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“I received some of the best mentorship of my career under the leadership of Gary Morrow and his team at the University of Rochester. I give this training program my full support.”

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“The cancer control training program at URMC provided me with the knowledge and skills necessary to secure my dream job. My mentors, but specifically Dr. Karen Mustian, were paramount in providing me with the invaluable experiences which set me apart from others applying for the same faculty positions. I was able to collaborate on the highest quality research studies, learn to mentor and lead by having the best mentors and leaders, and network with the most experienced researchers in the field of Cancer Control. This program set me up for a successful career. I will forever be grateful for my experiences at the University of Rochester.”



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“The NCI-funded T32 Cancer Control Clinical Training program is truly an outstanding transdisciplinary program. It has provided me the necessary knowledge and resources to conduct effective clinical/translational cancer control and survivorship research to improve the quality of life and prognosis of individuals with cancer. In particular, the program has allowed me to expand my skills in biomarker research, conducting observational clinical studies, secondary data analyses of large national datasets, and grant writing, all of which are essential for a successful academic career. As part of the training program, I also received a Masters of Public Health degree and had the opportunity to teach radiation oncology residents. Overall, the program has been extremely instrumental in helping me build a foundation of research to advance my academic research career.”

