The 20th Annual Professional Development Day
Navigating the Rapids: Current Trends in Academic Medicine

Conference Description
The 20th Annual Professional Development Day conference is focused on and responding to the rapid changes occurring in health care delivery and in medical education. Academic medicine is searching for ways to be better informed, efficient, and cost effective. Speeding health care costs and national health care reform are changing the way we practice medicine and teach. A keynote presentation by the Arkansas Surgeon General will address the impact of health care reform on academic medicine. We have selected workshops that emphasize productivity and efficiency through knowledge of UAMS Library resources, leadership and team building skills, and enhanced techniques for preparation of NIH grants by experts in these fields. Faculty will have the opportunity to explore the definition and the nature of translational research, how collaborations are formed, how mentoring relationships work, and how they can become more involved in collaborative work that will improve the health of all Arkansans.

Accreditation Statement
The University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

AMA Designation Statement
This UAMS College of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 3.25 hours AMA PRA Category 1 credit(s). Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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LIST OF SPEAKERS

Joseph W. Thompson, MD, MPH, Professor, Department of Pediatrics, UAMS College of Medicine, Director, Arkansas Center for Health Improvement. He is responsible for developing health policy, research activities, and collaborative programs that promote better health care and the public health. He has served on several key panels of the NIH and the American Heart Association for more than two decades. Currently, Dr. Rusch is a member of several NIH and the American Heart Association for more than two decades. Currently, Dr. Rusch is a member of many peer review panels for the National Institutes of Health and the American Heart Association. She has served as a member of many peer review panels for the National Institutes of Health and the American Heart Association.

Jo Ann Wood, MD, MEd, FAAP, FACSE, Associate Professor, Internal Medicine, Division Director, Department of General Medicine, UAMS College of Medicine. She completed her medical education at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and her residency training in internal medicine at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences. She has served as a member of many peer review panels for the National Institutes of Health and the American Heart Association.

Nancy Rusch, PhD, Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Division Director, Department of Pediatrics, UAMS College of Medicine. Dr. Rusch graduated from the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and subsequently earned a master’s of science in medical education, administration and building effective teams. As an associate professor, she has a strong interest in medical education, and has served on the editorial boards of several scientific journals.

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New in the Library

Mobile Clinical Resources – Smart Phones to iPads

Mary Ryan, MLS, MPH, Director, & Susan Steelman, MLIS, UAMS Library

Panels and Discussions

Panel Discussion – IDW 115 A/B

B) Lightning Room at the UAMS Library – IDW 113

• Using the Library – Ask for help! – Are you in Compliance?

Mary Ryan, MLS, MPH, Director, & Susan Steelman, MLIS, UAMS Library

Kristal Sergent, MLIS, Marketing and Digital Engagement, UAMS Library

David Eick, MLS, Associate Professor, Coordinator of the Research and Clinical Search Services, UAMS Library

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Dr. Thompson's work is centered at the intersection of translational research and clinical practice, with a focus on education, administration and building effective teams. As an associate professor, she has a strong interest in medical education, and has served on the editorial boards of several scientific journals.

Sue Ogden, MLS, MPH

As a Professor in the Departments of Pediatrics, Pathology, Physiology/Biophysics, and Biomedical Sciences at UAMS, Dr. Hinson has a Ph.D. from Vanderbilt University and has been at a Professor at UAMS since 1990. He is an expert on the role of drug metabolism in disease toxicity. He is a past standing member of two NIH study sections and has previously appeared on the NIH and the NCTR. He has been a Professor at UAMS since 1990. He is an expert on the role of drug metabolism in disease toxicity. He is a past standing member of two NIH study sections and has previously appeared on the NIH and the NCTR.

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