

Program Director



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Dr. Linas' research interests include HIV and HCV Comparative and Cost-Effectiveness

Dr. Linas is a national leader in hepatitis-C virus (HCV) infection and HCV/HIV co-infection comparative- and cost-effectiveness research using computational biology, clinical epidemiology and clinical economics methods. Dr. Linas has an excellent track record of productivity, ample funding from the NIH and CDC, and a growing core of successful trainees.

Dr. Linas is the co-director of the Boston/ Providence Center for AIDS Research developmental core. Dr. Linas directs the HIV/HCV core of the Center for Health Economics of Treatment Interventions for Substance Use Disorders, HCV, and HIV, funded by the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) in collaboration with Cornell, U Penn and Miami.

For additional information about the Boston University Clinical HIV/AIDS Research Training Program (BU-CHART) and instructions on how to apply, please visit our website:

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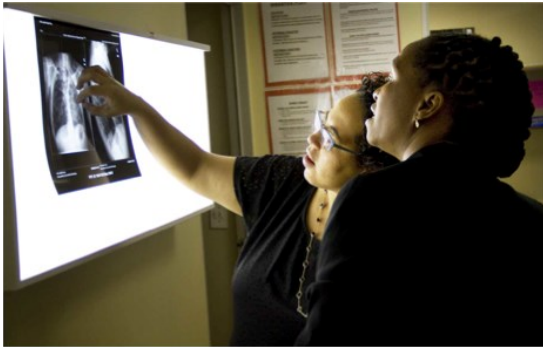
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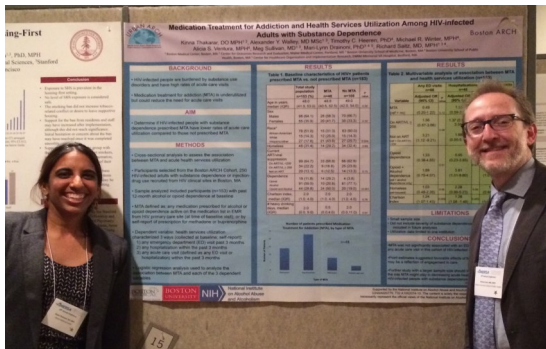
A two-year mentored postdoctoral research training program designed for MD & PhD researchers to conduct high-quality, ethical HIV/AIDS research focused on disadvantaged populations.



About the Program

24-Month Training Curriculum

- Guaranteed funding to complete MSc degree at Boston University School of Public Health
- Formal research oversight and program feedback
- Clinical Research seminars as part of the Boston University CREST Program
- Introductory series of didactic lectures in HIV/AIDS and classroom work



Admission Criteria

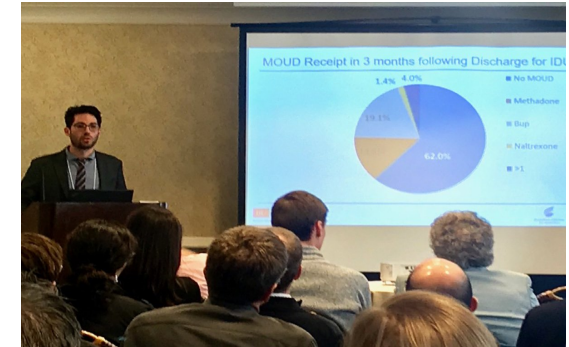
- Completed a post-doctoral program, MD, PhD, or DSc
- Demonstrate a track record of an academic research career in HIV/AIDS
- Must be a US Citizens or permanent resident

Application Process

- BU-CHART Application Form
- Personal Statement (Two pages, 0.5 inch margins, Arial, font size 11)
- CV/Resume
- Names and addresses of three references

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Resources

- Pilot grants
- Consultation services
- Boston University Infectious Disease Clinical Research Unit (CRU)
- Department of Medicine Core (BUSM)
- Center for AIDS Research (Boston/ Providence CFAR)
- Center for Health Economics of Treatment Interventions for Substance Use Disorder, HCV, and HIV (CHERISH)
- Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI)
- Center for Resource Economics

