

## 2026 Annual Kinsman Bioethics Conference

# *Communities Under Pressure: Moving From Crisis Toward Flourishing*



Dancing through Disaster by Jane Theau (Barometer Gallery, 2022)

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## Speakers

### Keynote Speaker

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### Conference Details

#### *Conference Co-Chairs*

Christine MULLOWNEY, MD, *OHSU Center for Ethics in Health Care*

Sara Kolmes, PhD, *Providence Center for Health Care Ethics*

#### *Target Audience*

The Kinsman Bioethics Conference is an interprofessional conference for all healthcare and allied health professionals. Physicians, nurses, social workers, chaplains, pharmacists, mental health services providers, and administrators are welcome.

#### *Learning Objectives*

1. Define the concept of the "common good" and discuss the role that healthcare systems, public health, politics, and bioethics play in cultivating health and human flourishing.
2. Identify strategies to elevate marginalized voices with a special focus on Oregon and the Pacific Northwest region.
3. Gain insight into emerging issues in healthcare ethics and explore novel policies and practices in health advocacy.

#### *Acknowledgements*

Special appreciation goes to John Kinsman for the endowment he established in 1989 to provide partial support for this conference, and to The Kinsman Foundation for their ongoing support in underwriting this conference. The conference organizers also express their appreciation to the OHSU Center for Ethics in Health Care and Providence Center for Health Care Ethics for their support in co-hosting this year's conference. Thank you to our volunteers: Samantha Birk and Diana Van.

Finally, a warm thank you to this year's planning committee members:

Krisa Gigon, RN

Taylor LaVoi, OT/R

Barbara Harris, MDiv

Hong Lee, PhD

Dave Hoyt

Christine MULLOWNEY, MD

Sara Kolmes, PhD



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### Conflict of Interest Disclosures

#### Faculty Disclosure Information

*In accordance with the requirements of the ACCME's Standards for Integrity and independence in Accredited Continuing Education, each instructor and member of the planning committee has been asked to disclose any relevant financial relationship with ineligible companies (defined as: any entity producing, marketing, re-selling, or distributing health care goods or services consumed by, or used on, patients)/ All of the relevant financial relationships listed for these individuals have been mitigated.*

#### Program Planning Committee

Krisa Gigon, RN	Nothing to Disclose
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Tenzin Wangmo, M.D.	Nothing to Disclose

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## Conference Logistics

### *Conference Location & Maps*

#### **Westside Commons**

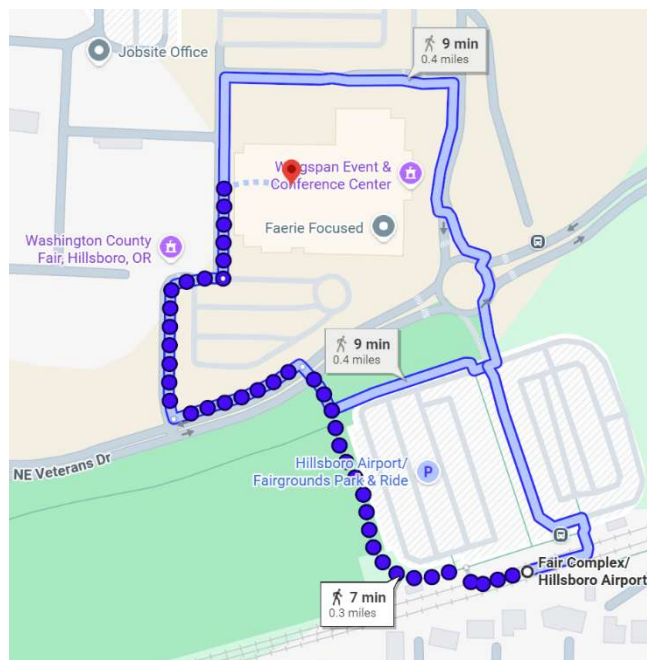
801 NE 34<sup>th</sup> Ave  
Hillsboro, OR 97124

#### **Directions #1**

From the Red or Blue Max Line, get off at Fair Complex/Hillsboro Airport and walk 7 minutes to Westside Commons.

#### **Directions #2**

From Holiday Inn Express Portland West/Hillsboro, take a left onto NE Cornell Road for 1.3 miles. Then turn left on NE 34<sup>th</sup> Ave and then turn right onto the roundabout to Westside Commons.



### *Hotel Instructions*

If you are staying at Holiday Inn Express Portland West/Hillsboro, please check in at the front desk to receive your room key.

Check in time: 3:00pm

Check out time: 11:00am

Distance from conference venue: 2.1 miles away

Location: 5900 NE Ray Cir, Hillsboro, OR 97124

### *Breakout Sessions*

Space is limited so please attend each of the breakout sessions for which you registered. Signs will be posted at each breakout space noting the topic and presented speaker.

### *Conference Meals and Snacks*

Coffee and herbal tea will be provided beginning at 7:00am, with a continental breakfast buffet available at 7:30am, each morning of the conference. Presentations will begin promptly at 8:15am.



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Lunch will be provided. Gluten-free and vegan options will be available.

### *Mandatory Attendance Sheet and Evaluations*

The attendance sheet will be available to attendees the morning of the conference and should be completed upon entry. Proof of attendance is required to obtain CE certification. Additional information is available in the *Continuing Education Credits & Requirements* section.

### *Assistance*

If you require any conference-related assistance, please contact Dave Hoyt:  
[ethics@ohsu.edu](mailto:ethics@ohsu.edu)



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## Continuing Education Credits Information & Requirements

Participants seeking CME and NCPD credits who successfully attend the entire conference may receive up to 6.5 CEU credits. Participants **must** sign the attendance sheet to receive credit.

Participants seeking SW continuing education credits who successfully attend the conference will receive up to 6.5 clinical contact hours. Participants **must** sign the attendance sheet to receive credit and **must complete an NASW conference evaluation form to receive credit.**

### *Physician Credit Statement*

Accreditation:

The School of Medicine, Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU), is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit:

Oregon Health & Science University School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 6.5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### *Social Work Credit Statement*

This conference has been approved by the National Association of Social Workers to award up to 6.5 clinical contact hours.



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### Schedule

Friday, May 1, 2026

8:00 – 8:15	<b>Welcome &amp; Opening Reflection:</b>  Co-Chair – Sara Kolmes, PhD, Providence Center for Health Care Ethics Co-Chair – Christine Mullooney, MD, OHSU Center for Ethics in Health Care		
8:15 – 9:30	<b>Keynote Opening Address &amp; Q&amp;A: “Caring for Older Persons in Prisons: Understanding Their Vulnerabilities and Rights”</b>  Tenzin Wangmo, PhD, University of Basel		
9:30 – 9:45	<i>Break</i>		
9:45 – 10:45	<b>Plenary Event – “Practicing Ethics in Uncertain Times: Community Health in Action.”</b>  <b>Moderator:</b> Christine Mullooney, MD, OHSU <b>Virginia Garcia Panel:</b> Marci Ramiro-Jenkins; Daniel Alvarez-Vargas; Vanessa Robles; Roxanna Pascual; Martin Mendoza; Jeniffer Barrientos		
10:45 – 11:00	<i>Break</i>		
<b>Session A</b> 11:00 – 12:00	<b>A1 – “To Care for Jay, We First Had to Build his Village”</b>  Krisa Gigon, RN, HEC-C & Cameron Fehr, RN, Samaritan Health; Mariana Mace, Samaritan Ethics Committee	<b>A2 – “Does That Make Sense? Reliance on Patients’ Self-Reported Understanding Undermines Quality and Safety”</b>  Cliff Coleman, MD, OHSU	<b>A3 – “Flourishing despite Adversity: What Elephant Man teaches us about Human Flourishing”</b>  Fabrice Jotterand, PhD, OHSU
12:00 – 1:00	<i>Lunch</i>		
1:00 – 2:00	<b>Plenary Event - ‘Everyday Clinical Ethics for Incarcerated Populations’</b>  <b>Moderator/Panelist:</b> Sara Kolmes, PhD, Providence Health <b>Salem Health Panel:</b> Hong Lee, PhD & Lani Day, MSW		
2:00 – 2:15	<i>Break</i>		
<b>Session B</b> 2:15 – 3:15	<b>B1 – “Community Initiatives for Advance Care Planning”</b>  Taylor LaVoi, OT/R, OHSU	<b>B2 – “Clinical Ethical Dilemmas in Geriatrics</b>  Kimberly Vargas-Barreto, PhD & Laura Perry, MD, Providence Center for Health Care Ethics	<b>B3 – “POLST: New Challenges and Opportunities in a Changing Health Care Landscape”</b>  Christine Mullooney, MD, OHSU
3:15 – 3:30	<i>Break</i>		
3:30 – 4:30	<b>Plenary Event – “The Art of Connection: What Healthcare Can Learn from Museums”</b>  Elizabeth Lahti, MD, OHSU		
4:30 – 4:45	<b>Reflection</b>  Tenzin Wangmo, PhD, University of Basel		
4:45 – 5:00	<b>Closing Remarks &amp; Announcements</b>		



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## Conference Activities

### Keynote Opening Address

#### **“Caring For Older Persons in Prisons: Understanding Their Vulnerabilities and Rights”**

8:15 AM – 9:30 AM

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. Understand the health and social concerns faced by older persons in prisons.
2. Appreciate the different vulnerabilities impacting their lives.
3. Examine how the findings from Switzerland could be useful for other contexts.

**Keynote Speaker:** Tenzin Wangmo, PhD, *University of Basel, Switzerland*

Prof. Dr. Tenzin Wangmo has been working at the Institute for Biomedical Ethics at the University of Basel (IBMB) since May 2011. Her research interests are at the nexus of aging, caregiving, public policy, vulnerability, and responsibility. Her research expertise in ethics includes access to health, well-being of older adults, health of older persons in prisons, technology and aging, caring for older persons, and empirical research methodology.

### Plenary Panel

#### **“Practicing Ethics in Uncertain Times: Community Health in Action.”**

9:45 AM – 10:45 AM

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. Examine provider and frontline perspectives on delivering ethical, person-centered care during periods of workforce strain, policy uncertainty, and social instability, highlighting both challenges and opportunities for patient thriving.
2. Identify ways healthcare workers and organizations can extend their impact beyond clinical settings through partnerships and public health advocacy that respond to emerging community needs.
3. Describe how mobile health delivery models and community-based navigation reduce barriers to care and expand access for patients historically underserved.



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**Moderator:** Christine MULLOWNEY, MD, *OHSU Center for Ethics in Health Care*

Dr. Christine E. MULLOWNEY is an internal medicine doctor. She has a particular interest in diabetes management. She also is involved in efforts to improve primary care and population health. She serves as Medical Director of the Oregon POLST Program.

### **Panelists:**

Marci Ramiro-Jenkins, *Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center*

Marci is the Senior Manager of Community Affairs at Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center, where she leads efforts at the intersection of community engagement, advocacy, and health equity. Her work focuses on integrating community voice into healthcare strategy and advancing policies that expand access and improve outcomes for underserved populations. In addition to her leadership role, Marci collaborates with Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU) on cervical cancer research addressing disparities in Latino communities, contributing to efforts that center prevention, early detection, and equitable access to care for populations at highest risk. She brings a system-level perspective to public health, grounding her approach in person-centered care, ethical responsibility, and the belief that healthcare organizations play a critical role beyond clinic walls.

Roxanna Pascual, *Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center*

Roxanna is the Medical Operations Administrator at Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center and a leader in mobile health. Her work centers on delivering services directly to patients in nontraditional settings, reducing structural barriers and ensuring that individuals who might otherwise go unseen can receive timely, person-centered care. Through her leadership, mobile health has become a critical strategy for advancing equity, dignity, and access across the communities Virginia Garcia serves.

Daniel Alvarez Vargas, PA, *Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center*

Daniel Alvarez Vargas is an Advanced Practice Clinician and Site Medical Director at Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center's Hillsboro Primary Care Clinic. He provides comprehensive, patient-centered care while leading clinical operations at one of the organization's largest sites. Daniel brings a dual lens of provider and leader, balancing direct patient care with oversight of care delivery systems to ensure quality, access, and continuity for a diverse patient population. His work



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reflects a deep commitment to community health, equity, and the integration of clinical excellence with operational leadership to meet the evolving needs of the communities served.

Martin Mendoza, *Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center*

Martin supports the development and implementation of mobile health services at Virginia Garcia, helping bring care directly into communities with the greatest need. His work emphasizes practical, on-the-ground solutions that remove barriers such as transportation, cost, and system complexity. By meeting patients where they are, Martin contributes to expanding access and strengthening trust between healthcare systems and historically underserved populations.

Vanessa Robles, *Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center*

Vanessa Robles plays a key role in advancing community-centered care and advocacy at Virginia Garcia. Her work bridges clinical care and broader public health efforts, helping translate frontline experiences into meaningful engagement with community partners and systems-level change. She is deeply committed to ensuring that healthcare delivery remains grounded in dignity, equity, and responsiveness to the evolving needs of the communities served.

Jen Barrientos, MSW, *Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center*

Jen Barrientos the Behavioral Health Care Manager and leads efforts in social care navigation at Virginia Garcia, connecting patients to essential community resources through strong partnerships with community-based organizations. Her work focuses on addressing social determinants of health by ensuring patients receive coordinated, whole-person support beyond the clinical setting. Jen brings a practical and collaborative approach to identifying emerging needs and strengthening the network of care available to patients.



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### Concurrent Breakout Session #1

#### **A1 – “To Care for Jay, We First Had to Build his Village”**

11:00 AM -12:00 PM

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. To identify community partners and interorganizational pathways to improve care coordination.
2. To examine self-reflective strategies that promote awareness and mitigation of implicit bias and moral distress among community members, caregivers, and healthcare providers.
3. To explore the challenges of caring for and placing patients with violent behaviors.

#### **Speakers:**

Krisa Gigon, RN, *Samaritan Health Services*

Krisa has been actively involved in participating in and eventually leading the Ethics Committee in her organization. This is in addition to her primary responsibilities as an employee health nurse. She has consistently worked to make the Ethics Committee an effective resource for clinicians, as well as patients and their support systems. She promotes the incorporation of clinical ethical principles, as defined by healthcare ethical standards as defined by the ANA and other healthcare professional ethics standards.

Cameron Fehr, RN, *Samaritan Health Services*

Cameron is a hospital case management leader within the Samaritan Health system, supporting patient-centered care and ethical decision-making across two acute care hospitals. His work sits at the intersection of clinical practice, operations, and values-based leadership, where he regularly navigates complex questions related to care transitions, resource stewardship, and patient autonomy. Cameron brings a practical, systems-oriented perspective to ethics, shaped by collaboration with interdisciplinary teams and a belief in thoughtful, relationship-driven care. Outside the hospital setting, he finds balance in working his small business and farm - managing animals, learning forestry, and taking on projects that require patience, responsibility, and hands-on problem-solving. Whether in professional settings or out on the land, Cameron believes healthcare



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should be grounded in accountability, hard work, and respect for people, place, and purpose.

Mariana Mace, *Samaritan Ethics Committee*

Mariana Mace is a community member of the Samaritan hospital medical ethics committee at large and of the UPAG (Unrepresented Patient Advocacy Group). She became interested in the subject of medical ethics during long marathon training walks with her daughter. Being a community member has its challenges -understanding both the medical and the ethical issues. Providing a personal, non-medical voice in discussions and recommendations is both challenging and rewarding. But I have appreciated being part of the ethics committee.

### **A2 – “Does That Make Sense? Reliance on Patients’ Self-Reported Understanding Undermines Quality and Safety”**

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. Recognize the hidden nature of lower health literacy.
2. Identify the limitations of patients’ and caregivers’ self-reported understanding.
3. Describe a simple, quick, acceptable, cost-effective means of objectively assessing understanding for better patient-centered outcomes

**Speaker:** Cliff Coleman, MD, *OHSU Center for Ethics in Health Care*

Dr. Cliff Coleman is a family doctor who specializes in caring for patients with complex medical conditions as well as meeting the growing health needs of underserved populations. He says his patients, their families and his coworkers make him feel privileged to come to work each day.



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**A3 – “Flourishing despite Adversity: What Elephant Man teaches us about Human Flourishing”**

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

**Learning Objectives**

1. Examine the role of character development in flourishing, including how virtues and character traits contribute to it.
2. Apply the concept of flourishing to real-life situations by examining the case of Joseph Merrick (Elephant Man).
3. Appreciate how adversity can contribute to personal flourishing.

**Speaker:** Fabrice Jotterand, PhD, *OHSU Center for Ethics in Health Care*

Dr. Fabrice Jotterand is a philosopher and medical ethicist with a secondary appointment as Senior Researcher at the Institute for Biomedical Ethics in the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Basel, Switzerland. Originally from Switzerland, he moved to the United States in 1995 to pursue his education and academic career. He brings an international, multicultural, and multidisciplinary perspective to issues related to medicine and health care delivery, an essential approach in today’s pluralistic society.

*Plenary Presentation*

**“Everyday Clinical Ethics for Incarcerated Populations”**

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

**Learning Objectives**

1. Identify the differences in goals and perspectives regarding patient care between Healthcare and the Criminal Justice System.
2. Evaluate case studies that show how these differences lead to clinical dilemmas.
3. Discuss practical strategies in navigating dilemmas in carceral ethics.

**Moderator & Panelist:** Sara Kolmes, PhD, *Providence Center for Health Care Ethics*

Sara Kolmes is a Senior Clinical Ethicist for the Providence Center for Health Care Ethics. She grew up in Portland, but left for the east coast to complete a PhD in philosophy at Georgetown University and a fellowship in clinical ethics at



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Wellstar Health System. She is excited to be back on the west coast offering ethics education and clinical ethics support to Providence clinicians. Her academic research focuses on clinical ethics issues surrounding mistrust and interreligious and intercultural communication, and on incorporating bioethics into medical education.

### **Panelists**

Hong Lee, PhD, *Salem Health*

Hong Lee is the Medical Ethicist at Salem Health. He grew up in San Francisco and discovered his passion for ethics while completing his BA in philosophy at the University of California, Berkeley. Hong then went on to complete his PhD in Philosophy at Bowling Green State University in Ohio and a fellowship in Clinical and Organizational Ethics at the University of Toronto's Joint Centre for Bioethics. He has been providing clinical ethics services to Salem Health since 2013.

Lani Day, MSW, *Salem Health*

Lani Day is a licensed clinical social worker providing in-patient palliative care services for Salem Health. Lani began her career supporting people with disabilities, which led her to social work. She earned her BSW and MSW from Portland State University. Lani started at Salem Health as a care manager and has worked in palliative care since 2020. Lani is passionate about trauma-informed care in medical settings, with a focus on patient autonomy, dignity, and ethical decision making.

### *Concurrent Breakout Session #2*

#### ***B1 – “Community Initiatives for Advanced Care Planning”***

2:15 PM – 3:15 PM

### **Learning Objectives**

1. Be able to verbalize, from an evidence-based perspective, how each healthcare provider has the capability to contribute to advanced care planning.
2. Explore a formula for an internalized process and/or model that accentuates diverse, equitable and inclusive approaches to initiate evidence based advanced care planning.



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3. Create a plan on how in the community you could establish advanced care planning in a novel setting.

**Speaker:** Taylor LaVoi, OTR/L, *OHSU*

Taylor works as an occupational therapist in the neurological outpatient setting. Their primary population in which they serve are folks with neurodegenerative conditions, such as MS, ALS, Parkinsons, PSP, dementia and neurorehabilitation such as TBI/CVA. They serve as a member of OHSU's ethics consult call service, ethics committee and staff well-being groups. Taylor's passion for ethics started following George Floyd's death amidst the experience of moral distress of being a healthcare worker during the pandemic. They're honored and privileged to be able to speak with you today.

### **B2 – “Clinical Ethical Dilemmas in Geriatrics”**

2:15 PM – 3:15 PM

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. Recognize common issues that arise in the care of patients with dementia in hospitalized settings.
2. Identify appropriate clinical resources to address these issues.
3. Apply appropriate concepts and strategies used in clinical ethics to these cases.

#### **Speakers:**

Kimberly Vargas-Barreto, PhD, *Providence Center for Health Care Ethics*

Kimberly Vargas Barreto, a Clinical Ethicist Fellow at Providence Center for Health Care Ethics, Portland, United States, holds a PhD from Loyola University Chicago and specializes in feminist and non-Western approaches to moral philosophy and applied ethics. Her research explores the intersections of culture, gender, and ethics in healthcare and emerging technologies.



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Laura Perry, MD, *Providence Health Systems*

Laura Perry joined the faculty of Providence Portland in 2023. Prior to that, Laura had been practicing as a geriatrician in primary care and nursing home medicine. Laura loves teaching residents how to care for older adults in a way that is safe, effective, and puts the patient's priorities at the center of the plan.

### **B3 - "POLST: New Challenges and Opportunities in a Changing Health Care Landscape"**

2:15 PM – 3:15 PM

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. Describe appropriate use of POLST, including settings when not to use POLST.
2. Differentiate between DNR status and Selective or Comfort Measures orders. Describe the full range of medical interventions that should continue to be provided based on patient goals of care.
3. Understand the importance of conversations with loved ones in individuals who are completing a new POLST or have a POLST on record.

**Speaker:** Christine Mullooney, MD, *Chair – Oregon POLST Coalition*

#### *Plenary Presentation*

### **The Art of Connection: What Healthcare Can Learn from Museums**

3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. Identify the public health implications of loneliness.
2. Describe how partnerships between healthcare and museums benefit patients, learners, and healthcare professionals.
3. Recognize the impact of disconnection/connection in aging populations.

**Speaker:** Elizabeth Lahti, MD

Elizabeth Lahti, MD is Associate Professor in the Division of Hospital Medicine, Director of Narrative Medicine, and Scholar in the Oregon Health Science University Center for Ethics in Health Care. She co-founded Northwest Narrative



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Medicine Collaborative, a national community of practitioners, educators, and scholars integrating arts and humanities into education, community, and clinical settings. Dr. Lahti works closely with the Art Heals program at the University of Oregon Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art. Her academic and creative work has been published in *Annals of Internal Medicine*, *Intima*, *Journal of General Internal Medicine*, *Journal of Medical Humanities*, and others.

### *Closing Reflection*

### *Conference Reflection*

4:30 – 4:45pm

**Speaker: Tenzin Wangmo, PhD, *University of Basel, Switzerland***

## Evaluations

Thank you for attending the 2026 Annual Kinsman Bioethics Conference.

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### *QR Code Directions*

#### **iPhone and Most Androids:**

1. Open your camera
2. Hold over the QR Code
3. Tap Survey link that appears on your screen



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## Visiting City

To help make the best of your stay, we've put together a small list of things you might enjoy while you're here.

### *Food & Drink*

#### **Hillsboro Downtown Station**

320 SE Baseline St, Hillsboro, OR 97123  
[www.hillsborodowntownstation.com](http://www.hillsborodowntownstation.com)

#### **Paik's Noodle**

11213 BE Evergreen Pkwy Ste H, Hillsboro, OR 97006  
[www.paiksnoodleus.com](http://www.paiksnoodleus.com)

#### **Hapa Pizza**

12755 SW Broadway St, Beaverton, OR 97005  
[www.hapapizza.com](http://www.hapapizza.com)

#### **Spitz Mediterranean Street Food**

3611 SE Cornelius Pass Rd, Hillsboro, OR 97123  
[www.spitzrestaurant.com](http://www.spitzrestaurant.com)

#### **Foodlandia**

2635 SE Century Blvd, Hillsboro, OR 97123  
[www.foodlandiafoodcarts.com](http://www.foodlandiafoodcarts.com)

### *Sightseeing, Parks & Activities*

#### **Washington County Cooperative Library Services**

2350 NE Griffin Oaks St Ste 700, Hillsboro, OR 97124  
[www.wccls.org](http://www.wccls.org)

#### **Cooper Mountain Nature Park**

18892 SW Kemmer Rd #5682, Beaverton, OR 97007  
[www.thprd.org](http://www.thprd.org)

#### **Orengo Woods Nature Park**

7100 NE Birch Street, Hillsboro, OR 97124  
[www.oregonmetro.gov](http://www.oregonmetro.gov)

#### **Orchard Park (West Entrance)**

8490 NE Walker Rd, Hillsboro, OR 97124



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***The Streets of Tanasbourne***

10050 NW Emma Way, Hillsboro, OR 97124  
[www.streetsoftanasbourne.com](http://www.streetsoftanasbourne.com)

***Hillsboro Town Center***

1972 SE Tualatin Valley HWY, Hillsboro, OR 97123  
[www.discountsplus.com](http://www.discountsplus.com)

***Antique Mall Snider's Hill***

127 NE 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Hillsboro, OR 97124

***Hillsboro Market Center***

888 NE 25<sup>th</sup> Ave, Hillsboro, OR 97124

***Hillsboro Hobby Shop***

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