

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2022

Women's Health and Career Development Symposium

A virtual meeting hosted by the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Duke University Women's Reproductive Health Research (WRHR) programs and Duke/North Carolina Central University Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH) program

- 8 a.m.** Welcome and Introductions
 - 8:15 a.m.** Scholar Presentations
 - 9:15 a.m.** Break
 - 9:25 a.m.** Scholar Presentations
 - 10:25 a.m.** Q&A: *Patient and Community Engagement and Retention*
 - 11:25 a.m.** Break
 - 11:35 a.m.** Panel Discussion: *Pregnancy as Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria: Ethical and Pragmatic Consequences for Women's Health Research*
 - 12:55 p.m.** Closing Comments
 - 5:30 p.m.** Virtual Happy Hour
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SCHOLAR PRESENTATIONS, PT. 1

Moderator: **Cindy Amundsen, MD**

Roy T. Parker, M.D. Distinguished Professor of
Obstetrics and Gynecology

Duke/NCCU BIRCWH PI & Program Director
Duke University

UNC WRHR SCHOLAR

Andrea Knittel, MD, PhD, FACOG

Assistant Professor,
Obstetrics and Gynecology

***The MATernity Cohort Study:
Medications for Opioid Use
Disorder Outcomes for Mothers
and Infants Experiencing
Incarceration During Pregnancy***



DUKE BIRCWH SCHOLAR

Katelyn Holliday, PhD

Assistant Professor, Family
Medicine and Community Health

***Women's Physical Activity in
Communities: A GPS-based
Study***

UNC WRHR SCHOLAR

Chemtai Mungo, MD, MPH

Assistant Professor,
Obstetrics and Gynecology

***High-risk Human
Papillomavirus Persistence
Following Thermal Ablation in a
Low-resource Setting and Its
Impact on Cervical Pre-cancer
Treatment Outcomes***



SCHOLAR PRESENTATIONS, PT. 2

Moderator: Benjamin Chi, MD, MSc

Professor, Global Women's Health

UNC WRHR Research Director

UNC-Chapel Hill



DUKE WRHR SCHOLAR

Rebecca Previs, MD

Assistant Professor,
Obstetrics and Gynecology

*Turning ProMisE into Practice:
Predicting Response in
Medically Managed Endometrial
Cancers*

DUKE BIRCWH SCHOLAR

Jamila Minga, PhD, CCC-SLP

Assistant Professor, Department
of Head and Neck Surgery &
Communication Sciences;
Department of Neurology

*Understanding Communication
After Right Hemisphere Stroke*



DUKE WRHR SCHOLAR

Jonas Swartz, MD

Assistant Professor,
Obstetrics and Gynecology

*Barriers to Postpartum
Contraceptive Care, Perceived
Discrimination and Long Term
Maternal and Infant Health*

Q&A: Patient and Community Engagement and Retention

Moderator: K. Sean Kimbro, PhD

Professor, Biological and Biomedical Sciences
Duke/NCCU BIRCWH Site-PI
NC Central University

EXPERTS

Keisha Bentley-Edwards, PhD, (Duke) is a developmental psychologist who uses a cultural lens to understand social, emotional, and academic outcomes. Her work specifically examines how race, culture, and racism stress influence how the world responds to Black Americans and how this influences health and social disparities. Dr. Bentley-Edwards is also the Associate Director of Research and the Director of the Health Equity Working Group for the Samuel DuBois Cook Center on Social Equity.



Ranee Chatterjee, MD, (Duke) practices primary care at Duke Primary Care South Durham in addition to being a clinical researcher. She enjoys being able to think about clinical problems from public health and research perspectives and discussing opportunities for patients interested in contributing to scientific advancement in this way. Her research interests involve identification of novel risk factors and interventions and a vision to mitigate the racial disparity in diabetes risk. Dr. Chatterjee is the co-faculty lead of the CTSI's Recruitment Innovations Center (RIC), which assists with optimizing recruitment efforts for research at Duke.

Julius Wilder, MD, PhD, (Duke) conducts research focused on social determinants of health as contributors to disparities in liver transplantation and gastroenterology. Dr. Wilder is a member of the American Association for the Study of Liver Disease, American Gastroenterological Association, American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy, and the American Medical Association. He is a principal investigator or co-principal investigator on multiple clinical trials in hepatology and has received research awards for his work on social determinants of disparities in gastroenterology and hepatology.



PANEL: *Pregnancy as Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria: Ethical and Pragmatic Consequences for Women's Health Research*

Moderator: Kavita Arora, MD, MBE, MS

Division Director,
General Obstetrics and Gynecology
UNC-Chapel Hill

PANELISTS



Robert Klitzman, MD, (Columbia) is a Professor of Clinical Psychiatry in the College of Physicians and Surgeons and the Joseph Mailman School of Public Health and the Founder and Director of the Masters of Bioethics Program at Columbia University. He co-founded and for five years co-directed the Center for Bioethics, and for 10 years directed the Ethics and Policy Core of the HIV Center. He has conducted research and written about a variety of ethical issues in medicine and public health to promote public and professional education concerning these issues, drawing on qualitative as well as quantitative methodologies.

Evan Myers, MD, MPH, (Duke) is a Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology whose research involves the application of quantitative methods to problems in women's health. Recent and current activities include integration of simulation modeling and systematic reviews to inform decisions surrounding cervical, ovarian, and breast cancer prevention and control, postpartum depression screening, and management of uterine fibroids. Dr. Myers is also engaged in exploring methods for integrating guidelines development and research prioritization.



Kristen Sullivan, PhD, MSW, MBA, (UNC) is a Research Scientist at the Center for Bioethics, Department of Social Medicine, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Her research focuses on promoting equitable access to health research and care, particularly in the context of women and adolescents living with and at risk for HIV. She conducts empirical bioethics studies which seek to surface and integrate the priorities and viewpoints of varied stakeholders into ethical analyses and guidances.

LEADERSHIP



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