

The 3rd CALERIE Research Network Workshop will be held in Alexandria, VA on Friday, May 10.

The overall CALERIE Research Network Workshop goal is to generate interest in CALERIE-based ancillary studies by demonstrating the wealth and accessibility of CALERIE data and samples. This year the proposed agenda will be designed around developing the Working Group plans we started to develop last year with the goal of creating funding proposals for Workshop participants: working singly or in groups; for CALERIE Network pilot funding (\$100,000 will be available for pilot grant funding) or going for the R01-level grant.

As you can see from the attached agenda, in addition to the topics for our established working groups on:

- miRNA, epigenetics, and DNA Methylation
- Circadian Rhythm
- Behavioral interventions
- Metabolomics

we are interested in furthering research ideas focused on the following three areas:

- Long-term follow-up studies
- Developing interactions with other intervention study biorepositories that can help us validate molecular findings discovered in CALERIE and the converse
- Studies involving cross-species studies of the same CALERIE-related questions in both human and animal studies

More information about the CALERIE Research Network and resources can be obtained at:

<http://CALERIE.duke.edu/>

If you or a colleague are interested in attending this year's Workshop, please contact Kim M. Huffman, MD at kim.huffman@duke.edu.