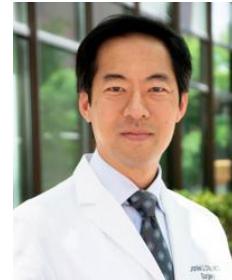


Northwest Society of Colon & Rectal Surgeons Ethics Lectureship

Dr. Dan Chu will be our Endowed Ethics Lecturer.

Dr. Chu is an expert on identifying, understanding and reducing health disparities in surgery with particular attention to health literacy. He is known for his work addressing disparities through a novel intersection of health literacy, enhanced recovery programs, and patient engagement technologies. His recent work explores how to incorporate artificial intelligence in improving health literacy



We are seeking applications to the Northwest Society of Colon & Rectal Surgeons Ethics Lectureship. Accepted applicants will work with Dr. Chu and the Ethics Co-Leaders (Drs. Matthew Bobel and Jill Clark) to learn how to evaluate a piece of colorectal surgery patient education and improve its health literacy using AI. They will then have the opportunity to teach their skill during the Ethics Lectureship. There is a cash prize associated with acceptance.

Who can apply?

Any level of medical trainee: medical student, general surgery resident, or colorectal surgery fellow. Trainees with a special interest in ethics or education are strongly encouraged to apply

How do I apply?

Click the button below to begin the application. The application cycle will close on December 22nd and acceptance notifications will be sent by January 2nd. The Ethics Lectureship will be on July 16th.

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