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# Women in Science Networking Reception

**HBA Leadership Conference**  
November 13-15, 2013  
Boston



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**LEADERSHIP**

# What is the Women in Science Affinity Group?

The mission of the WIS affinity group is to provide women in scientific roles with resources, programs, and initiatives to support their career success and to create networking and development opportunities for them within the chapter.

Initiated in early 2004 by the *Boston* Chapter and exists in 8 other HBA chapters

# **Boston Chapter Women in Science Affinity Group**



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## **Boston | Women in Science**

### **“Diary of a Leader: Abbie Celniker, PhD”**

30 November 2011

Graciously hosted by: AstraZeneca, Waltham, MA

### **“Future of Medicine: Diagnostics and Personalized Medicine”**

15 February 2011

Graciously hosted by: AMGEN, Cambridge, MA





## **Boston | Women in Science**

### **“New Paradigms in Drug Development: Transforming Innovation”**

7 June 2011

Graciously hosted by:

GENZYME, Cambridge, MA

### **“Career Transitions for Scientists: Possibilities and Pathways”**

14 September 2011

Cambridge, MA



## **Boston | Women in Science**

**“Innovation Across Regulatory Development:  
Strategic Evolution in a Changing Regulatory  
Landscape”**

30 May 2013

Graciously hosted by: Cubist, Lexington, MA

**“Orphan Drug Development: Opportunities and  
Challenges”**

18 May 2010

Graciously hosted by: GENZYME, Cambridge, MA

# Mid-Atlantic Chapter Women in Science Affinity Group



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## “Women Leaders in a Changing R&D Environment”

December 1, 2011 | MedImmune, Gaithersburg, MD



Keynote Speaker:

**Martin Mackay, Ph.D.**

Executive Vice President

Global Head of Research and Development

Alexion

Dr. Martin Mackay shares his perspective on navigating organizational change in an evolving business environment and how those changes present opportunities for courageous leadership..



# “Conversations with Executives at the WIS Leadership Café”

Wilmington, DE



**Suzanne Schwartz**  
Director (Acting) Medical Countermeasures and Emergency Operations/ Preparedness at the Center for Devices and Radiological Health, FDA



**Kathy Monday**  
Regional VP, Supply, America's, AstraZeneca



**Molly Sheppard**  
President and CEO, The Leaders Edge/ Leaders by Design



**Karen Gotting-Smith**  
VP, Strategy, Portfolio and Performance, AstraZeneca

Our featured executives will lead and facilitate rotating min-round table discussions about their perspectives on “Advancing and Coaching Women Leaders.”



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**Joanne Conaty**

Global Director  
Scientific Communications  
AstraZeneca



**Donna Francher**

Global Vice President  
Research and Development  
AstraZeneca



**Preeti Pinto**

Principal  
Preeti Pinto and Associates, LLC



**Kay Wellman**

Professor  
Center for Biotechnology  
Education  
Johns Hopkins University

*Accomplished women scientists share insights from  
their career journeys.*



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## Breast Cancer: Patient Advocacy Shaping the Future of Medicine

October 8, 2013 | US Navy Memorial, Washington DC



**Debbie Wasserman Schultz**

U.S. Representative  
Florida's 23<sup>rd</sup> Congressional



**Noreen Fraser**

Founder and CEO  
Noreen Fraser Foundation



**Jamey Skillings, MD**

Vice President, Global Medical Affairs  
Pfizer

Three extraordinary women will share their unique perspective on the role of government, NPOs, and industry in spearheading advances in breast cancer awareness, policy, and treatment. Lite bites and wine served.











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### **WIScience Scholarship**

*The Premier Catalyst for Developing Women Leaders in Science*

- ✓ Are you nearing completion of your graduate degree or fellowship, and wondering how you're going to transition into the healthcare industry?
- ✓ Do you get nervous thinking about how to identify the career in healthcare that fits you best?
- ✓ Do you wish you had a mentor to discuss these concerns with?

If so, then you are the perfect candidate to apply for the **WIScience Scholarship**.

The WIScience Scholarship program was established to introduce HBA to aspiring healthcare professionals with a scientific background who might not be aware of the organization, its benefits, and how it can be a comprehensive tool for building oneself.

*Accepting applications in 2014*

*[www.hbanet.com](http://www.hbanet.com)*



# Ohio Chapter, Cincinnati Women in Science Affinity Group





## New in 2014, Cincinnati WIS Affinity Group

Stay Tuned in 2014 for Programs and Engagement Opportunities!

Upcoming programs focused on mentoring, networking, career advocacy, creating your legacy, leadership...

**Please Contact:**

Tamara Widenhouse, DVM, PhD



*REQUIRED EXPERIENCE FOR HEALTHY CAREERS*

# Ohio Chapter, Columbus Women in Science Affinity Group



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## Columbus, Ohio | Women in Science

January 15, 2013



Dr. Susan Moffatt-Bruce  
Cardiothoracic Surgeon, and Director of Patient Safety  
The Ohio State University

Event Theme: Managing the challenges of a high-pressure career as a female surgeon in a male-dominated profession and finding a calling as an advocate for patient safety.

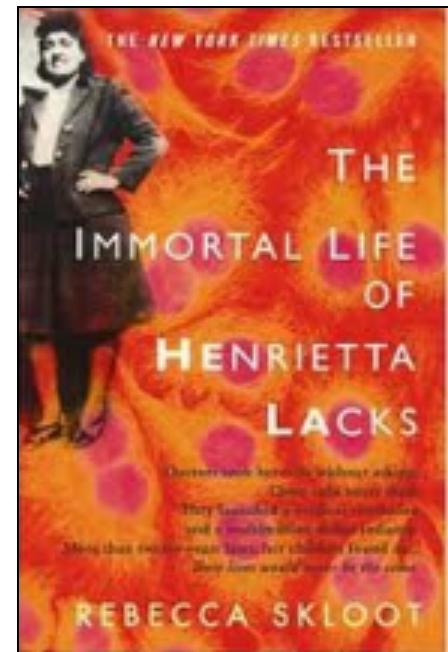


## Columbus, Ohio | Women in Science

March 12, 2013

Event Theme: discussion based on the book “*The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*” by Rebecca Skloot.

Small groups discussed the socioeconomic, scientific, and health-related dilemmas raised in this book.





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## Columbus, Ohio | Women in Science

November 12, 2013

### **“You have a Science Degree...What’s Next?”**

The third annual event featuring three distinguished women that will share their personal stories about their career paths, choices, lessons learned, and achievements in their scientific careers.

**Stephanie Smith, PhD | Distinguished Food Scientist**

**Stephanie A. Smith, PhD | Engineer and Entrepreneur**

**Diane Vorbroker, PhD | Professor of Biology**



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## “Personalized Medicine Part I: Is it our future?”

**Goal:** increase understanding, build awareness and engage in dialogue around early stream activities impacting personalized medicine – biomarkers, clinical design, on-boarding of physicians

**Date and location:** BMS, Plainsboro NJ | Dec 12, 2012

**Speakers:** Gitte Pederson, Genomic Expresssion, Inc  
Dr. Steve Averbuch, BMS  
Dr. Albert Giovenella, University of Pennsylvania  
Erynn Gordan, Coriell Institute for Medical Research



## “Game Changing Trends and Opportunities: Innovation in Biopharma”

**Goal:** address the nimble pace of innovation in the technology field as compared to the pace of development in the pharmaceutical industry. Discuss the state of the business for the biopharmaceutical industry, with a particular focus on recent trends and emerging opportunities in current business models.

**Date and location:** Purdue Pharmaceuticals, CT | April 4, 2013

**Speakers:** Dr. Barbara Dalton, Pfizer  
Dr Peter Farina, Canaan Partners  
Dr Susan Froushauer, CURE  
Chris McLeod, Angel Investor



## “Putting Academia-Industry Partnerships to Work”

**Goal:** discuss the drive behind the current push for increased academic-industry collaborations and analyze the effectiveness of the collaborations currently in practice.

**Date and location:** Novartis, NJ | September 12, 2013

**Speakers:** Dr Susan Froshauer, CURE  
Rene Baston, Columbia University  
Dr Deborah Dougherty, Rutgers University  
Dr Mark Kaplan, Pfizer  
Dr Angela Chen, Novartis



## “Personalized Medicine Part II: Is it our future?”

**Goal:** understand and explore key aspects related to the implementation of personalized medicine in the market place – regulatory, reimbursement, patient advocacy and commercialization

**Date and location:** Boehringer Ingelheim, CT | November 6, 2013

**Speakers:** Pam Strode, Boehringer Ingelheim  
Steve Phillips, Johnson and Johnson  
Sharon Terry, Genetic Alliance  
Dr Sean Hu, Biostrat Advisory  
Dr Jennifer Hamilton, Regeneron



## Graduate Student/Postdoctoral Outreach (GSPO) Inaugural event

Connecticut, Fall 2014

Mission of GSPO is to provide leadership development, scholarship, mentorship, career advancement, and professional networking opportunities in collaboration w/ Metro WIS for postgraduate degree candidates w/ a healthcare background particularly those belonging to racial minority groups.

*For more information, please contact the GSPO Board Director,  
Sophia Ononye, PhD, MPH (sophia.ononye@yale.edu)*

### **2014 Upcoming Metro WIS Events:**

“Innovations in the Pharmaceutical Industry: Emerging Markets”  
“Academia-Industry Collaborations – Part II”



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04/04/2013









# Greater Philadelphia Chapter Women in Science Affinity Group



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*Women In Science Affinity Group presents*  
**Let's Personalize Medicine:**  
*An overview of Personalized  
Medicine and Future Opportunities*

**Thursday November 29, 2012**  
**5:30pm - 8:30pm**

**SPEAKERS**

**Michaela Miller, MBA**

*Vice President, Decision Resources Group*

**Daniel Winkelman, MSc**

*Therapeutic Class Director, BioTrends*

**Merck & Co, Inc.**

770 Sumneytown Pike, Gate 1 Bld 37 Auditorium, West Point PA

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WOMEN, SCIENCE, HOPE — THE REBIRTH OF GENE THERAPY

# THE FOREVER FIX:

Gene Therapy and the Boy Who Saved It

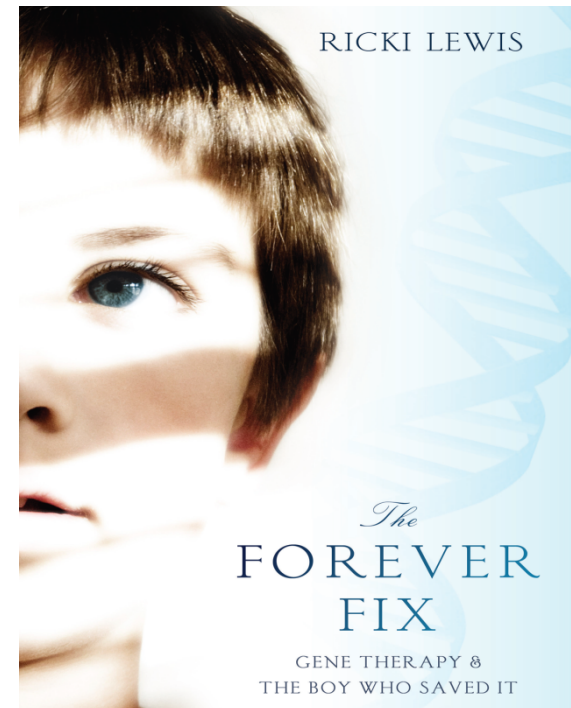
with author Ricki Lewis, PhD

Tuesday, April 30, 2013

5:30pm - 8:30pm at

SAATCHI & SAATCHI

1000 Floral Vale Blvd, Morrisville, PA 19067







# THINK FOR SUCCESS:

## Diversity Leadership from the Inside Out

**Far too many organizations still don't treat diversity management as a business imperative and driver of strategy.**

### FEATURING

**Janice L. Dreachslin, Ph.D.**  
Professor of Health Policy  
& Administration  
Penn State Great Valley School of  
Graduate Professional Studies



Tuesday, September 17, 2013  
5:30pm - 8:30pm at





# Healthcare Businesswomen's Association Women in Science Reception

Sponsored by Medidata Solutions

November 14, 2013

# WIS Reception Organizers

***Kelley Hill***

Director, Women in Science  
HBA Boston Chapter

Director  
Medical Writing  
Shire Pharmaceuticals

***Linda Brock, PhD***

Chair, WIS Global Committee  
HBA

Postdoctoral Fellow  
NIH

***Jennifer Jaskowiak, MBA***

Director, Women in Science  
HBA, Mid-Atlantic Chapter

Biotech/Pharma Product Development Professional  
In transition