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GOVERNOR

April 13-15, 2012

Dear Friends:

It is a pleasure to welcome you to the American Medical Women's Association 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting in Miami, Florida.

Founded in 1915 in Chicago, Illinois, the American Medical Women's Association is an organization of women physicians, medical students and other persons dedicated to serving as the unique voice for women's health and the advancement of women in medicine. This is achieved by providing and developing leadership, advocacy, education, expertise, mentoring, and through building strategic alliances. The Association functions at the local, national, and international level to advance women in medicine and improve women's health and is an active participant in setting national health care policy and influencing legislation on women's health issues.

Our state is proud to host this conference, and we look forward to showcasing the hospitality that makes Florida the world's destination of choice. Enjoy the beauty of our state parks, world-class attractions, and our miles of beaches. Florida offers an endless variety of activities and remains one of the most dynamic and diverse destinations you can experience. We look forward to showcasing the hospitality that makes Florida the world's destination of choice.

Thank you for being our guests and best wishes for a successful conference.

Sincerely,

Rick Scott Governor

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# LETTER FROM FLORIDA LT. GOVERNOR



#### JENNIFER CARROLL LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

March 19, 2012

American Medical Women's Association 100 North 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 400 Philadelphia, PA 19103

Dear Members of the American Medical Women's Association,

We are pleased you chose Miami as the site for the 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting to include the International Association North American Region Triennial Meeting. The Sofitel Miami is the perfect place for your meeting needs.

The conference provides us an opportunity to showcase Florida and the hospitality that makes Florida the world's destination of choice. During your visit, please take time to enjoy the beauty of our state parks, world-class attractions, and our miles of beaches. Miami offers an endless variety of enticements and remains one of the most dynamic and diverse destinations you can experience.

Thank you for being our guests. I hope your stay in Miami is pleasant and your conference is a huge success. Please return again and again.

Sincerely,

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1920-1919	Martha Tracy, MD	1971-1972	Ruth Fleming, MD
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1927-1928	Elizabeth B. Thelberg, MD	1977-1978	Charlotte Kerr, MD
1928-1929	Louise Tayler-Jones, MD	1978-1979	A. Lois Scully, MD
1929-1930	Ellen C. Potter, MD	1979-1980	Joanne Linn, MD
1931-1932	L. Rosa H.Gantt, MD	1980-1981	Vivian Harlin, MD
1932-1933	Esther Lovejoy, MD	1981-1982	Christine Haycock, MD
1933-1934	Mary O'Malley, MD	1982-1983	Anne Barlow Ramsay, MD
1934-1935	Lena K. Sadler, MD	1983-1984	Lila Kroser, MD
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1939-1940	Nelle S. Nobel, MD	1988-1989	Lila Wallis, MD, MACP
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#### FLORIDA COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

# GREETINGS FROM THE FLORIDA COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

February 15, 2012

On behalf of the Florida Commission on the Status of Women (FCSW), we congratulate the American Medical Women's Association, during the 97th Annual Meeting in Miami, FL, April 13-15, 2012 and offer our support, encouragement, and best wishes to all in attendance.

The Commission is dedicated to empowering women in achieving their fullest potential, to eliminating barriers to that achievement and to recognizing women's accomplishments. We support bringing important public health issues including disease and violence prevention, cancer, women's health and mental illness to the top of our nation's awareness.

Therefore, the FCSW congratulates you for your efforts on behalf of the women of the state and we look forward to future successful efforts geared toward the health and betterment of all women of Florida.

If FCSW can ever be of service, please do not hesitate to contact us at (850) 414-3300 or visit our website at www.fcsw.net.

Sincerely,

Nancy C. Acevedo, Chair

Florida Commission on the Status of Women

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Mona Jain, M.D., Ph.D., Past Chair Florida Commission on the Status of Women



# **ABOUT AMWA**

AMWA empowers women to lead in improving health for all within a model that reflects the unique perspective of women. AMWA membership is comprised of physicians, residents, medical students, and health care professionals.

As the oldest multispecialty organization dedicated to advancing women in medicine and improving women's health, AMWA functions at the local, national, and international level and provides leadership development, advocacy, education, expertise, mentoring, and strategic alliances as well as a host of membership benefits. AMWA partners with international medical groups with like-minded interests.

The organization was founded by Dr. Bertha Van Hoosen in 1915, at a time when women physicians were an under-represented minority. As AMWA evolves to address new challenges and issues in the current century, its relevance in advancing the viewpoints of women physicians remains as vital as ever.

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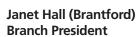
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# **AMWA Awards**

#### **Presidential Award**

The AMWA Presidential Award was instituted this year to recognize James Heller for his enduring and outstanding dedication to the advancement of women in medicine. His generosity has been integral in the success and advancement of scores of AMWA medical students, as well as other AMWA programs.

James Heller is the son of the late Anne C. Carter, MD, an active AMWA member.

#### Elizabeth Blackwell Award

AMWA's Elizabeth Blackwell Award, initiated in 1949 by Elise S. L'Esperance, MD, is granted annually to a woman physician who has made the most outstanding contribution to the cause of women in the field of medicine. Among the criteria for AM-WA's highest honor is a demonstrated commitment, originality, innovation, or creativity in her field of medicine.



Dr. Luanne Thorndyke

AMWA is pleased to name Luanne Thorndyke, MD, Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs at the University of Massachusetts Medical School (UMMS), as the 2012 recipient. Luanne Thorndyke has led programs in faculty development, mentoring, leadership and advancement of women, and faculty competencies. She has extensive experience in educational planning, program implementation, and facilitating initiatives in professional development and

mentoring, women's leadership development, equity, and diversity. She established a junior faculty development program that has become a recognized model for faculty development, mentoring, and program evaluation. In her current role, she is responsible for all matters related to faculty, including professional and leadership development, academic affairs (promotion and tenure), recruitment/retention/satisfaction, and diversity/gender and equity issues.

#### **Woman in Science Award**

The Woman in Science Award is presented to a woman physician who has made exceptional contributions to medical science, especially in women's health, through her basic and/



or clinical research, publications, and leadership in her field. Among the criteria are evidence of top-quality scientific research, extensive publication record, and a high national leadership profile.

AMWA has named Pamela Lipsett, MD, Professor of Surgery at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, as the 2012 recipient. As a child, in spite of physical handicaps, Pamela Lipsett determined to become a surgeon. She received her medical degree

from the University of Massachusetts School of Medicine. She was only the third woman to complete the rigorous Halsted Surgery Residency at Johns Hopkins University. Under her leadership in diverse roles at the medical center, more women medical students now enter surgical residency training throughout the country. She became the first female Professor of Surgery at The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, and now also holds the Warfied M. Firor Chair of Surgery, and appointments in the Departments of Anesthesiology, Critical Care Medicine and in the School of Nursing.

#### Lila A. Wallis Women's Health Award

The Lila Wallis Women's Health Award honors an individual whose lifetime achievements, accomplishments, motivations, mentorship, energy and enthusiasm for women's healthcare, education, and research reflect the trailblazing achievements and influence in women's health exemplified by past AMWA President Lila A. Wallis, MD, MACP.

The 2012 recipient is Nawal M. Nour, MD, MPH, Director of the Ambulatory Obstetrics Practice at the Harvard-affiliated Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston and the African Women's Health Center. Dr. Nour established the African Women's Health Center. It is devoted to the medical needs of African women who have un-



dergone female genital cutting (FGC), also known as female circumcision. She helped develop a surgical procedure that can help alleviate some of the negative effects of FGC, such as urinary tract infections, painful menstrual periods, painful sexual intercourse, and difficulty conceiving and giving birth.

#### Bertha Van Hoosen Award

The annual award honors a woman physician who has been an active member of the association for at least five years and who has demonstrated exceptional leadership and service to AMWA. The award is named in honor of Bertha Van Hoosen, MD who founded AMWA in 1915.

AMWA has named Clarita Herrera, MD. the 2012 recipient of the Bertha Van Hoosen Award. Dr. Herrera was AMWA president from 1998 to 1999 and has been involved with nearly every aspect of AMWA leadership and governance. She founded AMWA's Woman in Science Award in 1993 in order to recognize the important contributions that women make to the science of medicine. She is the 2008 recipient of



AMWA's President's Recognition Award, which recognizes the achievements and contributions of outstanding individuals and a 1994 and 1997 recipient of the AMWA Community Service Award. She has also served as an AMWA delegate to the American Medical Association's House of Delegates.

#### Anne C. Carter Student Leadership Award

Anne C. Carter Student Leadership Award was begun in 2004. AMWA honors the memory of Anne C. Carter, MD, with

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# **AMWA Awards**

an annual award for outstanding AMWA student leadership. The criteria includes demonstrated exceptional leadership skills through vision, inspiration, innovation, and coordination of local projects that further the mission of AMWA by improving women's health and/or supporting women in medicine. The Anne C. Carter Student Leadership Award is funded by the Anne Carter family.



Linda Wang is enrolled in the joint MD/ MBA Program at Harvard University and has been active in AMWA through various leadership roles. She became involved during her first year of medical school, serving as one of the directors of the Harvard AMWA student branch and then as Region 1 Student Coordinator. In addition to her position as National Student President-Elect, she also serves as the student liaison for both the National

AMWA Membership Committee and the Women's Health Working Group. Through these committees she has helped design and implement new strategies for physician member recruitment and additionally has participated in projects that continue to push the discussion for the inclusion of gender- and sex-specific medicine into the medical school curricula.

#### **Camille Mermod Award**

Initiated in 1969 by Josephine E. Renshaw, MD, the Camille Mermod Award is given to a non-physician who has rendered exceptional service to the association.

AMWA has named Ryan Smith, of Myrtle Beach, SC, as the 2012 recipient. Ms. Smith is known to many AMWA members with her work on AMWA's social media, helping to link members and friends across the U.S. and the world. Ryan Smith has served as a legislative ad-



vocate, grant writer, and AMWA's manager of its social media. She has met with legislators in Washington DC to discuss pertinent women's health issues and served as a liaison for women's health issues both locally in South Carolina and nationally on Capitol Hill.

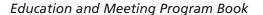
#### **Presidential Recognition Awards**

- Elinor T. Christiansen, MD For outstanding leadership as Chair of AMWA Governance Committee
- Eliza L. Chin, MD, MPH For outstanding contribution to the AMWA 2012 Annual Meeting
- Gayatri Devi, MD For outstanding contribution to the AMWA 2012 Annual Meeting
- Gina Marinilli For outstanding support of AMWA 2011-2012
- Janice Werbinski, MD For outstanding leadership on women's health initiatives
- Theresa Rohr-Kirchgraber, MD For outstanding leadership on promoting AMWA

#### **AMWA Exceptional Mentor Awards**

- Raghav Govindarajan, MD the Cleveland Clinic Florida. Nominated by his student Syeda Algadri.
- Stephanie Martin a fourth year student at the Indiana University School of Medicine. Nominated by fellow student Amy Hale.
- Julie Servoss, MD of the Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine, Florida Atlantic University. Nominated by her student Irene Chang.
- Marcia Shew, MD of the Indiana University School of Medicine. Nominated by Dr. Shew, Laura Kester, MD.
- Kanani Titchen a fourth year medical student at Jefferson Medical College. Nominated by two first year medical students. Victoria Greenberg and Malinda Wu.
- Erin Phipps, MD of the Indiana University School of Medicine. Nominated by Dr. Theresa Rohr-Kirchgraber.
- Nathalie C. Zeitouni, MDCM, FRCPC Roswell Park Cancer Institute. Nominated by her student Preethi R. Raghu.







# **CONFERENCE INFORMATION**

#### **EXHIBITS**

Exhibits will be located in the Monte Carlo Foyer. Exhibit hours are as follows:

Friday, April 13, 2012 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Saturday, April 14, 2012 9:00 AM – 5:30 PM

#### LUNCH ON FRIDAY

Lunch on Friday is on your own. For your convenience, AMWA has arranged for boxed lunches which may be purchased from the hotel. Lunch will be held at the Monte Carlo/Terrace Pavilion.

#### AMWA OPEN COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The Membership and Marketing Committee, the American Women's Hospitals Service Committee, and the Gender Equity Task Force invite AMWA members to join them during Friday's lunch to learn more about their activities.

#### MWIA NORTH AMERICA REGION'S TRIENNIAL MEETING

AMWA and FMWC members are invited to attend the MWIA North America Region's Triennial Meeting on Friday, 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM, Cannes Room.

#### Mentoring Breakfast on Saturday

The cost of the Mentoring Breakfast is included in your meeting registration. All attendees are encouraged to attend.

#### AWARDS LUNCHEON ON SATURDAY

The cost of the Awards Luncheon is included in your meeting registration. All attendees are encouraged to attend.

#### 97th Anniversary Gala

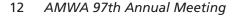
The Gala on Saturday evening requires an additional registration fee. Those who have pre-registered will have a ticket in their registration packet. Tickets must be presented at the door. Onsite registration for the Gala will be permitted on a space available basis. The cost is \$80 per ticket for physicians and guests. The AMWA medical student member fee is \$20. This highly discounted student rate is being offered thanks to a generous subsidy provided by AMWA President Dr. Mary Guinan and AMWA Board Member Dr. Janice Werbinski. The Gala features keynote speaker Gloria Steinem and dinner is included in the cost of your Gala ticket. Dress for the evening is semi-formal.

#### Yoga

Please sign up at the AMWA Registration Desk if you are interested. The yoga will be held at the Sofitel poolside, Saturday, 6:30 AM – 7:15 AM. The capacity is 20 persons.

#### AMERICAN WOMEN'S HOSPITALS SERVICE - 95th ANNIVERSARY

AMWA celebrates the 95th anniversary of the American Women's Hospitals Service (AWHS) in 2012. AWHS supports clinics ignored by large charitable groups and provides overseas assistance grants to medical students and residents traveling to and working where the medically neglected will benefit. Your support is appreciated.





# LETTER FROM AMWA PRESIDENT 2011-2012



American Medical Women's Association

The Vision and Voice of Women in Medicine since 1915

April 13, 2012

Dear Attendees of AMWA's 2012 Annual Meeting:

Welcome to Miami and to the AMWA experience. Enjoy our wonderful program, make lifelong friends, be part of advocacy for women's health issues and learn leadership skills from AMWA leaders and colleagues. AMWA has been the Vision and Voice of Women in Medicine for 97 years and we have fought for access to health care for all for decades. We will continue to advocate for access to health care for all women. Who would have predicted that in 2012 we would be fighting for insurance coverage for contraception?



Join with us to make AMWA's voice stronger. Continue your AMWA membership and help to recruit others. It is true that the price of freedom is eternal vigilance. Be part of AMWA's vigilance in protecting women's hard won reproductive rights and in opening doors for women physicians to leadership positions in this country.

Sincerely,

Mary Guinan PhD, MD

AMWA President 2011-2012

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# CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION

#### Accreditation

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials and Standards of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of Cleveland Clinic Florida and the American Medical Women's Association.

#### **Designation of Credit**

Cleveland Clinic Florida is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Cleveland Clinic Florida designates this live educational activity for a maximum of 15 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

#### **Online Program Evaluation**

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Set-Up: 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM
 Display: 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM

• Judging: 6:00 PM - 7:00PM

Display: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
 Tear Down: 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM

- 1. Culture Positive But PCR Negative Herpes Simplex Virus Type 1 Primary Genital Herpes, Arthy Saravanan
- 2. Osteoarticular Tuberculosis: Cause and Effect of Delayed Diagnosis, Arthy Saravanan
- 3. Known Devil or Unknown Angel? An Incidental Finding of Streptococcus Intermedius Liver Abscess: An Unknown Devil, *Arthy Saravanan*
- 4. Untreated Bilateral Optic Nerve Sheath Meningioma Successfully Observed for 27 Years, Nikisha Kothari
- 5. The Case of JL: Neuropsychiatric Manifestations of SLE in a Trauma Victim, Regina Toto
- 6. Resolution of Uncontrolled Type 2 Diabetes after Laparoscopic Truncal Vagotomy, Subtotal Gastrectomy and Roux-en-Y Gastrojejunostomy for a Patient with Intractable Gastric Ulcers, *Laura Tait*
- 7. There Is Always More To The Story: Screening for Domestic Violence, Kavitha Nair and Sara Ashurst
- 8. Blurry Vision in Pregnancy: A Case of Central Serous Chorioretinopathy, Erin Lessner
- 9. Ileostomal Chronic Papillomatous Dermatitis Associated with Nevus Sebaceous-like Histology, Integrated HPV16 DNA, and Localized Lymphedema: A Case Report and Review of the Literature, *Preethi R. Raghu*
- 10. Lambl's Excrescences and Repeated Strokes in a 53 Year-Old Female, Stephanie Bayers
- 11. Childhood Obesity or Medical Neglect?, Maria Jose Herrera
- 12. Bilateral Medial Foot Compartment Syndrome After an Aerobics Class: A Case Report, Suet Kam Lam
- 13. At Practice Today, In the OR Tomorrow: Screening for Heart Disease Among Female Athletes, A. Nichole Sullivan
- 14. Effects of Exclusive Breastfeeding Duration on Child Height in an Impoverished Coastal Community in Ecuador, Kimberly Faldetta
- 15. Quantiferron Test in +PPD Saving Months of Treatment, Busayo Irojah
- 16. The Physician's Role in Improving Health Care Outcomes in Survivors of Childhood Sexual Abuse, Busayo Irojah

- 17. Indocyanine Green Near-Infrared Laser Angiography Predicts Timing for the Division of a Forehead Flap, Joani M. Christensen
- 18. A Stake in the Game: Concussion Incidence and Outcomes in Girls, Amy B. Hale
- 19. Mood Status Post Surgical Menopause, Xi Chen

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# STUDENT POSTER PRESENTATIONS

- 20. Don't Just Stand There, Say Something: The Importance of Faculty Identification and Support of Medical Residents with Eating Disorders (ED), *Elizabeth Schowe*
- 21. Per Oral Endoscopic Myotomy (POEM) Feasible as Reoperation Following Heller Myotomy: Surgical Case Report, Amy Kim Yetasook
- 22. Surgical and Endoscopic Treatments for Achalasia: A Single Institution Comparison of 190 Patients, Amy Kim Yetasook
- 23. Dynamic Anatomy of the Median Nerve During Passive Wrist Movement, Kathryn Watson
- 24. Lawn Mower Injuries: Avoidable Morbidity/Mortality, Kathryn Watson
- 25. Effect of Cleft Width on Incidence Rates of Palatal Fistula and Velopharyngeal Insufficiency, Nance Yuan
- 26. Empowering Patients with Diabetes: A Qualitative Study Focusing on Knowledge of Self-care Behaviors Amongst South Asians in Miami, *Tasnim Fatima Imranws*
- 27. Pregnancy Outcomes in 50 Female Pancreas-Kidney Transplant Recipients, Kristin Brown
- 28. Global Health Clinical Rotations and Social Determinants of Health: Searching and Understanding Resources Prior to Departure, *Kathryn Spectorsky*
- 29. Community Awareness on Cardiovascular Disease's Risk Factors, Elizabeth Vilches
- 30. Pregnancy Outcomes in Kidney and Liver Transplant Recipients: Two Systematic Reviews and Meta Analyses, Neha Deshpande
- 31. High Resolution Optical Imaging System for Cervical Cancer Detection, Qing Lina Hu
- 32. Pattern of Neonatal Conjunctivitis in Neonates Receiving Health Care in Blantyre, Malawi, Roshni Ranjit
- 33. Optimizing Agilent's SureSelect Capture Protocol for Formalin-Fixed, Paraffin-Embedded (FFPE) DNA, Marni Siegel
- 34. Breast Cancer in Postmenopausal Women after Nonmelanoma Skin Carcinoma: The Women's Health Initiative Observational Study, *Mary Pressler*
- 35. Evaluation of Outcomes of Re-irradiation of the Breast or Chest Wall Following Ipsilateral Breast Tumor Recurrence (IBRT), Parin Patel
- 36. Mitochondrial D310 Mutations in the Early Development of Breast Cancer, Chao ying Xu
- 37. Immunomagnetic Isolation of Fetal Trophoblast Cells from Transcervical Specimens, Nitya Veera Reddy
- 38. Women Socializing Women: Female Medical Student Perspectives, by Race, on Gendered Professional Interactions with Female Superiors, *Erica Lubliner*
- 39. P2X4 Knockout Mice Exhibit Modified Alcohol Intake When Compared to Littermate Controls, Ayee Azah
- 40. An Affordable Solution to Developed Laparoscopic Skills, Monica Camelo
- 41. Breastfeeding Education and Support for Teenage Mothers (BEST), Jennifer Saenz and Lara Gross
- 42. Antioxidant Effects of Sepiapterin in Liver Tissue from Spontaneous Diabetic (Type 1) Rats, Ugochukwu Joan Agwai
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- 43. Early Growth Response 1 and Fatty Acid Synthase Expression is Altered in Tumor Adjacent Prostate Tissue and Indicates Field Cancerization, *Anna C. Jones*
- 44. Effect of Dental Hygiene on Preterm Birth, Mita Sharma
- 45. Pre-Pregnancy Body Mass Index and its Correlation to Fetal Birthweight and Apgar Scores in Non-Diabetic Women, *Katie Dickinson*
- 46. How Can We Support Women's Careers in Medicine?, Margarethe Hochleitner
- 47. How to Get Gender Medicine into Healthcare in Austria, Margarethe Hochleitner
- 48. Perceptions of Pathways for Careers and Success in Academic Medicine for Women, Katherine Ellington
- 49. Social Barriers to HIV Prevention: A Study on Sero-Discordant Couples in Coastal Kenya, Cris MK Malino
- 50. Absolute CD4 Count in Patients with HIV at Initial Presentation to Care in a Michigan Clinic, 2005-2009, Kathryn T. Firlik

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# LETTER FROM AMWA PRESIDENT 2012-2013



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#### REFLECTIONS ON AMWA, THE WOMAN, THE PHYSICIAN AND ME

During all those years of training and for many years after, sitting in the back during grand rounds, I saw row upon row of balding, erudite pates shining from the front of the auditorium, like dozens of extra-large eggs in open cartons. There they were, the chairmen, the division heads and the Grand Poobahs of medicine. They asked intelligent questions as they plucked the remaining hairs from their eminent foreheads. How could I get there, I wondered longingly? Did I really want to get there? And. Did I have to look like that to get there?



My road to the pews up front is littered with the molted skins of the many alter egos I tried and discarded.

Until I found the one that fit me best. A bright shirt, if I wanted. Boots, if I felt like it. And a hug when a patient needed it. I found that my patients thrived the most when I thrived as well. And I thrived when I embraced all of mewoman and physician and someone who likes to shop as much as she likes reading scientific literature. Oh, what a feeling! The warmth of the sun on my hair more than makes up for the lack of reflection from without my learned and reflective dome. Within, of course, we are all the same and some would even dare say, better.

How did this happen? How did I achieve this level of freedom? Because of my many mentors, the women (and to be fair, men) who lit the way, real-life sages. Physicians, patients, colleagues, teachers, friends and students. My daughter, my sister, my mother, my grandmothers. What a privilege! How glorious, this sorority with half the world. And that is what AMWA has provided for nearly a century and what it will continue to provide, in the century to come. The raw power of support.

AMWA's mission is MORE relevant now than ever before. A woman's right to choose is, unbelievably, back on the table. How did this happen? Global warfare has left girls as young as 8 and 9 with vesico-vaginal fistulas from rape and abuse. Small children are being trafficked as sexual slaves. Women physicians are more likely to successfully commit suicide and less likely to earn a salary commensurate with a male physician. All this and much more point to the continuing need for a vibrant AMWA.

We have a lot of work to do. And, because we are women, we sure will do it!

Thank you all for allowing me to be a part of the excitement that is AMWA.

With fondness and in gratitude,

Gayatri Devi, MD

AMWA President 2012-2013

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#### FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 2012

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM 2011-2012 Board of Directors Meeting – *CANNES* 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Student Poster Set-Up – *MONTE CARLO 3* 

8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Exhibits Open – MONTE CARLO FOYER

8:00 AM – 7:00 PM Registration – MONTE CARLO FOYER

9:00 AM – 7:00 PM Student Poster Viewing – MONTE CARLO 3

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM The American Medical Women's Association: Blazing New Trails - MONTE CARLO 1&2

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11:00 AM - 11:50 AM Human Papillomavirus Vaccines: There are No Controversies- MONTE CARLO 1&2

Marcia Shew, MD, MPH

Associate Professor, Clinical Pediatrics and Clinical Obstetrics and Gynecology

Indiana University School of Medicine

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Lunch Break – PAVILION/TERRACE

Join colleagues for informal networking. Lunch is on your own. A boxed lunch may be

purchased from the hotel.

AMWA members are invited to lunch with members of the Membership/Marketing Committee and the

American Women's Hospitals Service Committee.

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Open Committee Meetings – PARIS

All AMWA members are invited to participate in these meetings:

Membership Committee

• American Women's Hospitals Service (AWHS) Committee

• Gender Equity Task Force

1:10 PM – 2:00 PM Advances in Women's Health: Is There a Role for Hormones? – MONTE CARLO 1&2

Lila Nachtigall, MD

Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology

NYU School of Medicine

Past President, North American Menopause Society

2:00 PM – 2:50 PM Advances in Imaging – MONTE CARLO 1&2

Carolyn Meltzer, MD, FACR

William P. Timmie Professor and Chair

Department of Radiology and Imaging Sciences

Associate Dean for Research

Emory University School of Medicine

2:50 PM - 3:10 PM Break - MONTE CARLO FOYER

3:10 PM – 4:00 PM Medicine without Evolution is like Engineering without Physics – MONTE CARLO 1&2

Randolph Nesse, MD

Professor, Department of Psychiatry

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4:00 PM – 4:50 PM Women in Medicine: Beyond the Glass Ceiling – MONTE CARLO 1&2

Hilit Mechaber, MD

Associate Dean for Student Services Associate Professor of Medicine

Miller School of Medicine, University of Miami

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM AMWA Student Programming: Managing Your Medical School Debt: Important Student Loan

Repayment Considerations – MONTE CARLO 1&2
Taylor Sauer, Regional Manager, GL Advisor

5:30 PM – 6:30 PM MWIA North America Triennial Meeting – CANNES

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Resident and Student Poster Session – MONTE CARLO 3

7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Women in Medicine Reception

Keynote Speaker: Rachel Naomi Remen, MD

Founding Director of the Institute for the Study of Health and Illness

Clinical Professor of Family and Community Medicine

University of California, San Francisco

Dr. Remen's presentation and the Rose Ceremony will be held in MONTE CARLO 1&2.

• Rose Ceremony in MONTE CARLO 1&2.

• Reception to follow immediately in the PAVILION/TERRACE.

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 2012

6:30 AM – 7:15 AM Yoga – POOLSIDE TERRACE

Aileen Febles, Instructor. Sign-up at the AMWA registration desk as space is limited.

7:00 AM – 7:00 PM Registration – MONTE CARLO FOYER

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM AMWA Mentoring Breakfast – PAVILION/TERRACE

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Student Poster Viewing - MONTE CARLO 3

9:00 AM – 5:30 PM Exhibits Open – MONTE CARLO FOYER

9:00 AM – 9:10 AM Plenary Session - Opening Remarks – MONTE CARLO 1&2

9:10 AM – 10:00 AM Reducing Stroke Risk in Women – MONTE CARLO 1&2

Ralph Sacco, MD, FAAN

Past President, American Heart Association Professor and Chair, Department of Neurology Miller School of Medicine, University of Miami

10:00 AM – 10:50 AM Clinical Practice: Methodology for Career Success – MONTE CARLO 1&2

Henry Lodge, MD, FACP

Founding Partner, New York Physicians LLP Associate Clinical Professor of Medicine

Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons

10:50 AM - 11:00 AM Break

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11:00 AM – 11:50 AM	Update on Brain Stimulation Treatment Options for Depression - MONTE CARLO 1&2 Sarah H. Lisanby, MD Professor and Chair, Department of Psychiatry Duke University School of Medicine
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	AMWA Awards Luncheon – MONTE CARLO 1&2
1:40 PM – 2:30 PM	How to Speak so Patients Will Listen – MONTE CARLO 1&2  Lauryn Franzoni  President, Leadership IQ
2:30 PM – 3:20 PM	Writing on the Practice of Medicine – MONTE CARLO 1&2 Abigail Zuger, MD Medical Writer for the New York Times Associate Clinical Professor of Medicine Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons
3:20 PM – 3:50 PM	Break – MONTE CARLO FOYER
3:30 PM – 5:00 PM	Student Poster Dismantling – MONTE CARLO 3
3:50 PM – 4:40 PM	Take Charge of Your Career! Mentoring and Other Tools for Your Professional Development Toolbox MONTE CARLO 1&2 Luanne E. Thorndyke, MD, FACP Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs University of Massachusetts Medical School
4:40 PM – 5:30 PM	Medical Volunteering, Nationally and Internationally – MONTE CARLO 1&2 Sophie Delaunay, Executive Director Medicins san Frontiers (USA)
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM	AMWA Student Elections – PAVILION
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7:30 PM – 9:00 PM	AMWA 97th Anniversary Gala – MONTE CARLO 1&2 <b>Keynote speaker:</b> Gloria Steinem  American Feminist, Journalist, Author and Activist  Founder, Ms Magazine
9:00 PM – 10:00 PM	Student Division Executive Committee – LYON



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#### **SUNDAY, APRIL 15, 2012**

7:00 AM - 11:00 AM Registration – MONTE CARLO FOYER

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM Sex- and Gender- Specific Women's Health: A Paradigm for Curricular Change - MONTE CARLO 1&2

Kimberly Templeton, MD

President, US Bone and Joint Decade

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Joanna Wilson, DO

Associate Professor, Department of Internal Medicine

Chief, Division of Women's Health and Gender-Based Medicine

Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Amarillo

9:00 AM - 9:50 AM Global Women's Health - MONTE CARLO 1&2

Josephine Ojiambo, MD, MPH

Ambassador, Kenya Mission to the United Nations

9:50 AM - 10:10 AM Break - MONTE CARLO FOYER

**10:00 AM – 12:00 PM** 2012-2013 Board of Directors Meeting – *CANNES* 

12:00 PM – 12:30 PM 2012-2013 Board of Directors Meeting EXECUTIVE SESSION – CANNES

10:10 AM – 11:00 AM Cardiovascular Disease in Women – MONTE CARLO 1&2

Debra Judelson, MD, FACC Director, Women's Heart Institute

Cardiovascular Medical Group of Southern California

Suturing Skills Workshop: Training for Surgical Success – PARIS 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

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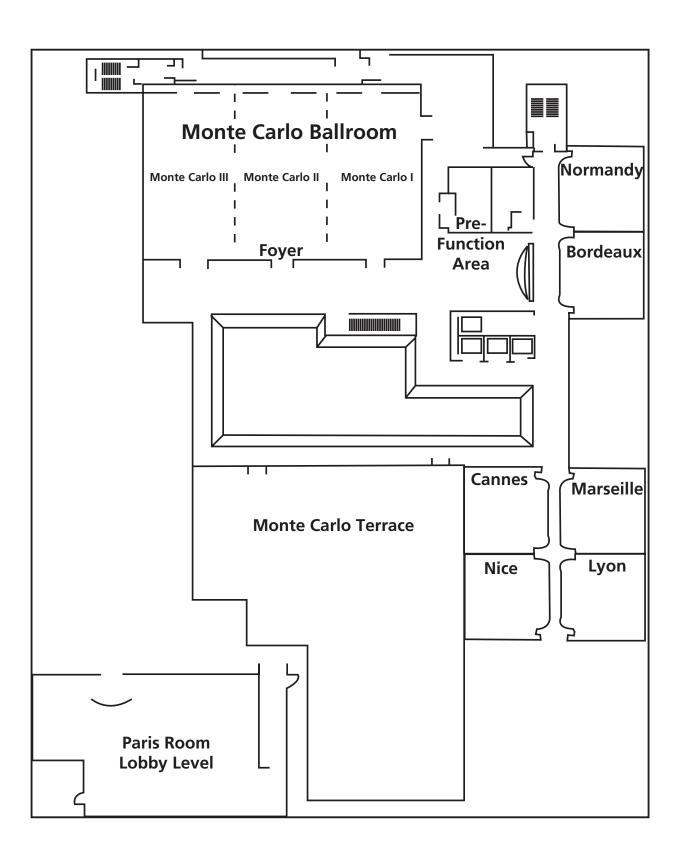
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Recipient of the 2012 American Medical Women's Association Elizabeth Blackwell Award

April 14, 2012

"I believe Dr. Thorndyke embodies the spirit of Elizabeth Blackwell in her commitment to the success and advancement of women in medicine. Throughout her career, Dr. Thorndyke has focused her efforts on creating programs and providing support for women in medicine.

Dr. Thorndyke has had a major impact on women in medicine, both here at the University of Massachusetts Medical School and nationally. She has influenced the expanding role of women in medicine, as a role model and example, through the programs she has designed and implemented, and by her personal mentoring and support. Through these mechanisms, she has helped women physicians find their path in medicine, a path that she has established through her own accomplishments. She is an extraordinary example for other women in medicine, as a physician, educator and leader. I'm sure Elizabeth Blackwell would look proudly on her successor and I cannot think of anyone who better exemplifies the tradition started when Elizabeth Blackwell graduated from medical school."

~ Terence R. Flotte, MD, Executive Deputy Chancellor, Provost and Dean, School of Medicine, University of Massachusetts Medical School

#### **Career Highlights**

- Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs, UMass Medical School
- President-elect, AAMC Group on Faculty Affairs
- Associate Dean, Professional Development, Penn State College of Medicine
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- Faculty Advisor for the Penn State Student Chapter of AMWA for 10 years
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