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ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN IN SCIENCE

Bethesda

2009-2010 Seventeenth Annual Seminar Series

Tuesday, September 22, 2009

“Are We Up To the Task? Improving the Status of NIH Intramural Women Scientists”

Joan P. Schwartz, PhD

Assistant Director Office of Intramural Research, OD, NIH

“Falling off the Bandwagon: Why Women Scientists Fail to Make the Transition from PostDoc to PI”

Findings of the Postdoc Committee Survey

Orna Cohen-Fix, PhD

Laboratory of Molecular and Cellular Biology, NIDDK, NIH

Tuesday, October 6, 2009

“Life in Academics”

A panel discussion featuring scientists from DC area universities

Stephanie Constant, PhD (GWU); Katie DeCicco-Skinner, PhD (AU);

Brenda Fredericksen, PhD (UMD); Anne Simon, PhD (UMD)

Wednesday, February 17, 2010*

~NIH 2010 Pittman Lecturer~

“Stranger in a Strange Land: Musings from a Neurologist Living Among Psychiatrists”

Helen S. Mayberg, MD

Professor of Psychiatry and Neurology

Emory University School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry, Atlanta, GA

Tuesday, March 16, 2010

“Panel discussion on Policy, Program, Review”

Francesca Macchiarini, PhD, Program Officer, Basic Immunology Branch, NIAID;

Sheryl Brining, PhD, Director, Office of Review, NCRR

Marina Volkow, PhD, Acting Director, Office of Science Policy, Planning & Communications, NIMH

Thursday, May 6, 2010**

“Have A Meal With Your Mentor”

Details forthcoming on our website!!

Visitor Center, National Library of Medicine, Bldg 38A, NIH Campus, Bethesda

Speaker presentations are from 5:00 - 6:00 pm

Light refreshments and networking opportunities at 4:30 – 5:00 pm and after the presentations

*This seminar is a morning presentation from 9:00 – 10:00 AM, with refreshments at 8:30 AM

**This workshop will be held at the Cloisters, Bldg 60, rather than NLM, Bldg 38A

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