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Welfare in Animal Experimentation: 16 Jan 2018



The Speaker

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Kick start this new year with us to learn more about ethics in animal experimentation!

Join in our talk titled [Ethical and Regulatory Aspects of Animal Experimentation](#)” and be updated on topics such as the progress of research involving animals, how to apply the 3Rs principle in your project, and common deficiencies to watch out for as highlighted by AVA. Attendees will also receive tips on applying for an Animal Use Protocol (AUP) in NTU to ensure smooth and timely processing of their projects. The talk will be held at **EMB seminar room from 2pm - 4.30pm**.

Tea break with refreshments will be provided.

[Register now](#) or contact us at rieo@ntu.edu.sg for more information.

Web-based training for NTU-IRB applications

NTU has partnered with the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) to offer a web-based training programme to cover foundational topics on ethical research and human protection. As with most other institutions, such training programmes are required to ensure the proper and ethical conduct of research on human subjects.

Refer to [NTU-IRB's Guidelines](#) to learn how you can register for this course. Please note that CITI certification is required for all sub-domains in NTU-IRB, before the review of your ethics application can proceed.

For more information, contact the [NTU-IRB Secretariat](#).



Call for Abstracts

The Funding Initiative of the Centre for Biomedical Ethics (CBmE), Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, NUS, invites you to submit abstracts for the upcoming [Singapore Symposium on Big Data Ethics](#) which will be held from 5-6 March 2018.

Abstract submissions are now open and will close on **15 Jan 2018** and should be submitted via email to [Dr Owen Schaefer](#). Select accepted presenters will be invited to contribute to a special issue of the [Asian Bioethics Review](#) on Big Data ethics, to be published in March 2019.



As highlighted in President’s recent message, Assoc Prof Roderick Wayland Bates from the School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences (SPMS) will be appointed Research Integrity Officer (RIO) on 1 April 2018, taking on the role of RIO-Designate on 1 January 2018.

We are grateful to Mr Tony Mayer, the current RIO, for his advice and guidance on setting international best practices in research integrity for NTU.

We wish Mr Tony Mayer all the best in his future endeavours and look forward to welcoming Assoc Prof Bates in this new year.

Deadlines:	1 Feb 2018: Next due date for submissions to NTU-IRB and NTU-IACUC
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