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The opening reception, all sessions, breakfasts, and luncheons will be held at the Sheraton Birmingham and the Medical Forum. The Fielding H. Garrison Lecture and Reception will be held at the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church and the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute (BCRI).

The Banquet and Awards Ceremony will be held at the Sheraton Birmingham.

Bus transportation from the Sheraton to the Garrison will be provided.

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REGISTRATION

Thursday, April 7
1:00 – 5:00pm

Friday, April 8
8:00am – 5:00pm

Saturday, April 9
8:00am – 4:00pm

All held in Medical Forum, 2nd floor

BOOK EXHIBIT

Thursday, April 7
2:00 – 5:00pm

Friday, April 8
9:00am – 5:00pm

Saturday, April 9
9:00am – 5:00pm

All held in Medical Forum A, 2nd floor

ADMITTANCE

Only registered participants wearing name badges will be admitted to the AAHM sessions, receptions, and the Book Exhibit. Tickets are required for breakfasts, luncheon sessions, and the Annual Awards Dinner.

All information in the program appears as we received it. Every attempt was made to ensure its accuracy. We regret any errors or omissions.
THURSDAY, APRIL 7

Registration
1:00 - 5:00 pm
Medical Forum, 2nd floor

Book Exhibit
2:00 - 5:00 pm
Medical Forum A, 2nd floor

AAHM Council Meeting
2:00 - 6:30 pm
Medical Forum G, 3rd floor

Opening Reception
7:00 - 9:00 pm
Birmingham Ballroom Prefunction

Gretchen Worden Memorial
9:15 - 10:15 pm
Birmingham Ballroom IX

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FRIDAY, APRIL 8

Continental Breakfast
7:00 - 8:00 am

President's Breakfast for New Members
7:00 - 8:15 am
Medical Forum G, 3rd floor

Registration
8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Medical Forum, 2nd floor

Book Exhibit
9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Medical Forum A, 2nd floor

Welcome and introduction
Jacalyn M. Duffin, President, Presiding
8:00 - 8:20 am
Birmingham Ballroom III

Three Concurrent Sessions
8:30 - 10:00 am

Session 1
Medical Forum C, 2nd floor
MEDICINE IN SOUTH AMERICA

Bless the Pill: How the Catholic Church Promoted Oral Contraceptives in Peru, 1965-1985
Raul Necochea

Russia from the Inside, Uruguay from the Outside
Anne-Emanuelle Birn
The Resilience of Medical Research in an Anti-Intellectual Climate
Jonathan Hagood

Chair: Marcos Cueto

Session 2
Birmingham Ballroom IX
HISTORICAL PATHS TO
CHRONIC DISEASE EPIDEMIOLOGY

Organic Etiology of Psychiatric Disorders in Historical Perspective
Howard I. Kushner

Profiling Risk: Cohort Research and the Emergence of Coronary Heart Disease Epidemiology
Gerald M. Oppenheimer

The Etiology of Lung Cancer: The Struggle between the New Chronic Disease Epidemiology and the Scientific Advisory Board to the Tobacco Industry Research Committee, 1954-1964
Colin L. Talley

Chair: Arleen Tuchman

Session 3
Birmingham Ballroom I
FRENCH MEDICINE
AT HOME AND ABROAD

A Louse, Divided: Contrasting Styles of Bacteriological Demonstration in French North Africa, 1906-1922
Kim Pelis

The Experimental Logic of Philippe Ricord's 'New Doctrine' of the Venereal Diseases
Alex Dracoby

The Failure of a Best-Seller: Two Editions of Philippe Pinel's Treatise on Mental Alienation, 1809 v 1800
Dora B. Weiner

Chair: George Weisz

Break
10:00 - 10:30am

Three Concurrent Sessions
10:30am - 12:00pm

Session 4
Medical Forum C, 2nd floor
ENvironments of Disease

Environment and Disease in Philadelphia, 1690-1805: A Health Crisis Revisited
Gilda M. Anroman

Southern Exposure: UV Radiation Technologies in the Operating Theater and Post-Operative Infection Rates at Duke University Medical School, 1936-1966
Gerard J. Fitzgerald

Strangers' Disease: The Reconstruction of Yellow Fever in Charleston, South Carolina, 1699-1820
Peter McCandless
Session 5
Birmingham Ballroom IX
THE PROFESSIONAL ESTABLISHMENT

Resident Ironies: Graduate Medical Education and Health Care Policy, 1944–1965
Jennifer L. Gunn

'Where Does Hematology End and Oncology Begin?': Questions of Professional Boundaries and Medical Authority
Gretchen M. Krueger

'A Plain and Temperate Diet': Vegetarianism and Orthodox Medical Practitioners in the 1820s and 1830s
Margaret Puskar-Pasewicz

Chair: Kenneth M. Ludmerer

Session 6
Birmingham Ballroom I
SEXING MEDICINE

Clothing Makes the Man (Or Woman): Medicine, Intersexuality, and the Importance of Dressing the Part, 1925–1955
Sarah B. Webber

Medicine, Androgyny, and Race
Patrick Warren

The 'Sexed' Treatment of Female Patients in Early Modern British Medicine, circa 1590–1740
Wendy D. Churchill

Chair: Ellen Singer More

Luncheon Sessions I
12:15 – 1:45 pm

Workshop A
Birmingham Ballroom XI

Medical History and Medical Professionalism
Chester R. Burns, James Mohr, P. Preston Reynolds, and Rosemary Stevens

Workshop B
Birmingham Ballroom XII

The Medical Movies on DVD Project
David Cantor, Michael Sappol, and Paul Theerman

Three Concurrent Sessions
2:00 – 3:30pm

Session 7
Birmingham Ballroom IX
IT PAYS TO BELIEVE:
MEDICINE AND FAITH

Christian Materialism: Religion and the Re-conceptualization of Mind as a Function of the Brain in Early Nineteenth-Century Britain
Elfed Huw Price
'Advance Guards of the Health Army':
The Bureau of Nursing Service for New
York City's Association for Improving the
Conditions of the Poor, 1900-1940
Cynthia A. Connolly

Medical Fideism in the Inquisition's
Prosecution of False Visionaries in
Seventeenth-Century Spain
Andrew W. Keitt

Chair: Ronald L. Numbers

Session 8
Birmingham Ballroom I
MEDICAL POLITY

Medical Ecology and the Japanese
Empire: Political and Ethical
Implications
Ruth Rogaski

Politics, Policy and the Measuring of
Child Health
Richard A. Meckel

'The public health miracle': Public
Health Policy in American Occupied
Germany, 1945-1949
Dagnar U. Ellerbrock

Chair: Keith Wailoo

Session 9
Medical Forum C, 2nd floor
WOMEN AND MEDICINE ABROAD

The Menstrual Cycle as a 'Measure of
Man': Colonial Midwifery, Race and
Gender in Colonial India, 1840s-90s
Ishita Pande

Women at War: Dr. Clara Maude
Nasmyth – One of a Group of British-
Trained Women Physicians Who Set up
Field Hospitals in Serbia During WWI
Marianne P. Fedunkiw

'Punjab Pioneer': Edith Brown and the
North India School of Medicine for
Christian Women
Maneesha Lal

Chair: Judith Leavitt

Break
3:30 – 4:00pm

Three Concurrent Sessions
4:00 – 5:30pm

Session 10
Birmingham Ballroom I
EARLY MODERN MEDICINE
IN PRACTICE AND THEORY

Medical Treatment for Convicted
Criminals and Prisoners of War in the
Ottoman Navy in the Early Modern
Period
Miri Shefer

The Limits of latromechanism: Baglivi
versus Boerhaave
Adrian F. Wilson
William Harvey and Morbid Anatomy at Padua
Jonathan G. Bateson

Chair: Brian Nance

Session II
Medical Forum C, 2nd floor
Self-perceptions of Disability and Illness

Arguing Disability: Veterans' Stories in Early Modern England
Geoffrey L. Hudson

Escaping from Idiocy: Self-identification of People with Intellectual Disabilities at the Orillia Asylum, 1900–1935
Jessa Chupik

The Debt of Service: Work, Welfare and Incapacity in Early Modern Hesse, Germany
Louise Gray

Chair: Beth Linker

Session II
Birmingham Ballroom IX
Sex and the Taboo

Public vs. Private: The Strange Career of a Gay Psychiatrist in the 1930s
Naoko Wake

Sex and the Citizen: Doctors, Reproductive Manuals, and Fashionable Readers under the Napoleonic Consulate and Empire, 1799–1815
Sean M. Quinlan

'Wife a Man': Transsexuality, the April Ashley Divorce Trial and the Medico-legal Definition of Sex in Post-war Britain
Dan O'Connor

Chair: Dorothy Porter

Buses depart Sheraton
6:00 – 6:15 pm

FIELDING H. GARRISON LECTURE
6:30 – 7:30 pm
Sixteenth Street Baptist Church

De Kruij's Boast: Vaccine Development and the Construction of a Virus
John M. Eyler
University of Minnesota

Reception
7:30 – 9:30 pm
Birmingham Civil Rights Institute

Buses begin return to Sheraton
8:30 pm

Open Meeting of the History of Psychiatry Interest Group
9:00 – 10:00 pm
Medical Forum H, 3rd floor
**Saturday, April 9**

Continental Breakfast  
7:00 – 8:15am

Women Historians' Breakfast  
7:00 – 8:15am  
Medical Forum G, 3rd floor

Clinician Historians' Breakfast  
7:00 – 8:15am  
Medical Forum H, 3rd floor

Graduate Medical Student Breakfast  
7:15 – 8:15am  
Medical Forum I, 3rd floor

Registration  
8:00am – 4:00pm  
Medical Forum, 2nd floor

Book Exhibit  
9:00am – 5:00pm  
Medical Forum A, 2nd floor

Three Concurrent Sessions  
8:30 – 10:00am

**Session 13**  
Birmingham Ballroom IX  
FINDING THE CANCER AND TREATING IT

An Early Experiment with Gynecological Cancer Screening: Catharine Macfarlane's Philadelphia Clinic, 1938–1953  
Stacey L. Randall

**Session 14**  
Birmingham Ballroom I  
BIRTHING KNOWLEDGE

Cycles of Hope and Dispair: The Treatment of Lung Cancer in Britain, circa 1940–1990  
Carsten Timmermann

Uncertainty and Experience: British Women and Breast Cancer Treatment, 1945–1975  
Elizabeth Toon

Chair: Barron Lerner

**Session 15**  
Medical Forum C, 2nd floor  
THE 'OTHER' BODY

From Population Control to Women's Health: A Revolution in Reproductive Health Services, 1960–1975  
Jennifer A. Nelson

Reexamining the Pelvic: The Doctor-Patient Relationship and the Pelvic Instruction Controversy of the 1970s  
Wendy Kline

'A Boon for the Barren Woman': John Rock’s Human In Vitro Fertilization Research at the Free Hospital for Women, 1938–1944  
Margaret Marsh and Wanda Ronner

Chair: Elizabeth Watkins
Doctors and Freaks: British Teratology, Professionalism, and Popular Culture
Heather McHold

The Lonesome Death of Hoo Loo: English Surgery and Chinese Identity in the 1830s
Stephen Rachman

'To Solve the Mystery of Their Union': The 19th Century Medical Quest for Unusual Bodies
Sarah Mitchell

Chair: Daniel Wilson

Break
10:00—10:30am

Three Concurrent Sessions
10:30—12:00pm

Session 16
Birmingham Ballroom IX
EARLY AMERICAN MEDICINE

Humane Societies and the Cultural Significance of Suicide in America, 1760–1830
Richard J. Bell

Paracelsus among the Yankees: The Theoretical Background of George De Benneville’s Pennsylvania Medicine
Jole R. Shackelford

'Samson of Medicine': Benjamin Rush and the Medicinal Uses of Mercury
Michael Egan

Chair: Maarten Ultee

Session 17
Birmingham Ballroom I
MEDIEVAL MEDICINE
ALONG THE SILK ROAD

Healing Pilgrimages to Christian Religious Shrines in the eastern Mediterranean at the time of the Crusades
Piers D. Mitchell

Medieval Plague Tracts: A Survey in Progress
Christiane Nockels

The Human Body in the History of Medicine in Tibet
Frances Garrett

Chair: Florence Eliza Glaze

Session 18
Medical Forum C, 2nd floor
THE AUTHORITY OF DISABILITY

A Clinical v. a Public Health Model for the Care of Mental Patients after World War II: A Social Experiment
John Burnham
From the State's Body to the Body's State: The Invention of Disability in World War I Germany
Heather R. Perry

Old Age and Disability in Early Modern England
Samuel S. Thomas

Chair: Alice Bullard

Luncheon Sessions II
12:15 – 1:45pm

Workshop C
Birmingham Ballroom XI

HIPAA for Historians
Beatrix Hoffman, Steve Novak, Heather Munro Prescott, Janet Golden, and Joel Braslow

Workshop D
Birmingham Ballroom XII

Integrating History of Medicine and Health into the Undergraduate Curriculum
Charlotte G. Borst, Jonathan Erlen, Kathleen W. Jones, and Janet A. Tighe

Three Concurrent Sessions
2:00 – 3:30pm

Session 19
Birmingham Ballroom I
AN INFECTIOUS RESPONSE

Invisible Demons: The Impact of the 1870-71 Smallpox Epidemic on the Plains Cree
Rebecca Lee Barbara Brain

'A Trying Ordeal at Best': Public Perceptions of the Hazards of Vaccination in 1901-1902
Karen L. Walloch

'Play(gue)grounds of London': Hampstead, the Heath, and the Hospital
Matthew Newsom Kerr

Chair: David Jones

Session 20
Medical Forum C, 2nd floor
POLITICS OF VISUAL AIDS IN NINETEENTH-CENTURY ANATOMY

Cultures of Display: Models and other Visual Media in Scandinavian Medical Museums
Eva Ahren Snickare

'It is much easier to teach from copper-plates and ... models ..., than to dirty one's hands with human flesh': Anatomy teaching, visual aids and the changing setting of the Vienna School of Medicine, 1848–1900
Tatjana Buklijas

'The proletariat can find in my preparations protection for their corpses': Modelers' Strategies and Medical Authority
Nick D. Hopwood
Chair: John Harley Warner

**Session 21**

**Birmingham Ballroom IX**

**THE BODY ETHIC**

*Human Experimentation and the Difficulties of Ethical Closure: A Case Study in Post-World War II Radiation Studies*

Gerald Kutcher

*The Atomic Negro: Burn Research during the Cold War*

Susan E. Lederer

*'Measuring the Negroes': Eugenic Anthropometry at the Tuskegee Institute, 1932–1944*

Paul A. Lombardo

Chair: Gary Belkin

Break

3:30 – 4:00pm

AAHM Business Meeting

4:00 – 5:15pm

Birmingham Ballroom III

Reception

6:30 – 7:00pm

Birmingham Ballroom Prefunction

Banquet and Awards Ceremony

7:00 – 9:30pm

Birmingham Ballroom IV

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**SUNDAY, APRIL 10**

Continental Breakfast

7:45 – 8:45am

Post-Mortem Breakfast

7:30 – 8:45am

Medical Forum C, 2nd floor

Three Concurrent Sessions

9:00 – 10:30am

**Session 22**

Medical Forum A, 2nd floor

**LEGITIMIZATION, BLAME, AND THE PROFESSION**

*Lofty Ideals and Professional Pragmatism: The ‘good physician’ in Historical and Contemporary Ayurveda*

Dagmar Benner

*Screening Sun, Reducing Risk: Sunscreen and Skin Cancer Prevention, 1959–1978*

Sally D. Romano

*'A Mine of Health’: Literacy, Secularism and the Society of African Herbalists in Colonial Gold Coast, 1930–1950*

Abena Dove Osseo-Asare

Chair: Randall Packard

**Session 23**

Medical Forum B, 2nd floor

**ON THE MEDIA I**
Give Us Health, Give Us Work,
Give Us Life
John Anthony Tercier

Patient Images in a Modernizing Society:
The Netherlands, 1880-1920
Frank G. Huisman

'The most extraordinary programme ever
shown on television': Heart
Transplantation and the Transformation
of Medical Communication in Britain,
1968
Ayesha Nathoo

Chair: Ann Carmichael

Session 24
Medical Forum G, 3rd floor
Testing the Limits

Testing Pain as a Technology of
Innovation: Therapeutic Evaluation,
Analgesic Development and the
Committee on Drug Addiction,
1929-1965
Noemi R. Tousignant

Whose Revolution? LSD and
Medical Authority
Erika Dyck

'Race, "Technology, and Asbestos Related
Disease: The Case of Lung Function
Testing
Lundy Braun and Sophie Kisting

Chair: Marcia Meldrum

Break
10:30 – 11:00am

Three Concurrent Sessions
11:00am – 12:30pm

Session 25
Medical Forum G, 3rd floor
Refining the Medical Gaze

The Debate on Obstetrical Education in
the Early Twentieth Century: Obstetrical
Specialists or General Practitioners?
Naoko Ono

The Development of Supportive Care in
the Treatment of Children with Cancer,
1930 to the Present
Robin Rohrer

'A New Species of Trouble': Risk, Public
Health and the Love Canal Disaster
Amy M. Hay

Chair: Russell Maulitz

Session 26
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Legalizing Medicine

English Medical Expertise and Foreign
Courtrooms, 1910-1985
Elisabeth A. Cawthon

Forensic Medicine and the Early Modern
English Coroner's Inquest
Carol Loar
Idiocy in Early Virginia: A Classification of Convenience
Parnel Wickham

Chair: James Mohr

Session 27
Medical Forum B, 2nd floor
ON THE MEDIA II

Black Medical Practice and the Journal of the National Medical Association
Gretchen Long

Great Moments: Lessons From the Early “History” of Pharmaceutical Advertising
Jonathan M. Metzl

Psychiatry Goes to the Movies: Family Therapy and Popular Culture in Postwar America
Debbie Weinstein

Chair: Christopher Crenner

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**ANESTHESIA HISTORY ASSOCIATION**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6**

Council Meeting  
6:00pm

Opening Reception, Birmingham  
Museum of Art, 8th Avenue Lobby  
5:00 – 8:00pm

**THURSDAY, APRIL 7**

All paper sessions will be held at the  
Medical Forum, 3rd floor, Rooms H and I

Registration and Continental Breakfast  
7:00 – 7:45am

Opening Plenary Lecture  
8:00 – 8:50am  
1847 - John Snow's Annus Mirabilis, or  
Year of Consilience?  
Peter Vinten-Johansen, MD

Concurrent Sessions  
9:00am – 12:00pm

Luncheon Plenary Session  
12:00 – 1:45pm  
Anesthesia in Birmingham since the 1930s  
Alfred Habeeb, MD

Origins and Growth of the Medical  
Center in Birmingham  
James A. Pittman, Jr., MD

Sessions  
2:00 – 3:30pm

**Archivists and Librarians in the History of Health Sciences (ALHHS)**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6**

ALHHS Steering Committee Meeting  
4:00 – 6:00pm

ALHHS Dinner  
6:30 – 8:30pm

**THURSDAY, APRIL 7**

Bus departs Sheraton for  
UAB Lister Hill Library  
8:00am

Continental Breakfast  
8:00 – 9:00am

Program  
9:00am – 12:00pm

Lunch  
12:00 – 1:00pm

Business Meeting  
1:00 – 2:00pm

Tours of UAB Historical Collections  
2:00pm

Bus departs for Sheraton  
3:00 – 4:00pm
**Medical Museums Association (MeMA)**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6**

Dinner with ALHHS
6:30 – 8:30pm

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Continental Breakfast
8:00 – 9:00am

Program, Tributes, and Discussion
*Planning For or Just Surviving Institutional Change: Tales from the Front*
9:00am – 12:00pm

Business Meeting and Lunch
12:00 – 1:30pm

Tour of the Alabama Museum of the Health Sciences, UAB Lister Hill Library
1:30pm

Tour of the Dr. Dennis G. Pappas, Sr. Private Collection
2:30

Bus departs for Sheraton
3:30 – 4:00pm

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**Sigerist Circle**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 7**

*Civil Rights and Health Care*
2:00 – 4:30pm

*Who Did What?: Health Care Activism in the American Civil Rights Era*
Susan Reverby, Chair, Women’s Studies, Wellesley College

*Striking a Blow at Medical School Segregation: Edith Irby Jones Goes to Medical School*
Vanessa Gamble, Director, Tuskegee University National Center for Bioethics and Health Care

*The Good Doctors: Race and Health Care During the Civil Rights Era*
John Dittmer, Crandell Professor of History Emeritus, DePauw University

*The Health New Left Confronts Race and Medicine in Search for Authenticity*
Naomi Rogers
Associate Professor, History of Medicine and Women’s and Gender Studies, Yale University

Reception
4:30 – 5:30pm

Business Meeting
5:30 – 6:00pm

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