

# NCATS Organizational Chart

**COUNCIL –  
CAN BOARD**

## **OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR**

Joni L. Rutter, Ph.D.  
*Director*  
Clare K. Schmitt, Ph.D.  
*Acting Deputy Director*

### **DIVISION OF CLINICAL INNOVATION**

Michael G. Kurilla, M.D., Ph.D.  
*Director*

### **DIVISION OF EXTRAMURAL ACTIVITIES**

Anna L. Ramsey Ewing, Ph.D.  
*Director*

### **DIVISION OF PRECLINICAL INNOVATION**

Anton M. Simeonov, Ph.D.  
*Scientific Director*

### **DIVISION OF RARE DISEASES RESEARCH INNOVATION**

Philip J. (P.J.) Brooks, Ph.D.  
*Acting Director*

### **OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGEMENT**

Keith R. Lamirande, M.B.A.  
*Executive Director; Associate  
Director for Administration*

### **OFFICE OF DRUG DEVELOPMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS**

Christine M. Colvis, Ph.D.  
*Director*

### **OFFICE OF POLICY, COMMUNICATIONS AND EDUCATION**

Penny W. Burgoon, Ph.D.  
*Director*

### **OFFICE OF SPECIAL INITIATIVES**

Danilo, A. Tagle, Ph.D., M.S.  
*Director*

### **OFFICE OF STRATEGIC ALLIANCES**

Krishna (Balki) Balakrishnan,  
Ph.D., M.B.A.  
*Acting Director*

### **OFFICE OF TRANSLATIONAL MEDICINE**

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