Graduate Student Symposium

Plenary speaker

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8:30 am - 5:00 pm
FREE to REGISTRANTS

Lister Hill Visitors Center
National Library of Medicine
8600 Rockville Pike, Bldg. 38A

Lunch, refreshments, snacks provided.
Registration: email Judy Chelnick chelnickj@si.edu

NIH directions, access: www.nlm.nih.gov/about/visitor.html
PROGRAM

8.30-9.00  Coffee

9.00 - 9.15  **Introductions**
- David Cantor, President, Washington Society for the History of Medicine.
- Elizabeth Fee, Chief, History of Medicine Division, National Library of Medicine.
- Robert Martensen, Chief, Office of NIH History, National Institutes of Health.

9.15 - 10.15  **Plenary**

10.15 - 10.30 Coffee

10.30 - 12.15  **What we’re working on. Why we’re interested. How things have changed since the last Graduate Student Symposium**
A chance for all of us, graduate students and historians working in the field, to talk informally about our research projects, interests, theoretical frames, methods, etc.
Format: 5-10 minutes per participant (including discussion).
Up to 3 slides on memory stick allowed.

12.15 - 1.15 Lunch

1.15 - 2.45  **Publishing Your Research**
- Mary E. Fissell, Editor, Bulletin of the History of Medicine.
- Randall M. Packard, Editor, Bulletin of the History of Medicine.
- Jacqueline Wehmueller, Executive Editor, the Johns Hopkins University Press.
- Robert Martensen, Chief, Office of NIH History, National Institutes of Health.

2.45 - 3.15 Coffee

3.15 - 5.00  **Archival Research**
A discussion about the problems of archival research from the points of view of archivists, curators, and historians.
- Paul Theerman, Head, Images and Archives, History of Medicine Division, National Library of Medicine.
- Michael Rhode, Chief Archivist, National Museum of Health and Medicine, Washington, DC.
- John Swann, Historian, FDA History Office, Rockville, Maryland.

5.00  Retire to the Rock-Bottom Brewery, Bethesda.