

# Advancing the Academic Mission at a Complex Academic Health Center

Omni at Centennial Park; Room: Dogwood (North Tower M1)

This year, the Alliance of Academic Health Centers (AAHC) 2024 Annual Meeting will meet in-person in Atlanta, GA, on Thursday, November 7th followed by five days of Learn Serve Lead, which includes professional development, engaging events, and valuable networking. At the Alliance Annual Meeting, peer-to-peer interaction and interactivity takes center stage! One of the unique benefits of attending is the connections you make with the diverse community of thought leaders at academic health centers. This event offers unparalleled collaboration and knowledge exchange, ensuring everyone's voice is heard.

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## **Thursday, November 7**

**10:45 am**    **Early Arrivals Roundtable**

**12:00 pm**    **Lunch**

**12:45 pm**    **Welcome Remarks**  
Jonathan Jaffery, MD, MS, MMM  
Chief Health Care Officer, AAMC

David Skorton, MD  
President and CEO, AAMC

**1:00 pm**    **The Pivotal Role of Academic Health Centers in Shaping International Health Outcomes**

Carlos del Rio, MD, FIDSA

Leon L. Haley, Jr MD Distinguished Professor of Medicine; Executive Associate Dean for Faculty and Clinical Affairs, Emory University School of Medicine

**Facilitator: Deborah German, MD**

Dean, University of Central Florida College of Medicine; Vice President for Health Affairs, University of Central Florida

**1:45 pm**      **Enhancing Community Relationships**

**Marc J. Kahn, MD, MBA, MACP, FRCP**

Dean, Kirk Kerkorian School of Medicine at UNLV; Vice President for Health Affairs, Professor, Department of Medicine, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

**George Kikano, MD**

Dean, CMU College of Medicine; Executive Vice President of Health Affairs, Central Michigan University

**Facilitator: Allison Brashear, MD, MBA**

Vice President for Health Sciences; Dean, Jacobs School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, University at Buffalo

**3:00 pm**      **Break**

**3:20 pm**      **Managing Across the Health Professions**

**Facilitator: Robert A. Barish, MD, MBA**

Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs; Professor of Emergency Medicine, College of Medicine, University of Illinois Chicago

***Interdisciplinary Collaboration and Leadership***

**Michael B. Zenn**

Senior Advisor, Enterprise Strategic Initiatives; Office of the Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs, UI Health

***Financial Management***

**Julie A. Freischlag, MD, FACS, FRCSEd (Hon), DFSVS, MAMSE**

Chief Executive Officer and Chief Academic Officer, Atrium Health Wake Forest Baptist; Chief Academic Officer and Executive Vice President, Advocate Health; Executive Vice President for Health Affairs, Wake Forest University

***Advocating for Policy Changes that Benefit Interprofessional Practice***

**Wendy Rheault, PT, PhD, FASAHP, FNAP, DipACLM**

President and CEO, Professor of Physical Therapy, Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science

***Coordinating Care Across Health Disciplines/Technologies to Increase Collaboration***

**Anantha Shekhar, MD, PhD**

Senior Vice Chancellor for the Health Sciences; John and Gertrude Petersen Dean, School of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh

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