

Scott Kollins, PhD

Dr. Scott Kollins is a tenured professor in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at the Duke University School of Medicine. Dr. Kollins is the global lead for ADHD and Substance Use Disorders at the Duke Clinical Research Institute (DCRI). He is also the director of the Duke ADHD Program. He received his undergraduate degree in psychology from Duke University in 1992 and earned his Master's and Doctorate degrees in Clinical Psychology from Auburn University in 1995 and 1997, respectively. Dr. Kollins completed his clinical internship at the University of Mississippi Medical Center, where he served as chief intern. Following internship, he joined the faculty of the Department of Psychology at Western Michigan University for three years, before joining the Duke faculty in 2000.

He has published more than 130 scientific papers in peer-reviewed journals and currently holds a K24 career development award from NIDA. He has also served as PI on more than 40 industry-funded clinical trials and is a consultant to a number of pharmaceutical companies in the area of ADHD clinical psychopharmacology. Dr. Kollins is an elected member of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence and a Fellow of both the American College of Neuropsychopharmacology and the American Psychological Association Division 28 (Psychopharmacology and Substance Abuse).

He is a licensed clinical psychologist and maintains a practice through the ADHD Program's outpatient clinic. His research interests are in the areas of health behaviors and ADHD, early precursors to the development of ADHD, psychopharmacology and the intersection of ADHD and substance abuse, particularly cigarette smoking.



"Despite his myriad research, administrative, and clinical commitments within the Duke community, Dr. Kollins consistently devotes his time and energy to supporting the productivity and professional development of his mentees."

"His integrity, respect, and professional accomplishments make Dr. Scott Kollins well-deserving of this award. Our team, program and Duke University are all lucky to have him."