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Monday, October 30

3:00-3:15 **Welcome**

Lawrence I. Sinoway, MD
Distinguished Professor of Medicine
Director, Penn State Heart & Vascular Institute
Director, Penn State Clinical & Translational Science Institute
College of Medicine, The Pennsylvania State University

Erin Haynes, DrPH, MS
ATRN Executive Director
Associate Professor of Environmental Health
College of Medicine, University of Cincinnati

3:15-5:00 **Health and Health Care in Appalachia**

Moderator: Eugene J. Lengerich, VMD, MS
Professor of Public Health Sciences
Associate Director, Health Disparities & Engagement, Penn State Cancer Institute
College of Medicine, The Pennsylvania State University

Speakers: Julie Marshall, PhD and Logan Thomas
Economist, Regional Planning and Research
Appalachian Regional Commission

Logan Thomas, MA
Research Analyst, Regional Planning and Research
Appalachian Regional Commission

Jessica Lilly
Host & Co-Producer
Inside Appalachia
Southern West Virginia Bureau Chief, West Virginia Public Broadcasting

Roxy Todd
Reporter / Produce
Inside Appalachia
West Virginia Public Broadcasting

5:00-6:30 **Break** (ATRN Committee Meeting – Erin Haynes)

6:30-8:00 **Reception, Posters, Music, and Games**

8:00 **Adjourn**

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- 7:30-8:30 **Breakfast Roundtables:**
Educational Opportunities in Appalachia
Opioid Epidemic in Appalachia
Children & Families in Appalachia
Preventative Vaccines in Appalachia
Community and Informatics – Getting the Data to the People of Appalachia
- 8:30-10:15 **National and Institutional Perspectives on Health Research in Appalachia**
Moderator: Mack T. Ruffin IV, MD, MPH
Professor and Chair of Family & Community Medicine
College of Medicine, The Pennsylvania State University
- Rural Cancer Control: National Cancer Institute Perspectives and Priorities*
Kelly Blake, ScD
Program Director, Health Communication and Informatics Research Branch
Behavioral Research Program
National Cancer Institute
- The DiscovEHR Project: A Unique Resource for Precision Health*
David J Carey, PhD
Associate Chief Research Officer
Director, Weis Center for Research
Senior Scientist
Geisinger
- Leslie Boone, MPH
Research Project Manager, Translational Research Coordinator
Vanderbilt University Medical Center
- 10:15-10:30 **Break**
- 10:30-12:30 **Engaged Research: ATRN Strategies**
Moderator: Gia Mudd-Martin, PhD, RN, MPH
Associate Professor, College of Medicine, University of Kentucky
Speakers: ATRN Institutions
- 12:30-1:15 **Lunch**
- 1:15-2:45 **Experiences from Research with Appalachia Residents**
Moderator: Stephen M. LoRusso, PhD, MA
Professor of Physical Therapy
Coordinator of Exercise Physiology Program, Director, Center for Rural
Cancer Survivorship, St. Francis University
- 2:45-3:00 **Closing Remarks**
Leslie Parent, MD
Associate Vice President for Health Sciences Research
Vice Dean for Research and Graduate Studies
Professor of Medicine and Microbiology & Immunology
College of Medicine, The Pennsylvania State University
- Eugene Lengerich, VMD, MS
Professor of Public Health Sciences
Associate Director, Health Disparities & Engagement, Penn State Cancer Institute

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