THURSDAY, MAY 7

University of Michigan Museum of Art Archival Tour/Fair Events

12:30-5:00 pm AAHM Council Meeting

2:00-7:00 pm AAHM Conference Registration

2:00-5:00 pm Sigerist Circle

2:00-5:00 pm Education and Outreach Workshop

5:30-7:30 pm Opening Reception

7:30-9:30 pm Graduate Student Happy Hour

FRIDAY, MAY 8

7:00 am-5:45 pm AAHM Conference Registration

7:00-10:30 am Book Exhibit set up

7:00-8:00 am President’s New Member Breakfast

7:00-8:00 am Bulletin Breakfast

7:00-8:00 am Journal Breakfast

7:00-8:00 am Nursing History Review

7:00-8:00 am Medical Heritage

7:00-8:30 am Continental Breakfast

7:00 am-7:00 pm Meditation/Relaxation Space

9:00-10:30 am Welcome and President’s Address

Presidential Address: Rest in Pieces: Body Donation in Mid-Twentieth Century America Susan E. Lederer and Susan C. Lawrence

10:30 am-5:00 pm Book Exhibit
10:30-11:00 am   Refreshment Break

11:00 am – 12:30 pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS A1 – A6

   Chair & Discussant: Nora Jaffary (Concordia University).
   1. Stephanie Opperman (Georgia College), Smuggling Contraception South of the Border: The Asociación Pro-Salud Maternal and Transnational Birth Control Advocacy in 1960s Mexico.
   2. Natalie Kimball (College of Staten Island, CUNY), Informal Institutions and Referrals for “Illegal” Abortion in Twentieth-Century Bolivia.

A2. (Un)Regulated Medicines in South African History.
   Chair & Discussant: Natasha Erlank (University of Johannesburg).
   1. Thembisa Waetjen (University of Johannesburg), Apartheid’s “War on Drugs.”
   2. Rebecca Hodes (University of Cape Town), Foreign Bodies: Contraceptive Implants in South Africa’s Past and Present.

A3. Where is Religion in the History of Biomedicine?
   Chair & Discussant: Susan Lederer (University of Wisconsin, Madison).
   1. Paul Johnson (University of Michigan), Psychiatric Translations of Afro-Brazilian Religions.
   2. Joanna Radin (Yale School of Medicine), Healing Visions: Prophecy and Spiritual Renewal in Late 20th Century Biomedicine.
   3. Catherine Mas (Florida International University), Religion, Interspecies Kinship, and Medical Primatology between Cuba and the United States, 1915-1940.

   Chair & Discussant: Laura Stark (Vanderbilt University).
   3. Anna Geltzer (University of Notre Dame), “There’s No Such Thing As a Clinical Experiment”: Ethics and Epistemology in Soviet-American Oncology Research.

A5. Socializing Mental Health: A Cross-Cultural and Trans-Historical Examination of Individual Treatment in Mental Disorders
   Chair & Discussant: Marco Ramos (Yale University)
   1. Nana Osei Quarshie (University of Michigan), Ghana’s SUPERLANDLORD: On Reading Psychiatric Insight as Political Thought.
2. Sarah Zanolini (Johns Hopkins Medical School), Person and Persona in Late Imperial Chinese Medicine.
3. Michael Healey (Johns Hopkins University), Madness Made Social: Political Adaptations of Diagnostic Categories in Meyerian Psychiatry.

A6. Cultured Knowledge: Biohistorical Approaches to Microbial Culture Collections
   Chair & Discussant: Claas Kirchhelle (University College Dublin).
   1. Jacalyn Duffin (Queen’s University), Culture Collections: The First International Conference.
   2. Frédéric Vagneron (Centre Alexandre-Koyré EHESS/CNRS), The Lost World of Paul Hauduroy: Fortune and Misfortunes of the Lausanne Collection of Microbial Types.
   3. Charles Kollmer (Princeton University), Living Reagents: Culture Collections, Microbial Taxonomy, and Parasite Bioassays.

12:30 – 12:45 pm BREAK and Lunch pick up

12:45 – 2:00 pm LUNCH SESSIONS L1-L3

L1. Lessons from Histories of Medical Schools.
   Chair: William Schneider (Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis)
   Participants:
   Dea Boster (Columbus State Community College)
   Steven Peitzman (Drexel University College of Medicine)
   Ellen More (University of Massachusetts Medical School)

   Chair: Jessica Sedgwick (Harvard Medical School)
   Participants:
   Melissa Grafe (Yale University)
   Polina Ilieva (University of California, San Francisco)
   Rachel Ingold (Duke University)
   Seth LeJacq (Duke University)
   Aimee Medeiros (University of California, San Francisco)

   Chair: Deirdre Cooper Owens (University of Nebraska, Lincoln)
   Participants:
   Kelly Jones (Texas A&M University)
   Lauren MacIvor Thompson (Georgia State University)
   Evan Elizabeth Hart (Missouri Western State University)
   Andrew Ruis (University of Wisconsin, Madison)
   Sarah Swedberg (Colorado Mesa University)

2:00-2:15 pm BREAK
2:15-3:45 pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS B1 – B6

B1. Disability, Knowledge, and Expertise.
Chair: Kim Nielsen (University of Toledo)
1. Andrew Hogan (Creighton University), Defining a Home for Disability in Late-20th Century Pediatrics: Specialties and Status.
2. Kate Sorrels (University of Cincinnati), Asperger’s Jewish Colleagues and the Legacy of German Disability Theory.
3. Carla Keirns (University of Kansas Medical Center), Expertise, Advocacy, and Personal Experience: How the Blind Established a Legal Right to Braille.

B2. Rethinking Epidemics and Epidemiology.
Chair: Graham Mooney (Johns Hopkins University)
1. Jacob Steere-Williams (College of Charleston), Everyday Epidemiology: Using ‘Practice’ to Rethink the History of Victorian Epidemiology.
2. Emily Webster (University of Chicago), Imperial Microbes: Ecology, Disease, and Epidemiological Development in Melbourne and Bombay, 1870-1910.

B3. The Social Lives of Novel Therapeutics
Chair: Elena Conis (University of California, Berkeley)
3. Kelly Urban (University of South Alabama), A Therapeutic Revolution within a Revolution: Chemotherapy and Tuberculosis in Cuba.

Chair: Shirley Kinney (University of Toronto)
2. Nora Thorburn (University of Toronto), Connecting the Antidotes: Tracing the Transmission of Medical Recipes in Ninth-Century Manuscripts.
3. Claire Burridge (British School at Rome), Challenging Modern (Mis)understandings of Medieval Medicine: The Case of Gout

B5. What Happens in Prisons.
Chair: Todd Olszewski (Providence College)
1. Jessica Adler (Florida International University), Diagnosing and Discrediting Inmates: Power and Resistance at the U.S. Medical Center for Federal Prisoners in the 1940s.
2. Sharrona Pearl (Drexel University), Confidence (Men) and Crime: Prison Plastic Surgery Programs 1950-1979.
B6. Health, Capitalism, and the Body in the United States
Chair: Nancy Tomes (Stony Brook University)
2. Liana DeMarco (Yale University), The Cure for “Sick Days”: Plantation Health Management and the Enslaved Body in the lower Mississippi Valley, 1830-1865.

3:45 – 4:15 pm BREAK

3:45 – 4:15 pm POSTERS BY THE BOOKS
2. Wei Yu Wayne Tan (Hope College), Wonder Drugs: Illustrated Sources of Popular Medicines in Early Modern Japan.
3. Nealie Ngo (University of Toledo College of Medicine and Life Sciences), Medical Comics during the “Golden Age of Medicine”: The Story of Sister Kenny.

4:15 – 5:45 pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS C1 – C4

C1. Flash-Talk Session 1
Chairs: Sarah Tracy (University of Oklahoma) and Anne-Emanuelle Birn (University of Toronto)
1. Monroe Molesky (Alma College), Nazi Physicians and the Divisive History of Environmental Physiology.
3. Hissan Butt (Queen’s University School of Medicine), The Electrocardiogram and Cubism: Art and Medicine at the Turn of the 20th Century.
4. Jeanna Kinnebrew (Boston University), Sex, Poverty, and Health in the Puritan City, 1929-1959.
5. Mikaela Gerwin (University of Cambridge), Her Reservation as Her Quarantine: Native American Women and STD Prevention, 1941-1945.
7. Alex Friedman Peahl (University of Michigan), Popular Media, Professional Societies, and Prenatal Care: A Collaboration between Redbook and the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists.

C2. Flash-Talk Session 2
Chairs: Samuel Roberts (Columbia University) and Susan Reverby (Wellesley College)


4. Manikarnika Dutta (University of Oxford), British Ship Surgeons, Transoceanic Mobility, and the Emergence of Tropical Hygiene.

5. Kevin McQueeney (Georgetown University), White Flight Hospitals in the Greater New Orleans Area, 1950s-1980s

6. Eva Ward (University of Strathclyde), Race, Health and Pharmaceuticals in the American Philosophies.


C3. Race and Medicine in Latin America and the Caribbean
Chair & Discussant: Suman Seth (Cornell University)

1. Elizabeth O'Brien (Johns Hopkins School of Medicine), Indigeneity, Surgery, and the Making of Unborn Subjects in Colonial Latin America.

2. Alexandre White (Johns Hopkins School of Medicine), Apprehending Otherness: The Colonial Encounter, Disease Control and Subject Formation.

3. Cassia Roth (University of Georgia), Silences and the Corporeal: Reading the Enslaved Body in (Historical) Pain.

C4. Epidemics and Crises of Empire
Chair: Kavita Sivaramakrishnan (Columbia University)

1. Sarah Runcie (University of Louisiana at Lafayette), State of Emergency, State of Eradication: Malaria Campaigns in Late Colonial Cameroon.

2. Jack Edward Greatrex (University of Hong Kong), Pests and Human Health in Colonial Malaya, c. 1890s to 1930s.

3. Arnav Bhattacharya (University of Pennsylvania), Curing Venereal Disease and Revitalizing the Nation: History of Venereal Disease and Sexology in early Twentieth-Century India.

5:45-6:00 pm Break

6:00-7:00 pm Garrison Lecture

7:00-9:00 pm Garrison Reception

9:00-10:00 pm History of Pharmacy Gathering

SATURDAY, MAY 9
7:00-8:00 am Women’s Historians Breakfast

7:00-8:00 am Clinician Historians’ Breakfast

7:00 am-5:30 AAHM Conference Registration

9:00 am-2:15 pm Book Exhibit

9:00 – 10:30 am CONCURRENT SESSIONS D1 – D6

   Chair: Julie Fairman (University of Pennsylvania)
   1. Marian Moser Jones (University of Maryland), American World War I Nurses and White Supremacy, from the Imperial War Zone to the Interwar Home Front.

D2. Locating Children’s Health in History.
   Chair: Lisa Pruitt (Middle Tennessee State University)
   1. Mary Hatfield (University College Dublin), Know Thyself: Teaching Children Discipline and Health in Nineteenth-Century Ireland.

D3. Travel, Exile, Exchange: Medical Ideas on the Move.
   Chair: Ted Brown (University of Rochester)
   2. Dora Vargha (University of Exeter), From North Korea to Cuba: Socialist Medical Internationalism and Shifting Ideas of Socialist Health in the Early Cold War.
   3. Simone Kropf (Oswaldo Cruz Foundation), Good Neighbor Cardiology: Exchange of Medical Ideas between U.S., Mexico and Brazil within Inter-American Cultural Diplomacy.

D4. Intimate Encounters in State Medicine in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries
   Chair: Jessica Martucci (Science History Institute)
   2. Gianna May Sanchez (University of Michigan), Las Parteras and the State: Negotiation, Resistance, and Intimacy in the Mid-Twentieth-Century New Mexico Birthing Room.

**D5. The Lancet and the Pen: Seeking Health and Truth through Literature**
Chair: Constance Putnam (Independent Scholar)
1. Caroline Harvey (Binghamton University), “We shall reach truth by seeking beauty:” Sir Ronald Ross’ Scientific Research and Literature Examined.
3. Sarah Baccianti (Queens University Belfast), Healing Hands, Holy Water and Hellish Diseases: Curing Practices in the Old Norse Bishops’ Sagas.

**D6. Understanding and Tackling Outbreaks.**
Chair: Mariola Espinosa (University of Iowa)
1. Alex Chase-Levenson (University of Pennsylvania), Imperial Plagues, Imported Prophylaxis: British Responses to Plague in Malta and India, 1813–1870
2. Emily Waples (Hiram College), “A Certain and Infallible Cure”: The 1832 Cholera Epidemic and the Behaviorist Politics of Premonitory Symptomatology

10:30 – 11:00 am COFFEE BREAK

11:00 am – 12:30 pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS E1 – E6

**E1. More than Black and White: Race and Health Care in North America**
Chair: Beatrix Hoffman (Northern Illinois University)
1. Erin Dwyer (Oakland University), The Poison Cup: Race, Fear, and Poison in the Antebellum South.
2. Antoine Johnson (University of California, San Francisco), The Medical Case for Reparations: Confronting and Resolving the Medical Community's Role in Health and Healthcare Disparities.
3. Lydia Wytenbroek (University of Lethbridge), Cultivating Whiteness in the Canadian Nursing Press, 1905-1950.

**E2. Making Sense of Mental Health**
Chair: Tara Abraham (University of Guelph)
1. Maia Woolner (University of California, Los Angeles), Of Clocks and Cures: Chronopathologies in Modern French Psychiatry.
2. Daniel Huang (Queen’s University), Cyber Solace: An Online Support Group for Patients with Depression, 1988-1995.
3. Elizabeth Nelson (Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis), Race, Disability, and Structural Weakness in Late 20th-Century Psychiatric Hospitals.

**E3. The Nature of Truth in Medieval and Early Modern Europe.**
Chair: Ahmed Ragab (Harvard University)
1. Walton Schalick (University of Wisconsin, Madison), “Errare humanum est: Medieval Medical Errors”
2. Yijie Huang (University of Cambridge), Reading the Casuistry of Pulse in Late Seventeenth-Century English Medicine: A Study on Edmund King’s Medical Cases
3. Elizabeth Hunter (Queen Mary, University of London), Ecstasy: The Sleep like Death in the Early Modern Witchcraft Debate

Chair: Keith Wailoo (Princeton University)
1. Fedir Razumenko (University of Calgary), The Early Years of Health-Related Quality of Life Assessment in Canadian Clinical Cancer Trials.
2. Kasey Mosley (Mississippi Department of Archives and History), “We Will Make You Better Than Better”: Cancer, Masculinity, and Popular Culture Since the 1950s.

E5. The Potential and Problematics of Technology.
Chair: Jaipreet Virdi (University of Delaware)

Chair: Kristen Ehrenberger (University of Pittsburgh Medical Center)
1. Eli Anders (Haverford College), From Crowded Hospitals to Climatic Hinterlands: Convalescent Homes as “Technologies of Place” in Nineteenth-Century England.
3. Deborah Streahle (Yale University), “We Were Kind of a Shadow”: Administering Care of the Dead during the Vietnam War.

12:30 – 12:45 pm BREAK and Lunch pick up

12:45 – 2:00 pm LUNCH SESSIONS L4 – L6

Chair: Sharra Vostral (Purdue University)
Participants:
Chris Bobel (University of Massachusetts)
Lara Freidenfelds (Independent Scholar)
Saniya Lee Ghanoui (University of Illinois, Champaign)
Shobita Parthasarathy (University of Michigan)
L5. Remapping the Medical Humanities from Southeast Asia.
Chair: Michitake Aso (University of Albany, SUNY)
Participants:
  John Dimoia (Seoul National University)
  Claire Edington (University of California, San Diego)
  Xiaoping Fang (Nanyang Technological University)
  Laurence Monnais (Université de Montréal)
  C. Michele Thompson (Southern Connecticut State University)

L6. Writing the History of Medicine for the Public
Chair: Vanessa Northington Gamble (George Washington University)
Organizer: Christopher Willoughby (Pennsylvania State University)
Participants:
  Claire Clark (University of Kentucky)
  James Downs (Connecticut College)
  Alice Dreger (Independent Scholar)

2:00-2:15 pm BREAK

2:15 – 3:45 pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS F1 – F6

F1. Women, Race, and Reproductive Health.
Chair: Kelly O’Donnell (Thomas Jefferson University)
1. Ava Purkiss (University of Michigan), “Our Women”: Racial Norms and Medical Value(s) in Gynecology, 1890-1920s.

F2. Indigeneity in the Americas.
Chair: David Jones (Harvard University)
1. Laurel Sanders (University of Iowa), OIA Field Nurses and Native American Patients, 1931-1943.
2. Jessica Hauger (Duke University), Smallpox and Sovereignty: The Racial Politics of Contagion in Indian Territory, 1898-1901.

Chair: Thembisa Waetjen (University of Johannesburg)
1. Natasha Erlank (University of Johannesburg), Labour in Africa: Population Control’s One Size Fits All.
2. Akwasi Kwarteng Amoako-Gyampah (University of Johannesburg), Sanitary Inspection, Mosquito Control and Domestic Hygiene in the Gold Coast [Ghana] from the Late Nineteenth to the Mid-Twentieth Century.
3. Catherine Burns (University of Pretoria), Science Capture: the medical history of South Africa in the wake of HIV.

F4. Healing and Harmful Chemicals
Chair: Elizabeth Watkins (University of California, San Francisco)
1. Mat Savelli (McMaster University), Psychoactivity as a Marker of Modernity: Advertising in the Postcolonial Context.
3. Angela Potter (Purdue University), Prozac-oplis: Locating Serotonin Research in Indianapolis, 1945-1975.

F5. Revisiting Narrative Voices and Narrative Sources
Chair: Lisa Mix (Independent Scholar)
1. Naoko Wake (Michigan State University), Archives of Mental Illness in Asian American History.
2. Dacia Boyce (Tripler Army Medical Center), “A Decay, Deep and Incurable:” Medicine, Disease, and Fantasy in Jane Austen’s Last Novels.

F6. Disability, Identity, and Masculinity through Surgery.
Chair: Justin Barr (Duke University)
2. Agnes Arnold-Forster (University of Roehampton), The Social and Emotional World of Twentieth-Century Surgery.

3:45-4:00 pm BREAK
4:00-5:00 pm AAHM Business Meeting and Refreshments
5:00-6:00 pm AAHM Awards Ceremony
6:00-7:00 pm Awards Reception
7:00-8:30 pm Clio Project Meeting

SUNDAY, MAY 10
7:00-8:30 am Post-Mortem Breakfast
7:00-8:30 am    Continental Breakfast

8:00 am-12 noon    AAHM Conference Registration

8:30 – 10:00 am CONCURRENT SESSIONS G1 – G4

G1. Racial Uplift and Structural Racism in the History of African American Health and Medicine
   Chair: Gabriel Mendes (Vanderbilt University)
   3. Adam Biggs (University of South Carolina, Lancaster), The Profession Itself: Structural Racism in the Flexner Reforms

G2. Developing Knowledge and Claiming Expertise about Children.
   Chair: Deborah Doroshow (Yale University)
   1. Samir Hamdoud (University of Warwick), The Caring Eye: Dr George E. Shuttleworth and the Imagining of Childhood Idiocy in Victorian and Edwardian Britain.
   2. Kathleen Bachynski (Muhlenberg College), For the Fun of Playing? Competitive Youth Sports, Pediatricians, and Gender in the 1950s.
   3. Heather Reel (Rutgers University, Camden), The Camera Tells the Story: Dr. Arnold Gesell’s “How a Baby Grows” Series.

G3. Constructing Gendered Deviances
   Chair: Dorian Deshauer (University of Toronto)
   3. Pamela Maddock (University of Sydney), Approaches to Health and Justice in the Antebellum U.S. Army: Venereal Disease at the Mexican Border, 1853.

G4. Mother Knows Best? Controversies over Medical Decision Making
   Chair: Sarah Rodriguez (Northwestern University)
   1. Lindsay Zafir (Yale University), Mothering Denial: HIV Skepticism and the Politics of Motherhood
   3. Courtney Thompson (Mississippi State University), “Younger Than She Are Happy Mothers Made:” Precocious Maternity in the Nineteenth Century.

10:00 – 10:30 am BREAK
10:30 am- 12:00 pm CONCURRENT SESSIONS H1 – H4

H1. Healthcare Infrastructure and Inequality.
   Chair: Julia Cummiskey (University of Tennessee, Chattanooga)
   1. Graham Mooney (Johns Hopkins University), Moving the Patient-Passenger: Infrastructure, Ambulances and Emergency Medical Care.
   2. Ezelle Sanford III (University of Pennsylvania), Navigating the Hypersegregated Public Hospital System: City Policy, Transportation, and the Promotion of Health Inequity.

H2. Medicine, Business and the Moral Governance of Intoxication in North America.
   Chair: David Herzberg (State University of New York at Buffalo)
   1. David Korostyshevsky (University of Minnesota), Excluding Drunkards: Medicine, Life Insurance, and Private Morals Regulation in Nineteenth-Century America.
   2. Richard Del Rio (University of Chicago), Proprietary Medicine, Cocaine and Drug War Politics in Early Twentieth-Century Chicago.

H3. “Bringing Health to the Country” in the United States, China, and India.
   Chair: Matthew Romaniello (Weber State University)
   1. Dana Landress (University of California, Berkeley), “Bringing Health to the Country”: Pellagra and Early Public Health Work in the South.
   3. Lauren Killingsworth (University of Cambridge), “With Maps Illustrative of the Disease”: Medical Cartography in Late Nineteenth-Century Colonial India.

H4. Affect and Sensory Relation in the History of Medicine.
   Chair: Susan Lawrence (University of Tennessee at Knoxville)
   2. Kathryn Wataha (University of Michigan), Vibrational Affect: Experiencing Unsound in U.S. Medicine, 1877-1930.
   3. Jacob Moses (Harvard University), Affect in Retrospect: Sexual Surgeries and Tracking Ethical Reform in Late-20th Century Medical Practice.