# Biomedical Informatics a Model for Interprofessional Education

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## Technology Session

The First Interdisciplinary Applied Clinical Informatics Conference (IACIC) was designed to meet the needs of beginners to experienced veterans in the field of Biomedical Informatics. The IACIC was designed to promote interactivity and networking between participants:

1. Engage a diverse group of creative informaticians.
2. Focused, relevant keynote and panel discussions.
3. Discuss opportunities, challenges and exchange ideas with colleagues.
4. Four interactive small group sessions focusing on key areas of applied informatics.
5. Learn about new approaches to common problems and industry trends.
6. Create new connections and personal resources.

## Pharmacy Session

**Title:** Improving Medication Safety with Technology – What to Choose?

**Speaker:** Philip Schneider, MS, FASHP, FFIP, FASPN

**Learning Objectives:**
1. Discuss technologies that can enable interprofessional medication safety improvement.
2. Review issues and solutions related to the adoption of medication-safety technologies.
3. Design strategies for making evidence-based recommendations for choosing technologies to improve medication safety.

## Administrative Session

**Title:** Myth Busting on Consensus Decision Making: Team Processes for Effective IT Governance

**Speaker:** A. Peter Catinella, MD, MPH

**Learning Objectives:**
1. Describe 3 exercises for effective team building that are useful for IT implementation.
2. Write a definition of consensus that contains 4 key qualities unique to the term.
3. List 4 group process steps to use in consensus building.

## Nursing Session

**Title:** Nurse Informaticists: Hacking Florence Nightingale’s Laptop

**Speaker:** Colleen Gallogly, MSN, RN

**Learning Objectives:**
1. Relate examples of how clinical informatics is being utilized at the Phoenix VA Medical Center.
2. Describe the training and role of the nurse informaticist.
3. Explore some examples of advanced clinical analytic tools.

## IACIC Participants by Job Title

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## First Biomedical Informatics Fellows

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