Dr. Dina Mody, Director of the Cytopathology Laboratory and Cytopathology Fellowship at The Methodist Hospital and Professor of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at Weill Medical College of Cornell University, was the keynote speaker at the Open House event.

Dr. Mody recounted her childhood in India and her interest in pursuing a medical career. She came to the United States and was offered a residency in pathology. Dr. Mody talked about how important it is to have good mentors and how they encouraged her to succeed in this field.

When asked what advice she has for women pursuing a medical career, Dr. Mody said “treat everyone with respect, be honest and be nice to people. Get everyone excited and passionate about pursuing an academic career”.

Through her accomplishments Dr. Mody has created a better environment for women because more women have been accepted to residency programs in cytopathology. Dr. Mody is a great role model and one of the outstanding physicians who participated in our programs.

Dr. Mody is also president of the American Society of Cytopathology.

Adventures and Challenges of Women Physicians

A panel of women physicians from different ethnic backgrounds recounted their struggles and hardships to become successful in the medical field. Drs. Rosa Tang, Melba Swafford, Luz Venta, Patricia Chevez-Barrios and Elizabeth Eaton discussed their childhoods in Peru, the United States, Cuba, and Mexico. Although they came from different backgrounds and have different medical specialties, all of them went through similar difficulties in their successful quest to become doctors.

All the speakers completed pregnancies while doing their residency and accomplished the challenge of balancing family and career responsibilities. These physicians have opened doors to women in the medical field and helped create a better environment to work in the specialty they chose.

The traveling exhibition has been made possible by The National Library of Medicine and the Institutes of Health Office of Research on Women’s Health. The Medical Women’s Association provided additional support. Funding for the Library programs was provided by The Methodist Hospital.

EBSCOhost’s New Interface - Coming in July

EBSCOhost will launch a new interface and search enhancements in July. Some of the new features are:

- A “How to Cite” feature will provide citation formatting information for some commonly used citation styles, like APA and MLA
- The right sidebar will include access to related articles
- Search limits, expanders and search modes in Advanced Search will be displayed fully, reducing the need to scroll
- Search History will be located directly above the search results
- New display-related thumbnails of images, where applicable, will be displayed adjacent to search results and can be previewed by hovering over them
- Set date limits for searches with a slider scale instead of using drop-downs or typing
- Clustered search results will include more detailed categories

More information and a Flash demo of EBSCOhost’s enhancements can be found at: http://www.ebscohost.com/thistopic.php?marketID=4&topicID=469 or by accessing the “New Features!” link while using one of these databases.

HAM-TMC Educational level users have access to EBSCOhost databases, including CINAHL. Plus with Full Text.
Spring was the setting for many exciting events at the HAM-TMC Library, including the Changing the Face of Medicine: Celebrating America’s Women Physicians traveling exhibit from the National Library of Medicine and the American Library Association. While the exhibit was on display, the Library hosted three enlightening programs recognizing dynamic, multi-cultural women physicians affiliated with Houston and Texas institutions.

With a new group of students, residents and faculty arriving in Houston, the Library has expanded its offering of classes to include a hands-on course on advance searching features of search engines in the SuperSearcher class and an introduction to basic genetic information via ABCs of DNA: Unraveling the Mystery of Genetics Information for Consumers.

Finally, I would like to call your attention to the new multi-lingual health-related resources found in MedlinePlus (http://www.medlineplus.gov), the definitive resource for consumer health information on the Internet. With this new feature, health information is made available in many of the languages spoken by large immigrant populations in the Houston metropolitan area, including Arabic, Chinese (Simplified and Traditional), Farsi, French, German, Hindi, Hmong, Korean, Spanish, Tagalog, Thai and Vietnamese. I think you will find these resources useful for your patients, your family and even your practice.

We also welcome new employees: Sheila Green, Shikun (KK) Jiang, Sarah Keith, Jamie Lyles and Carlene Muniz.

For all of you new to Houston and the Texas Medical Center, I invite you to stop by the Houston Academy of Medicine-Texas Medical Center Library, your link to quality health information.

Elizabeth K. Eaton, PhD
Executive Director
HAM-TMC Library
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Sarah Keith joined the Library as the Executive Assistant to the Executive Director of the Library. She is a native Houstonian and her prior work experience includes sales reporting with MCI Telecommunications, cash management with a public hospital management company and most recently, director of finance for two non-profit organizations. In her free time Sarah likes gardening, travel and listening to music.

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All classes are free. For a brief description of the classes and to register go to [http://resource.library.tmc.edu/classes/index.cfm](http://resource.library.tmc.edu/classes/index.cfm)

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and a Master of Science in Information Science from the University of North Texas School of Library and Information Sciences, Denton TX.

Sheila Green joined the Library as the new Informationist in the Information Services Department. Sheila received a Bachelor in Computer Science from the University of Houston in 1986, and her Masters of Science in Library Science from the University of North Texas in 2007, where she was a Medical Informatics Fellow. Sheila has nine years prior experience with Cardinal Health, Clinical Technology and Services division, in the areas of information technology quality assurance, training, management, performance analysis, and project management. She also has computer support, training, and software testing experience in the property management and utility businesses.

Carlene Muniz joined the Library as part-time Circulation Assistant. Carlene is a junior student at Mt. Carmel High School. Among her hobbies are reading and soccer. Carlene is interested in pursuing a career in the medical field.

Sheila Green

Carlene Muniz