A CAREER IN CLINICAL TRIALS MANAGEMENT

Geared toward a wide range of professionals, the Clinical Trials Design & Management Certificate Program provides a foundation for preparing candidates to lead and manage the development and implementation of scientifically valid clinical study designs, including monitoring of clinical trials and directing daily clinical trial operations. The interdisciplinary program encompasses core competency areas integral to the drug product development and medical device design validation required for federal regulatory clearance.

The Clinical Trials Certificate Program offers graduate credit courses leading to a UGA graduate certificate and, if a student completes additional graduate courses, the certificate course work may be applied toward a Master of Science Degree in Pharmacy with an emphasis in Regulatory Sciences.
The Clinical Trials Design & Management Certificate Program is designed so students can take classes part-time and complete the Graduate Certificate Program in one academic year (including summer semester).

17 total semester hours

Course topics include:
- Intro to the Pharmaceutical, Biotechnology & Device Industries (4 hrs)
- Biostatistical Applications for Pharmaceutical & Biotechnology Industries (3 hrs)
- Ethical Issues in Research (3 hrs)
- Clinical Trials Design & Monitoring (4 hrs)
- Project Management in Clinical Trials (3 hrs)

Sample part-time schedule:

**Fall Semester**
- Intro to the Pharmaceutical, Biotechnology & Device Industries (4 hrs)
- Ethical Issues in Research (3 hrs)

**Spring Semester**
- Clinical Trials Design & Monitoring (4 hrs)

**Summer Semester**
- Biostatistical Applications for Pharmaceutical & Biotechnology Industries (3 hrs)
- Project Management in Clinical Trials (3 hrs)

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