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## CENTER *for* BIOETHICS, HEALTH & SOCIETY

### Center News

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**SAVE THE DATE:**

**SEPTEMBER 23:** EXPLORING ETHICS TALK

**“I Don’t Care What It Costs, I Want It”:  
Ethics & Aducanumab for Alzheimer’s Disease**

**Presenters:** Dr. Jo Cleveland, WFSM Geriatrics, and Dr. Leonard Fleck, Center for Ethics and Social Justice, Michigan State University College of Medicine

**12:00-1:00PM**

Virtual, via Webex. To receive the presentation link, you will need to register for the event at the NWAHEC [link](#).

**Registration is not yet available.** Registration is free and open to all.

**SAVE THE DATE:**

**OCTOBER 21:** EXPLORING ETHICS TALK

**The Ethics and Public Policy of  
COVID-19 Vaccine “Passports” & Mandates**

**Presenter:** Mark Hall, JD, Fred D. & Elizabeth L. Turnage Professor of Law, Wake Forest University School of Law

**12:00-1:00PM**

Virtual, via Webex. To receive the presentation link, you will need to register for the event at the NWAHEC [link](#).

**Registration is not yet available.** Registration is free and open to all.

We are happy to announce that **John Moskop, PhD**, Wallace and Mona Wu Professor of Internal Medicine, Department of General Internal Medicine, Wake Forest University School of Medicine has been reappointed as Chair of the American College of Emergency Physicians Ethics Committee for 2021-2022

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A recent *Narrative Inquiry in Bioethics* symposium, edited by Ana Iltis and Gianna McMillan, explores the significant effect of the COVID-19 pandemic on the practice of clinical research. “*Research on COVID-19: Stories from IRB Members, Research Administrators, & Investigators.*” An education guide will soon be available along with an open-access Voices version of the collection of personal narratives. Additional open-access [Voices](#) collections are available on the *Narrative Inquiry in Bioethics* website.

Congratulations to **Dr. John Moskop**, for the “*Friend of the Residency Program Award*,” by the Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center Internal Medicine Residency Program, May 2021.

**Summer faculty publications and scholarly work include –**

**Nicholas Colgrove, PhD, Teacher-Scholar, Post-Doctoral Fellow:**

“*Inconsistency Arguments Still Do Not Matter.*” [Journal of Medical Ethics](#) (online first). Co-authored with Bruce P. Blackshaw and Daniel Rodger. Published 14 July 2021 online.

“*Miscarriage is Not a Cause of Death: A Response to Berg’s ‘Abortion and Miscarriage.’*” [The Journal of Medicine & Philosophy](#) Volume 46, Issue 4, August 2021, Pages 394–413.

“*In Defense of Newborns: A Response to Kingma.*” [Journal of Medical Ethics](#). Published online 9 July 2021 online.

“*If You Love the Forest, then Don’t Kill the Trees: Health Care and a Place for the Particular.*” [Journal of Medicine and Philosophy](#), Volume 46, Issue 4, August 2021, Pages 394–413.

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**Christine Nero Coughlin, JD, Faculty:**

*"A Virtuous Circle: How Health Solidarity Could Prompt Recalibration of Privacy and Improve Data and Research"*, [Oklahoma Law Review](#).

**Ana Iltis, PhD, Faculty:**

*"Rethinking Human Embryo Research Policies,"* Hastings Center Report, 2021, volume 5, number 1, pages 47-51. Authors: K.R. Matthews, A.S. Iltis, N.G. Marquez, D.S. Wagner, J.S. Robert, I. de Melo-Martín, M. Bigg, S. Franklin, S. Holm, I. Metzler, and M.A. Molè, J. Taupitz, G. Testa, J. Sugarman.

*'Strangers at the Altar,'* [American Journal of Bioethics](#), 2021, volume 21, number 6, pages 19-22.

Co-editor of Special Issue of [Narrative Inquiry in Bioethics](#), *Research on COVID-19: Stories from IRB Members, Research Administrators and Investigators*.

**Kevin Jung, PhD, Faculty:**

*"Using the Addiction Card,"* [The Canopy Forum](#), Center for the Study of Law and Religion, Emory University.

**John Moskop, PhD, Faculty:**

*"Ethical issues in the access to emergency care for undocumented immigrants"*, [Journal of the American College of Emergency Physicians Open](#). Authors: Brenner JM, Blutinger E, Ricke B, Vearrier L, Kluesner NH, **Moskop JC**. *JACEP Open* 2021;2:e12461.

## Bioethics Graduate Program

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**Kitchen Table Talks:** Informal conversations with Wake Forest bioethics scholars and professionals (including faculty, students, and alumni) – breaking down formal walls and getting a true look at their take on bioethics, their path to where they are now, and a bit about the person(s) themselves. Check out the two NEW conversations recently added. Kitchen Table Talks are hosted on the Bioethics Graduate Program [website](#).

**The Bioethics Graduate Program at Wake Forest University is now accepting applications for all 2022 admission dates (Spring, Summer, and Fall).**

The Bioethics Graduate Program equips graduates to practice, teach, and conduct research about bioethics, and is an excellent complement to other advanced degrees.

For professionals already employed as well as new graduates entering the work force, graduate-level education in bioethics is relevant to a variety of jobs including health administration, clinical care and research, law, and public policy as well as other similar fields. It is attractive to students who have completed pre-health, pre-law, and humanities programs and may 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.

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The program offers small, highly interactive classes, experiential learning, and a variety of bioethics events, activities, and opportunities. It prioritizes a keen focus on critical reflection, not only about bioethical issues, questions, and problems but also about the nature and scope of the field of bioethics and the roles and responsibilities of those who do bioethics work. It emphasizes personal interaction, promotes scholarly and interpersonal communicative capabilities, and fosters close relationships among students, faculty and alumni.

The program is committed to providing students with a learning environment that is maximally rich and beneficial, offering a combination of learning modalities.

The small class sizes and versatile curricular options enable students to tailor the program to their individual interests. The program is flexible for both full and part-time study.

The program faculty is nationally recognized in the field of bioethics.

For more information, including program philosophy, course and faculty listings, and application procedures, please contact [Vicky Zickmund](#), (336-716-1499) as well as visit the [website](#)

## Opportunities

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### Funding:

The **Center for Bioethics, Health & Society** is accepting, 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 donation button online on our website. This an opportunity to give to the [Center for Bioethics, Health and Society](#), or directly to the [Bioethics Graduate Program](#). Thank you for considering Wake Forest Bioethics in your annual giving campaign!

**Check out the "Bioethics at WFU" websites. We hope these sites illustrate and share information about how Bioethics is being explored and studied at Wake Forest University.**

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