate student in the Masters of Bioethics Program.

Posters on the Hill is sponsored by the Council on Undergraduate Research (CUR) which is dedicated to promoting undergraduate research and scholarship. vanSchaayk's poster was selected from among 400 competitive applications which were narrowed to just 60. Her poster is titled, "Effects of Bioactive Molecules on Skeletal Muscle Development in 3D Bioprinted Muscle Constructs."

vanSchaayk participated in WFIRM's Summer Scholars 2017 program where she spent 10 weeks in the lab working on 3D bioprinted muscle constructs with faculty mentors Sang Jin Lee, Ph.D. and Ji Hyun Kim, Ph.D. She graduated last May from Wake Forest University where she earned a bachelor's in communication with minors in chemistry and biology and has continued her research at WFIRM. She will graduate with her Masters in Bioethics in May and then apply to medical school.

"It is always exciting and gratifying when a student achieves such an honor," Lee said. "We are very excited for Margaret to represent WFIRM at this prestigious event."

She will attend the 22nd Annual Posters on the Hill, which will take place on April 17-18, 2018, in Washington, D.C. This popular, annual event gives students the opportunity to showcase their research to congressional members, meet with their representatives, and learn about advocacy for undergraduate research.

Congratulations

Hailey Cleek, a student in Wake Forest University's JD/MA in Bioethics joint degree program, & the Senior Articles Editor on the Wake Forest Law Review's Board of Editors has won **first place** in the **2018 Sarah Weddington Writing Prize for New Student Scholarship in Reproductive Rights Law**, co-sponsored by If/When/How, the Center for Reproductive Rights (CRR), and the Center on Reproductive Rights and Justice at Berkeley Law (CRRJ).

If/When/How's letter stated: "Your submission, *Borders Across Bodies: Assessing the Balance of Expanding SCHIP Coverage at the Expense of Advancing Fetal Personhood* stood out among an impressive showing by other writers. We received many excellent papers that demonstrated solid research, innovative ideas, sharp legal analysis, and excellent writing skills – and yours was the most remarkable."

Graduate Program in Bioethics

The Bioethics Graduate Program at Wake Forest University is accepting applications for 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:vzickmund@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 accepts, on a rolling basis, applications for small grants to support Bioethics activities - for research, course development and other scholarly projects pertaining to Bioethics.

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](#).

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