

4TH BI-ANNUAL ADVANCING WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP SKILLS & OPPORTUNITIES IN PHARMA & HEALTHCARE - WEST COAST



March 9-11, 2020

Hyatt Regency Orange County | Garden Grove, CA

Featured Sessions



INTERACTIVE SESSION: CREATING YOUR ROAD MAP TO THE C-SUITE

Luanne E. Thorndyke, M.D., Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs, University of Massachusetts Medical School



INTERACTIVE SESSION: PLANNING YOUR "AND" LIFE: MAPPING OUT A PATH FOR A SUCCESSFUL CAREER AND PERSONAL LIFE

Colleen Hauk, Best Selling co-author of the book, Women Who Ignite



KEYNOTE: NAVIGATING YOUR CAREER PATH: LESSONS LEARNED FROM MY JOURNEY IN THE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY

Lisa A. Shipley, Ph.D, VP Digital and Analytics Technologies, Merck & Co., Inc.

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Featured Speakers



Michelle Radney,
National Sales Director,
Key Account Management,
Cardiovascular and Metabolism,
**Janssen Pharmaceutical
Companies**



Eleanor Small,
Principal Scientist Oral Care,
Johnson & Johnson



Lisa A. Holmes,
Chief Business Strategist,
Executive Coach and Author,
Strategic Performance



Michael O'Brien,
Chief Shift Officer,
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Join the movement.

Over three exciting days, you will come together with other female executives in the industry to advance your career, make lifelong connections, grow your leadership skills and propel both yourself and other future leaders further into executive positions throughout pharma and healthcare.

At AWLC you will...

Be inspired

Hear best practices

Learn from those who have forged a path before you

Get your questions answered

Meet peers and mentors.

This is an opportunity to sharpen your skills, grow your network and get ideas that can improve your company and culture. Learn from and network with Pharmaceutical and Healthcare's most influential female executives.

Who Should Attend

- Pharmaceutical companies
- Hospitals, healthcare system & healthcare providers
- Health insurance companies
- Biotech companies
- Medical device manufacturers
- Healthcare related associations, foundations, solutions providers, educational organizations, government entities and venture capitalists



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AGENDA DAY ONE

MONDAY, MARCH 9

8:00 REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

8:45 OPENING REMARKS

Michelle Radney, National Sales Director, Key Account Management, Cardiovascular and Metabolism, Janssen Pharmaceutical Companies

9:00 INTERACTIVE SESSION: CREATING YOUR ROADMAP TO THE C-SUITE THROUGH GRACEFUL SELF-PROMOTION

Luanne E. Thorndyke, M.D.
Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs
University of Massachusetts
Medical School



11:00 NETWORKING & REFRESHMENT BREAK

11:30 KEYNOTE: NAVIGATING YOUR CAREER PATH: LESSONS LEARNED FROM MY JOURNEY IN THE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY

Lisa A. Shipley, Ph.D.
VP Digital and Analytics Technologies
Merck & Co., Inc.



12:15 NETWORKING LUNCH

1:15 BUILDING A HEALTHY MIND, BODY AND CAREER

2:00 LESSONS LEARNED FROM EXPERTS IN VIRTUAL ENGAGEMENT AND RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

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2:30 NETWORKING & REFRESHMENT BREAK

3:00 PANEL: ADVICE, IDEAS AND SHARED EXPERIENCES FROM EXPERIENCED LEADERS IN HEALTHCARE AND PHARMA

ASK QUESTIONS REGARDING PAY EQUITY, NEGOTIATING, MENTORING, LEADERSHIP, TIME MANAGEMENT, STRESS MANAGEMENT, MANAGING UP/DOWN AND MORE

Panelists:

Patty Pound,
Vice President, Marketing
Acasti Pharma

Vered Gigi,
Chief Scientific Officer
CURE Pharmaceutical

Invited speaker from
Janssen Pharmaceutical Companies

Lisa A. Shipley, PhD
VP Digital and Analytics Technologies
Merck & Co., Inc.

4:00 PREVENTING A BAD MOMENT FROM TURNING INTO A BAD DAY

Michael O'Brien
Executive Coach, Speaker, Author
Peloton Coaching and Consulting
President, NY Chapter
Healthcare Businesswomen's Association

4:45 CLOSING REMARKS

5:00 NETWORKING RECEPTION





AGENDA DAY TWO

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

8:00 REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

8:45 OPENING REMARKS

Eleanor Small, Ph.D
Principal Scientist Oral Care
Johnson & Johnson

9:00 INTERACTIVE SESSION: PLANNING YOUR "AND" LIFE: MAPPING OUT A PATH FOR A SUCCESSFUL CAREER AND PERSONAL LIFE

Colleen Hauk
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10:30 NETWORKING & REFRESHMENT BREAK

11:00 LEADING THROUGH CHANGES IN LIFE SCIENCES: A LOOK BACK, A LOOK FORWARD

Beth J. Hoffman
CEO
Origami Therapeutics, Inc.

11:45 WELL-BEING IN THE WORKPLACE: MANAGING YOUR ENERGY FOR SUSTAINABLE HIGH PERFORMANCE

Invited speaker from
Johnson & Johnson
Human Performance Institute

12:30 NETWORKING LUNCH

1:30 FIVE KEYS TO CAREER SUCCESS: YOUR CHEAT SHEET FOR WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW AS A FEMALE LEADER

Lisa A. Holmes, MS HR
Chief Business Strategist, Author
Strategic Performance

2:15 FOSTERING DIVERSITY IN THE WORKPLACE: BREAKING DOWN BARRIERS TO GROW WOMEN LEADERS IN STEM CAREERS

Invited Speaker from the
U.S. Food and Drug Administration

3:00 NETWORKING & REFRESHMENT BREAK

3:30 PANEL: WOMEN'S ISSUES IN HEALTHCARE: IMPACTING GENDER BIAS IN MEDICAL RESEARCH, THERAPIES AND PRACTICE

Panelists:
Ann Leon
Global Director, Medical Education &
Communications, Transplant Therapies
CSL Behring

4:15 CLOSING ADDRESS: GO FORWARD AND LEAN

5:00 CLOSING REMARKS

5:00 NETWORKING RECEPTION

POST-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

8:00 REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

8:30 OPENING INTERACTIVE EXERCISES

- Define your objectives and review outcomes of the day
- Break down the most common leadership types
- Review the unique challenges faced by female leaders

9:30 PART 1 DEVELOPING YOUR LEADERSHIP | TODAY

- Explore two of the four emotional intelligence skills to increase top performer success
- Learn strategies for navigating through perpetual change

10:45 NETWORKING & REFRESHMENT BREAK

11:00 PART 2 DEVELOPING YOUR LEADERSHIP | FUTURE

- Develop a personal action plan for your leadership development style
- Learn strategies for navigating through perpetual changes

12:00 NETWORKING LUNCH

1:00 PART 3 LEADERSHIP & YOUR ORGANIZATION | THE PEOPLE

- Establish processes to conduct effective 1:1 meetings with greater outcomes
- Build cultures that create stronger team cohesion



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

2:00 PART 4 LEADERSHIP & YOUR ORGANIZATION | THE RESULTS

- Uncover the art of leading with questions to foster creative thinking and shared responsibility
- Create your vision by understanding your organization's current and future needs
- Deliver your vision with greater purpose, clarity and influence

3:00 NETWORKING & REFRESHMENT BREAK

3:15 Q&A

3:30 REFLECTION & ACTION PLANS

3:45 CLOSING REMARKS



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