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The Intersection of Ethics, Education, and Simulation: Exploring Difficult Issues

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8:15am - 2:00pm

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Keynote Address Synopsis

As the field of simulation has matured a number of ethical questions have arisen that generate intense debate among educators. Chief among these are the use of deliberate deception to create more realistic scenarios and the use of mannequin death in response to inappropriate learner actions. When (if ever) should these techniques be applied? Do learner groups exist in which their use is best avoided altogether?

While opinions are sharply divided, the literature base is relatively small. In this lecture we will use newly created theoretical frameworks to explore what is known, what is not known, and what has yet to be explored.

MORNING SESSION: LKSC, Room LK130 (1st Floor)



8:15am - 8:30am
BREAKFAST &
REGISTRATION



8:30am - 8:45am
OPENING
REMARKS



8:45am - 9:45am
KEYNOTE
ADDRESS



9:45am - 10:00am
COFFEE
BREAK



10:00am - 11:30am
IGNITE
TALKS

AFTERNOON SESSION: LKSC, Room LK005 (Ground Floor)



11:30am - 12:15pm
LUNCH



12:15pm - 2:00pm
WORKSHOP

About the Workshop

This workshop will focus on developing the skills needed to move beyond basic questions and develop a career in education research.

Participants will learn techniques to explore the assumptions behind their research questions as well as common errors made when designing, executing, and disseminating the results of studies.

The session will end with a discussion of how to move beyond the initial question into new territory, charting a career in simulation-based research.

About Dr. Calhoun

Dr. Calhoun received his MD from the Johns Hopkins University in 2001 and subsequently completed a residency in Pediatrics (Northwestern University, 2004), and a fellowship in Pediatric Critical Care (Harvard University, 2007).

He is an Associate Professor of Pediatric Critical Care Medicine at the University of Louisville, and practices as an intensivist at Norton Children's Hospital, where he also directs the SPARC (Simulation for Pediatric Assessment, Resuscitation, and Communication) Program.

Dr. Calhoun currently serves as Chair of the Society for Simulation in Healthcare (SSIH) Research Committee, and as an Associate Editor for Simulation in Healthcare. In 2017 he was named a Fellow of the SSIH Academy.