



# HOUSTON TEAM SCIENCE SUMMIT

*A Discussion on Interdisciplinary Teamwork*

Friday, March 24, 2017 | 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

The Denton A. Cooley, MD and Ralph C. Cooley, DDS University Life Center  
University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston | Houston, Texas

## Morning Session

8:30 - 8:45 Registration / Breakfast

8:45 - 9:00 Welcome Remarks  
Organizing Committee

**Thomas Kolditz**, Ph.D., Director, Doerr Institute for New Leaders, Rice University

9:00 - 10:20 Topic: Conditions for Establishing a Culture of Collaboration

Speaker: **Scott Tannenbaum**, Ph.D., The Group for Organizational Effectiveness (gOE).

10:20 - 10:30 Break

10:30 - 12:00 Discussion: Creating a Culture of Collaboration: Challenges and Solutions

Moderator: **Scott Tannenbaum**, Ph.D.

Panelists:

- **Tina Langley**, ME.d., M.A., B.S., Women's Basketball Head Coach, Rice Owls, Rice University
- **Richard Bado**, M.M., B.M., Chorus Master, Houston Grand Opera and Music Director of the Opera Studies Program, Rice University
- **Stephen T. Wong**, Ph.D., Chief Research Information Officer, Chief of Medical Physics and Vice Chair of Radiology at Houston Methodist Hospital at Texas Medical Center
- **Eric J. Thomas**, M.D. M.P.H., F.A.C.P., Director of UT Memorial Hermann Center for Healthcare Quality and Safety, University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston
- **David H. Berger**, M.D., M.H.C.M., VP and COO, Baylor St. Luke's Medical Center, CEO of SyncedCare and eHealth
- **William (Brandon) Vessey**, Ph.D., ISS Medical Project, NASA-JSC
- **Jim Wiederhold**, B.S., President of Wiederhold & Associates

12:00 - 1:00 Lunch

## Afternoon Session

1:00 - 2:00 Topic: The Science of Teamwork

Speaker: **Eduardo Salas**, Ph.D., Professor and Organizational Psychologist, Rice University

2:00 - 2:15 Break

2:15 - 3:45 Discussion: The Science of Teamwork

Moderator: **Eduardo Salas**, Ph.D., and **Scott Tannenbaum**, Ph.D.

Panelists:

- **William O' Keefe**, M.S., Human Factor / Team Training Consultant, Houston, Texas / Defense and Space, NASA
- **Lynn Wang**, M.S., Subsea Lead - Moho Nord Project, Chevron
- **Sid Mebarkia**, Ph.D., Subsea Pipeline Senior Consultant, ETC Subsea Pipeline, Chevron
- **Tom Flanagan**, R.N., B.S.N., M.A., L.P., Chief Operating Officer, Memorial Hermann, Texas Medical Center
- **John Watt**, B.A., Chef, Managing Partner of Third Coast Restaurant in the Texas Medical Center

3:45 - 4:45 Rapid Fire Discussion  
Moderator: **Eduardo Salas**, Ph.D.

4:45 - 5:00 Discussion: Next Steps

5:00 - 6:00 Social Hour

*\* Agenda is subject to change*



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Please join us for an interactive session on the state on team science in the Greater Houston region. This event will bring together leaders, scientists, and practitioners interested in catalyzing innovative collaborations that lead to extraordinary results.

Register online at the [Houston Team Science Summit](#) website.

By Invitation Only.

Please RSVP by Wednesday, March 15, 2017 at 5:00 PM.

Contact Juliana J. Brixey, RN, MPH, PhD, by email at [juliana.j.brixey@uth.tmc.edu](mailto:juliana.j.brixey@uth.tmc.edu) for more information.



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