

University of Michigan
Office of the Vice President for Research
U-M Human Pluripotent Stem Cell Research Oversight (HPSCRO) Committee
MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

COMMITTEE CO-CHAIRS:

Lois Brako (*ex-officio, n.v.*)
Assistant VP for Research, Compliance
NCRC, Bldg. 520-1190
lbrako@umich.edu (734) 615-8936
Contact: Kelly Coveleski, kellycov@umich.edu

***Elizabeth Lawlor** (08/05/2021, basic science)
Russell G. Adderley Professor of Pediatric
Oncology; Associate Professor of Pediatrics and
Communicable Diseases and of Pathology
1600 Huron Parkway
NCRC B520/Rm 1352
elawlor@umich.edu (734) 615-4814

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

***Michael E. Geisser** (8/12/2021)
Co-Chair, Medical School IRB
Professor, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
325 E. Eisenhower Pkwy, Suite 300 – 5744
mgeisser@umich.edu (734) 763-6501

***Susan Jacob** (01/05/2021, community representative)
suejacob@umich.edu

Kara Morgenstern (*ex-officio, n.v.*)
Associate General Counsel
Office of the General Counsel
3B04 NIB 0476
kmorgens@umich.edu (734) 764-2178
Contact: Jeffry Gehringer,
jgehring@med.umich.edu (734) 764-4555

***Jason Spence** (10/31/2021, basic science)
Assistant Professor, Internal Medicine;
Assistant Professor, Cell & Developmental
Biology
2047 BSRB 2200
spencejr@umich.edu (734) 763-3693

***Patricia A. Ward** (10/31/2021)
Director of Regulatory Affairs
Medical School
4107 MS I (Rm 3107), 562
patward@umich.edu (734) 647-1954
Contact: Kathy Richards, kjrich@umich.edu
(734) 647-1576

ALTERNATES TO BASIC SCIENCE MEMBERS:

Steven Clark (10/31/2021)
Professor of Molecular, Cellular &
Developmental Biology
4124 Natural Science Bldg. 1048
clarks@umich.edu (734) 647-4151

Gary D. Smith (10/31/2019)
Professor, Obstetrics and Gynecology, and
Molecular and Integrative Physiology
F4826A Mott 5272
smithgd@umich.edu (734) 764-4134
Contact: Kelly Studer, kstuder@umich.edu
(734) 764-8142

ALTERNATE TO MICHAEL GEISSER:

Judith M. Birk (8/12/2021)
Director, IRBMED
Medical School
NCRC 2800 Plymouth Rd #213
jbirk@umich.edu (734) 647-7615
Contact: Patricia Meredith, pmeredit@umich.edu
(734) 763-4768

ALTERNATE TO PATRICIA WARD:

Raymond Hutchinson (10/31/2021)
Associate Dean for Regulatory Affairs
Medical School
4107 MS I, 5624
rhutchin@umich.edu
Contact: Kathy Richards, kjrich@umich.edu
(734) 647-1576

ALTERNATE TO KARA MORGENSTERN:

Tiana Korley (*ex-officio, n.v.*)
Health Care Attorney
Office of the General Counsel
3B04 NIB 0476
tkorley@umich.edu (734) 764-2178
Contact: Jeffry Gehringer,
jgehring@med.umich.edu (734) 764-4555

[OPEN POSITION] (2)

*UM faculty member with legal and/or regulatory
expertise*

**U-M Human Pluripotent Stem Cell Research Oversight (HPSCRO) Committee
MEMBERSHIP ROSTER, continued**

CONSULTANTS TO THE COMMITTEE:

Anthony Nielsen

Assistant Managing Project Representative
Office of Research and Sponsored Projects
1070 Wolverine Tower 1274
anielsen@umich.edu (734) 936-0401

STAFF:

Lori Deromedi

Compliance Specialist Intermediate
Office of the VP for Research
NCRC, Bldg. 520-1164
lderomed@umich.edu (734) 764-7545
FAX: (734) 936-1852