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1. *The meetings will be conducted remotely.*
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**Informed Consent and Consenting Practices:
Regulatory and Practical Considerations in the Digital Era**

Speakers:

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April 23, 2026 | 12 – 1 pm Central

By the end of this presentation, attendees should be able to:

1. Describe the required elements of informed consent
2. Demonstrate how to communicate and document consent discussions that support participant comprehension, voluntariness, and informed decision making.
3. Identify considerations when consenting vulnerable populations
4. Describe federal guidelines on electronic consent and identify when would additional Part 11 compliance apply

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Xuewen Gong, BS, CIP Faculty: Nothing to disclose – 02/06/2026

James Arrington, BA, CIP Faculty: Nothing to disclose—3/25/2026

Attendance: Members and non-members welcome. Please bring your lunch. For directions, please contact wendy.lloyd@vumc.org .

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