

About the Foundation

The Foundation for the History of Women in Medicine was founded in 1998. The Foundation is a 501(c) (3), not-for-profit corporation whose mission is to promote and preserve the history and heritage of women in the medical sciences.

The Foundation provides scholarship support to female medical students, honors outstanding female physicians and scientists in North America, and supports programs of organizations which promote the history and heritage of women in medicine. The foundation also provides traveling exhibits and funds for specific projects of historical and medical organizations.

A membership organization, with more than 250 members nationally, the Foundation receives its support through members' dues and contributions.

The Alma Dea Morani Renaissance Woman Award

The Award was established in 1999 to honor an outstanding physician in North America who has furthered the practice and understanding of medicine in our lifetime and made significant contributions outside of medicine. The award also recognizes a woman whose determination and spirit have carried her beyond traditional pathways in medicine and science and who challenges the status quo with a passion for learning. The award was named to honor Alma Dea Morani, M.D. WMC 1931, plastic surgeon, teacher, leader, author, and sculptor - a true Renaissance woman.

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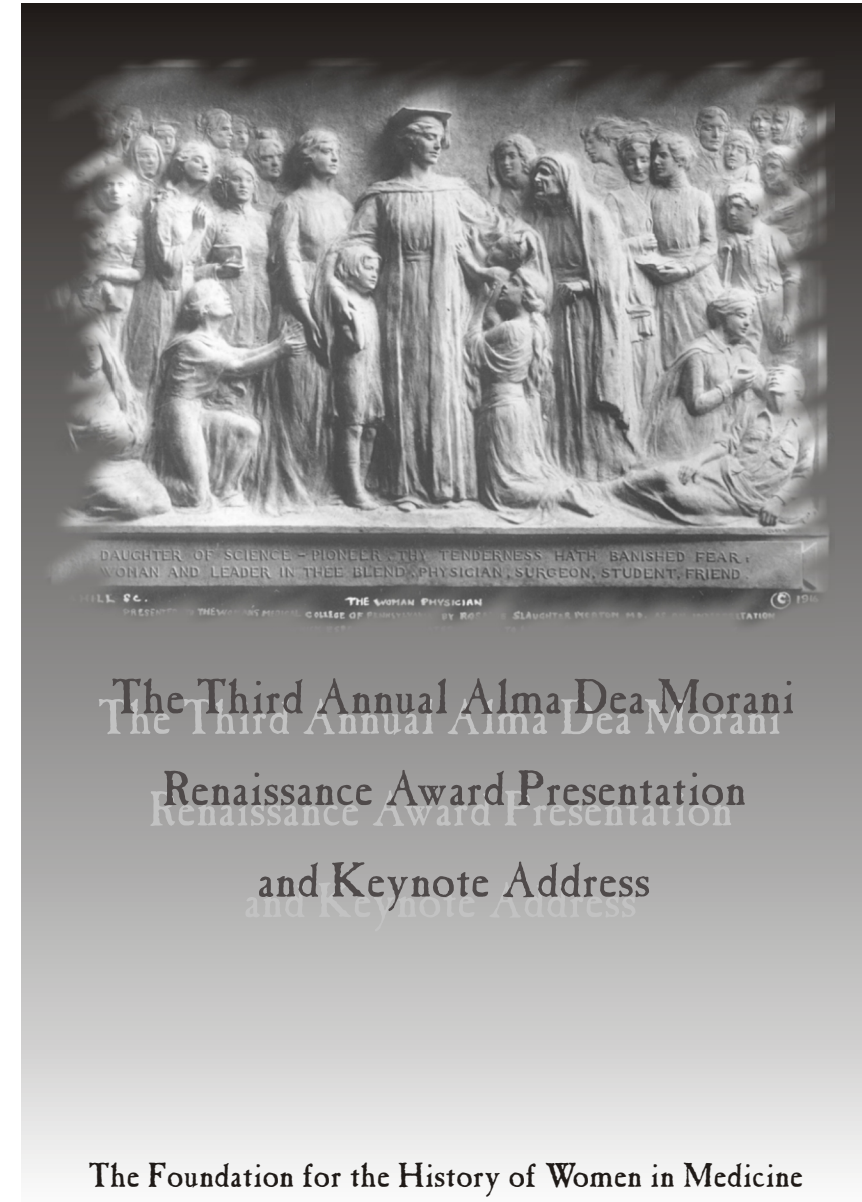
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The Third Annual Alma Dea Morani Renaissance Award Presentation and Keynote Address

The Foundation for the History of Women in Medicine



Carola Eisenberg, M.D.

Dr. Eisenberg is currently a Lecturer in Social Medicine at Harvard Medical School and remains a practicing psychiatrist. A graduate of University of Buenos Aires, she completed her fellowship in Child Psychiatry at Johns Hopkins Hospital. During her professional years, Dr. Eisenberg has served as Dean of Student Affairs at both MIT and Harvard. She was among the first leaders in medicine to offer assistance and support to women students and residents, and to publish articles in major journals on the changes needed in medical education if women are to realize their potential.

Dr. Eisenberg has most recently participated in human rights missions to El Salvador, Chile and Paraguay. She has served as Vice President of Physicians for Human Rights, an organization dedicated to the championship of physicians subjected to persecution in other countries. While doing this important work, she has continued to give presentations and serve on national task forces and committees in the area of women's health and women's careers in science.

Dr. Carola Eisenberg is a Renaissance woman, working tirelessly to make medicine and public health available to all those in need, all the while improving medical education and the practice of psychiatry.

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Cordially invite you to attend

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Honoring

Carola Eisenberg, M.D.
Lecturer in Social Medicine
Harvard Medical School

Friday, October 25, 2002

Kaiser Auditorium
MCP Hospital
3300 Henry Avenue
Philadelphia, PA

Keynote Address at 4:30 p.m.

Reception immediately following the award presentation

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