**ITCR Training and Outreach Working Group Meeting**

**Thursday, December 13, 2018**

**4:00 - 5:00 PM Eastern Time**

**Agenda**

1. Discussion about potential for another ITCR tool special issue for JCO Clinical Cancer Informatics (JCO CCI: <http://ascopubs.org/journal/cci>)

Guest speakers:

* 1. Ashley Ketelhut, Managing Editor JCO CCI
  2. Debra Patt, MD, MPH, MBA, Editor-in-Chief, Texas Oncology, Dallas, TX
  3. Jeremy Warner, MD, MS, Associate Editor, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

**Upcoming Meetings**

January 2018: Explainer Videos (requested for all ITCR tools)

February 2018: Presentation by Serghei Mangul on his recent paper, “ A comprehensive analysis of the usability and archival stability of omics computational tools and resources”, followed by an open discussion.

<http://www.sergheimangul.com>

<https://www.biorxiv.org/content/biorxiv/early/2018/10/25/452532.full.pdf>

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| **Webex Information:**  JOIN WEBEX MEETING  <https://cbiit.webex.com/cbiit/j.php?MTID=m90b62cf4b0ffc9b0c9e13b53425cc602>  Meeting number (access code): 733 094 302    JOIN BY PHONE  1-650-479-3207 Call-in toll number (US/Canada)    Global call-in numbers:  <https://cbiit.webex.com/cbiit/globalcallin.php?serviceType=MC&ED=574640482&tollFree=0> |

**Prior Meeting Notes:** [NCIP Hub](https://nciphub.org/groups/itcr/training_and_outreach_working_group_teleconference)

**Feedback about meeting or suggestions for future meetings:** [Anonymous Qualtrics Survey](https://umichumhs.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_cIkVstbpgnbs4xT)

**Outreach Activities Since Last Meeting** (please fill in with new rows)

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| Name | Tool | Description of Activity |
| Martin Morgan | Bioconductor | [BiocAsia](https://bioconductor.github.io/BiocAsia/) 2-day workshop and conference, Melbourne, Australia |
| Martin Morgan | Bioconductor | [BiocEurope](https://bioconductor.github.io/EuroBioc2018/) 2-day conference, Munich, Germany |
| Michael Reich | GenePattern Notebook | Cancer Tools 101 seminar, Broad Institute |
| Jeremy Warner | HemOnc.org ontology | Discussion with OHDSI about integration of HemOnc.org ontology as their standard chemotherapy regimen vocabulary |

**Attendees, please sign in here:**

David Hanauer, U of Michigan

Mervi Heiskanen, NCI

Simina Boca, Georgetown University

Jeremy Warner, Vanderbilt University

Juli Klemm, NCI

Martin Morgan, Roswell Park

Michael Reich, UCSD

Hayley Dingerdissen, GW

**Minutes (everyone feel free to contribute):**

Special Issue/Special Series

JCO CCI launched in 2016

Online only journal, publishing clinical relevant research.

There are ~50 ITCR funded groups.

Too many, so it is more likely to be invited but still undergo peer review.

A few years ago with the prior journal, something was sent to all investigators for all of them submit. We do not know what percentage submitted. Maybe 50-75% submitted.

And some were not accepted for publication in the peer review process.

Journal does want new content. So at least write it and review it more differently.

Not interested in something that has gone through the peer review process.

Generally the content collections are more "Review" and not original research.

In the prior journal some longer research articles were submitted, but most of them was a "computer resource" format.

Expected timeline once things get going:

Authors often have about 2 weeks to accept the invitation, and then about 3 months to submit the paper, about 3 months for peer review, and 4 months production.

*Next Step:*

Jeremy Warner and David Hanauer will work on a brief description of the intended submission expectations to use as a broader announcement to ITCR investigators as an initial way to gauge interest.