Ed Core Meeting
1:00 pm   Friday, October 11, 2013   Magnolia II & III, 3rd Floor

1–1:40pm
1:00
Welcome   Jennifer Lingler, PhD   CHAIR, ADC ADMINISTRATORS STEERING COMMITTEE; UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH
1:15
Alzheimer’s Association update   Maria Carrillo, PhD   VICE PRESIDENT, MEDICAL AND SCIENCE RELATIONS, ALZHEIMER’S ASSOCIATION
1:25
ADC recruitment strategies survey update   Walter A. Kukull, PhD   DIRECTOR, NATIONAL ALZHEIMER’S COORDINATING CENTER

1:40–3:00
Presentations: Outreach and recruitment innovations — Moderator: Dorothy Edwards, PhD
1:40
How to use free traditional media to help increase enrollment   Jefree Itrich   SR. CLINICAL TRIALS COMMUNICATIONS & RECRUITMENT SPECIALIST, ALZHEIMER’S DISEASE COOPERATIVE STUDY, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO
2:00
Alzheimer’s Prevention Initiative registry and outreach   Jessica Langbaum, PhD   PRINCIPAL SCIENTIST, ALZHEIMER’S PREVENTION INITIATIVE
2:20
The use of community-based registries to increase recruitment   Joshua Grill, PhD   ED CORE LEADER, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES; James Galvin, MD   ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, NEW YORK UNIVERSITY
2:40
Engaging persons from underrepresented minority groups in biomarker research   Dorothy Edwards, PhD   MINORITY RECRUITMENT CORE LEADER, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

3:00–3:15
Coffee break

3:15–3:35
Discussion: Outreach and recruitment innovations — Panel Chair: Maria Carrillo, PhD
3:15
Panelists: Dorothy Edwards, James Galvin, Josh Grill, Jefree Itrich, Walter A. Kukull

3:35–4:55
Education and advocacy partnerships — Moderator: Kenneth Hepburn, PhD
3:35
Partnersing with the Association for Frontotemporal Degeneration   Mary Guerrero Austrom, PhD   ED CORE LEADER, INDIANA UNIVERSITY
3:55
Partnersing with the Lewy Body Dementia Association   Angela Taylor   PROGRAM DIRECTOR, LEWY BODY DEMENTIA ASSOCIATION; James Galvin, MD
4:15
Small-group discussions of partnerships
4:40
Large-group wrap-up — Kenneth Hepburn, PhD   ED CORE LEADER, EMORY UNIVERSITY

4:55–5:00
Adjourn — Jennifer Lingler, PhD

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5:30
Ed Core Leaders’ dinner
NP Core Meeting
6:00 – 9:00 pm  Friday, October 11, 2013  Magnolia II & III, 3rd Floor

6:00 pm  Welcome and introductory comments
Julie Schneider, MD  CHAIR, NP CORE STEERING COMMITTEE; NP CORE LEADER, RUSH UNIVERSITY

6:20  NACC update
Walter A. Kukull, PhD  DIRECTOR, NATIONAL ALZHEIMER’S COORDINATING CENTER

6:45  SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM
Hippocampal sclerosis in aging and dementia
Peter Nelson, MD, PhD  NP CORE LEADER, UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
Dennis W. Dickson, MD  NP CORE LEADER, MAYO CLINIC
Julie Schneider, MD

8:15  New business
• NP Form, Version 10 — Review of new content
• Guidelines for making a diagnosis of FTLD and filling out NP Form, Version 10 — Nigel Cairns
• Brief review of other changes to NP Form
  Peter Nelson — AD and Lewy body pathology
  Julie Schneider — Vascular
• Q/A regarding NP Form, Version 10
• NP Steering Committee rotation
• Other business

9:00  Adjourn
Directors Meeting
8:00 am   Saturday, October 12, 2013   Ballroom, 12th Floor

7:30am   Breakfast

NACC update
Walter A. Kukull, PhD  DIRECTOR, NATIONAL ALZHEIMER'S COORDINATING CENTER

NCRAD update
Tatiana Foroud  PI, NATIONAL CELL REPOSITORY ON ALZHEIMER’S DISEASE

ADGC update
Gerald D. Schellenberg, PhD  PI, ALZHEIMER’S DISEASE GENETICS CONSORTIUM

CTF update
David S. Knopman, MD  MEMBER, ADC CLINICAL TASK FORCE; CLINICAL CORE LEADER, MAYO CLINIC

NAPA update
Ronald C. Petersen, PhD, MD  DIRECTOR, MAYO CLINIC

Coffee break

9:45

JUNIOR INVESTIGATOR SYMPOSIUM

Linda Van Eldik, PhD  CHAIR, ADC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE; DIRECTOR, UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
Introduction

Kim Green, PhD  UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE
Microglia are dependent upon CSF1R signaling in the adult CNS: Implications for neurodegenerative diseases

Donna Wilcock, PhD  UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
Profiling the neuroinflammatory response in AD — potential for personalized medicine and therapeutic modulation

Barbara Bendlin, PhD  UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN
Neuroinflammation in preclinical AD: Evidence from neuroimaging

Carlos Cruchaga, PhD  WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST. LOUIS
Identifying functional genetics variants associated with Alzheimer’s disease

12:00pm   Adjourn
NACC/Data Core Meeting
1:30 and 3:30 pm   Saturday, October 12, 2013   Ballroom, 12th Floor

NACC Data/Methods Meeting (1:30 – 3:15pm)

Biostatistical methods: Are some individuals immune to dementia?
X.H. Andrew Zhou, PhD  STATISTICIAN AND CO-INVESTIGATOR, NACC

New NACC data — research structural MRI
Charles DeCarli, MD  DIRECTOR, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS
Kate Bristow Heller, MS  RESEARCH SCIENTIST, NACC

Junior investigator presentation: Does study partner type impact the rate of AD progression?
Joshua D. Grill, PhD  ED CORE LEADER, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

Update on crosswalk study of neuropsychological tests
Sandra Weintraub, PhD  CLINICAL CORE LEADER, NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
Sarah Monsell, MS  RESEARCH SCIENTIST, NACC

Data Core Leaders Meeting (3:30 – 5pm)

Overcoming challenges in longitudinal research

Tracking and scheduling follow-up visits
Shelley Ferson  DATA MANAGER, UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Systems and practices to enhance longitudinal data completeness
Jeremiah Aakre, BC  STATISTICIAN, MAYO CLINIC

Analysis approaches to enhance inferences from longitudinal studies of dementia:
The MELODEM Initiative
V. Shane Pankratz, PhD  CHAIR, DATA CORE STEERING COMMITTEE; DATA CORE LEADER, MAYO CLINIC

Discussion: How might Data Cores contribute?