



## American Medical Women's Association

**Newsflash — March 18, 2021**



**ARE YOU REGISTERED? [Do It Now!](#)**

**March 25-28, 2021**

Be Sure to Catch these PreConference Sessions

- **Hair Today, Gone Tomorrow**, March 22 @ 8:00 pm ET
- **Diversity of Patient Voices Panel** featuring White Dress Project founder, Tanika Gray Valbrun — March 25 @ Noon. Free open to all.
- Workshops on **Reporting of Research Results by Sex/Gender**, **Curating Time for Your Wellbeing and Productivity**, **Negotiation**, and much more! — March 25

*Earn up to 23.75 AMA PRA Category 1 CMEs*

**What's Next on Your Bucket List?**

**SILENT AUCTION**

**Get Ready to Bid on 8 Trips & Travel in Support of AMWA**

**Bidding Platform Opens March 22-24**

**[Register to Bid](#)**

Check out Some of the Trips to be Auctioned.

Winning bids valid for 3 years; no black out dates

AMWA Members Report Great Experiences from Winning Trips!

[Alaska](#)  
[Castles of Ireland](#)  
[Greek Islands](#)  
[Tropical Costa Rica](#)

*Trips Coordinated by [AmFund](#)*

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### Upcoming Events

March 20 @ 6 p.m. ET. United Nations Commission on the Status of Women AMWA Parallel Session—**Fixing the Gender Gap in Healthcare Leadership—Women Physician Leaders Call for Medical Innovations** [Register](#)

- Panel 1: Global Health and Climate Change—The Missing Link
- Panel 2: Women's Health Advocacy, Innovation, and the FemHealth Revolution

March 15-26: United Nation Commission on the Status of Women. Attend parallel events hosted by NGOs around the world. [Register](#).

Check ahead for more [upcoming meetings](#) on the AMWA Calendar!

### Membership Opportunities

**Women's History Month— Remembering Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell**

This year marks the 200th anniversary of Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell's birthday. Author Janice Nimura brings to life the story of the Drs. Blackwell sisters. [View the recording](#). [Buy the book and support AMWA!](#)

**Take Action**—During Women's History Month raise awareness for how far women physicians have come since Elizabeth Blackwell, the first woman doctor graduated from med school. Start a Facebook Fundraiser for AMWA with this [How-To](#)

**Dr. Tamara O'Neal Memorial Research Mentorship Grant Award in Firearms Injury.** The Emergency Medicine Foundation and AFFIRM seek academic physician/scientists dedicated to enhancing underserved urban communities. This \$40k grant supports research that meets Dr. O'Neal's mission. Deadline: March 31. [Learn More](#)

### Members In the News

- Roberta Gebhard, DO speaks to Yahoo News on "'A very well-kept secret': Women doctors detail widespread sexism in medicine." [READ](#)
- Eliza Chin, MD, MPH, quoted in Washington Post on Black Women's Health Issues with Menopause and how AMWA is working to make changes. [READ](#)
- Kim Templeton, MD quoted on mental health issues facing doctors in promoting Humans Before Heroes initiative. [VIEW](#)
- Saralyn Mark, MD discusses Covid 19 Vaccine Rollout in [PissedConsumer.com](#).
- Mollie Marr, PhD speaks on whether medical schools should require a standardized test for admission. [READ](#)

### Advocacy & Outreach

**Physicians Against the Trafficking of Humans (PATH)** seeks Admin Assistant to coordinate meetings, keep minutes & work on projects. Paid position (3-4 hrs/wk) [EMAIL](#)

**Humans Before Heroes** initiative cited in national story on Health Workers being Overwhelmed by Covid-19. [READ](#)

[Add your name](#) to the **White House Petition to Pass the ERA**.

Check [AMWA Advocacy Timeline](#) for Updated Activities

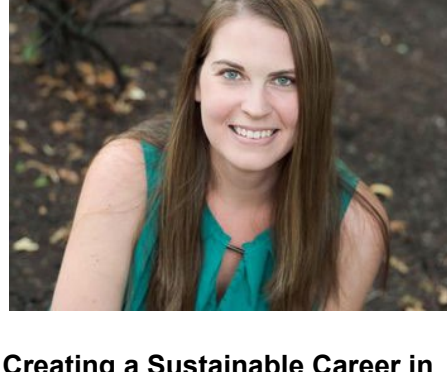
### Resident & Student Events



#### AMWA Match Party 2021!

3/28 @ 9 pm GMT  
 Lets Celebrate Together  
 as we transition to Fellowships,  
 Residency & entering medical school

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 1st Time [Residents](#) get 15%  
 membership discount (code "2021")



#### Creating a Sustainable Career in

Medicine led by Dr. Kristin Yates.  
 Join this interactive discussion.  
 March 24 @ 7:30 p.m. ET.  
[Register](#)

### Partner Activities

April 21, 3-6 pm PT: [OHSU Invent-a-thon Post-Hack](#) - Watch top teams pitch for \$40k & investor support. Network w/ healthcare innovation enthusiasts.

National Institutes of Health:

- Navigating NIH Programs to Advance Your Career. [View Video](#)
- NIH Office of Research on Women's Health Releases New E-Learning Courses on Sex and Gender. [Read](#)



#### OTHER NEWS

The Nocturnist - Open call for voices. Shame in Medicine: An Audio Documentary Storytelling Series. [Learn More](#).

[NIH/National Medical Association Travel Award](#) - Funding to travel to this meeting.

[Removing Race from Estimates of Kidney Function](#) - American Society of Nephrology and National Kidney Foundation.

Responsibility.org has created a Blood Alcohol Calculator (BAC) that promotes safe drinking. Learn more about the ["Virtual Bar."](#)

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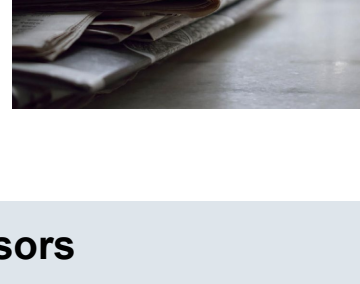
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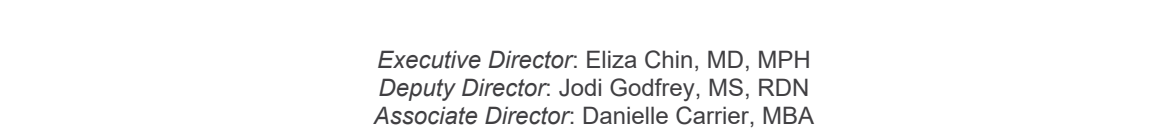
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