During the last 20 years, medical education and healthcare delivery in the U.S. have changed to reflect the growing awareness of sex and gender differences in disease and treatment. Drexel University College of Medicine and its predecessor institutions have been in the forefront of this revolution - and now is the time to reflect on past accomplishments, discuss current best practices and identify future challenges.

The Institute for Women's Health and Leadership of the Drexel University College of Medicine is presenting a Women's Health Academic Symposium on Thursday, September 26, 2013, as part of their 20th Anniversary Celebration. This full-day event offers CME credit and features speakers from Drexel and beyond.

Topics include the evolution of women's health education and research, sex differences in the brain, and comprehensive delivery of healthcare to women across the lifespan.

Vivian Pinn, M.D., Former Director (Retired), NIH Office of Research on Women's Health, is the honorary chair of the symposium.

New York Times columnist Nicholas Kristof, co-author of Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide, will address the community on at 5:15 p.m., with a reception to follow.

Please review the agenda below. While there is no charge to attend, registration is required at [https://www2.drexelmed.edu/iwhlevent/](https://www2.drexelmed.edu/iwhlevent/). PLEASE REGISTER NOW BECAUSE SPACE IS LIMITED.

For information, please contact the Institute at iwhl@drexelmed.edu or call 215-991-8190.
IN CELEBRATION OF ITS 20TH ANNIVERSARY

THE INSTITUTE FOR WOMEN’S HEALTH AND LEADERSHIP PRESENTS A

SYMPOSIUM ON WOMEN'S HEALTH: YESTERDAY, TODAY AND TOMORROW

CME CREDITS: 6.25

Thursday September 26, 2013
Bossone Research Center Auditorium
(Drexel University Main Campus)
3140 Market Street
Philadelphia, PA 19104

7:30 AM  Registration
Continental breakfast served

8:20 AM  Welcome
Lynn Yeakel, M.S.M.
Director and Betty A. Cohen Chair in Women’s Health
Institute for Women’s Health and Leadership
Drexel University College of Medicine

Welcome to the Academic Symposium
Daniel V. Schidlow, M.D.
Walter H. and Leonore Annenberg Dean and Senior Vice President of Medical Affairs
Drexel University College of Medicine

8:30 AM  The Evolution of Research in Women’s Health and Sex and Gender Differences: Past, Present and Future
Vivian Pinn, M.D. – Honorary Chair, Symposium on Women’s Health
Senior Scientist Emerita, Fogarty International Center
Former Director (Retired), Office of Research on Women’s Health
National Institutes of Health

Introduced by - Sandra Urdaneta-Hartmann, M.D., Ph.D., M.B.A.
Assistant Professor of Microbiology and Immunology
Director for Education and Business Development
Institute for Molecular Medicine and Infectious Disease
Drexel University College of Medicine
9:30 AM  Sex Differences in the Brain: Implications for Sex Differences in Medicine  
Jill Goldstein, Ph.D., M.P.H.  
Professor of Psychiatry and Medicine  
Harvard Medical School  
Director of Research, Connors Center for Women’s Health & Gender Biology  
Brigham and Women’s Hospital  

Introduced by – Donna Murasko, Ph.D.  
Dean  
College of Arts and Sciences  
Drexel University

10:30 AM  Break (Lobby)

10:45 AM  Panel Discussion: Women’s Health and Sex & Gender Differences in Medical Education  
Lessons Learned and Creating a Vision for the Future  
Moderator: Allan Tunkel, M.D., Ph.D.  
Associate Dean for Medical Education  
The Warren Alpert Medical School  
Brown University  
Panelists:

- Sandra Levison, M.D.  
  Professor, Department of Medicine, Division of Nephrology  
  Drexel University College of Medicine

- Glenda Donoghue, M.D.  
  Founding Director, Institute for Women’s Health and Leadership  
  Emerita Betty A. Cohen Chair of Women’s Health

- Kim Kahng, M.D.  
  Associate Director, Women’s Health Education Program  
  Drexel University College of Medicine

11:45 PM  Lunch (free time to network)

1:00 PM  Kate Hurd Mead Lecture  
In Self Defense: A History of Women Physicians’ Leadership in Women’s Health  
Joanne Murray, M.A.  
Director of the Legacy Center: Archives and Special Collections  
Drexel University College of Medicine  

Introduced by – Steven J. Peitzman, M.D.  
Professor of Nephrology  
Drexel University College of Medicine
2:00 PM  
**D. Walter Cohen, D.D.S. Lectureship in Diabetes**
**Diabetes and Obesity, Sex and Gender Differences**
**Barbara Simon, M.D., FACE**
Assistant Professor of Medicine  
Chief, Division of Endocrinology  
Drexel University College of Medicine  

Introduced by – **D. Walter Cohen, D.D.S.**  
Chancellor Emeritus  
Drexel University College of Medicine

3:00 PM  
**Break**

3:15 PM  
**Doris Willig, M.D. Panel Discussion: Comprehensive Delivery of Health Care to Women Across the Lifespan**
**Moderator: Lynn Yeakel, M.S.M.**
Director and Betty A. Cohen Chair in Women’s Health  
Institute for Women’s Health and Leadership  
Drexel University College of Medicine  

- **Owen Montgomery, M.D.**  
  Chair, Obstetrics and Gynecology  
  Drexel University College of Medicine

- **Nathalie Bartle, Ed.D.**  
  Professor and Associate Dean for Student Affairs (Retired)  
  School of Public Health  
  Drexel University

- **Katherine Sherif, M.D.**  
  Chief and Clinical Director  
  Drexel Center for Women’s Health  
  Associate Professor of Medicine  
  Drexel University College of Medicine

- **Jill Foster, M.D.**  
  Chief, Section of Immunology  
  Director, Dorothy Mann Center for Pediatric and Adolescent HIV  
  Director, Center for the Urban Child  
  St. Christopher's Hospital for Children

- **Barbara Schindler, M.D.**  
  William Maul Measey Chair in Medical Education  
  Vice Dean, Educational and Academic Affairs  
  Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics  
  Drexel University College of Medicine

4:30 PM  
**Summary comments of the day’s events and evaluations**
**Vivian Pinn, M.D.**
Senior Scientist Emerita, Fogarty International Center  
Former Director (Retired), Office of Research on Women’s Health  
National Institutes of Health

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