



April 11, 2013

Women In Bio *Welcome*

Limited Space Available for the Women In Bio Annual Celebration – Register Now to Reserve Your Spot!

Join Women In Bio for an exciting evening at the Women In Bio Annual Celebration Reception on April 22, 2013. You will have the opportunity to network with fellow and prospective Women In Bio members from around the world and hear the amazing success story of our keynote speaker, Jill Milne, PhD, CEO of Catabasis Pharmaceuticals. She will discuss her scientific background, success as a business woman and the advice for the up-and-coming women leaders. [Click here](#) to register and for more information.

The poster features a portrait of Jill C. Milne, Ph.D., on the left. To the right, the text reads 'Women In Bio 2013 ANNUAL CELEBRATION' in blue and green. Below this is a green banner with the text 'CONNECTING WOMEN, GROWING LEADERS, ELIMINATING BOUNDARIES'. At the bottom right, it says 'Featuring Keynote Speaker: Jill C. Milne, Ph.D. CEO, Catabasis Pharmaceuticals, Inc.' The WIB logo is in the top right corner with the tagline 'Actively supporting career growth for women in the life sciences.'

Women In Bio
2013 ANNUAL CELEBRATION

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Featuring Keynote Speaker:
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April 22, 2013 • 4:00 pm - 6:30 pm
Metropolitan Club • Chicago, IL
Oak Room, 66th Floor • Willis Tower (f/k/a Sears Tower)

Join Us in Chicago at BIO

This year WIB has a stellar line-up of events at BIO 2013. We start off with our first planned Meet-Up session "[Women In Bio-Chicago Area Professionals and Executives in the Life Science Industry](#)" on

Tuesday, April 23, 2013 from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at **booth #4800**.

The informal gathering is open to all BIO attendees, although is designed especially for the Chicago area attendees and will provide an informal setting for current and prospective WIB-Chicago chapter members to meet industry peers and discuss professional interests.

Coffee and sweet treats will be provided. Thank you to [Husch Blackwell LLP](#) for sponsoring this Meet-Up.



We then have a second meet-up session "[Speed Networking Session for Existing and Prospective WIB Members](#)" on Wednesday, April 24, 2013 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at **booth #4800**. Current and prospective WIB members will have the opportunity to speed network with industry peers and discuss professional interests. The Meet-Up is open to all BIO attendees.

WIB will be located in the Exhibit Hall at **booth #4184**. Be sure to stop by, say hello and learn more about our rapidly growing organization.

WIB-Southern California Chapter Excited for Spring Kick-Off Event

WIB is proud to announce our 11th chapter: WIB-Southern California! With a vibrant community of professionals and academics in the bioscience and biotechnology industries, WIB-SoCal is excited to host their launch event Tuesday April 30, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. PDT, at Jansen Labs in San Diego, CA. The event will feature keynote speaker, Gail Naughton, CEO of Histogen. [Click here](#) for more information.



Over the past year our WIB Chapters have created their own LinkedIn groups highlighting



their unique events and accomplishments. Click on any of the Chapter names (or WIB-National) to check out and join the groups that are most relevant to you!

- [WIB-National](#)
- [Atlanta](#)
- [Greater Boston](#)
- [Chicago](#)
- [Greater Montréal](#)
- [Pittsburgh](#)
- [Research Triangle Park \(RTP\)](#)
- [Seattle Metro](#)
- [San Francisco Bay Area](#)
- [Washington DC/Baltimore](#)

With Social Media Staying Connected to WIB is Easier than Ever!

Facebook and Twitter are also easy ways to stay on top of the ever-expanding WIB chapter line-up, upcoming activities and job postings.

Follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [YouTube](#) to stay on top of chapter news, upcoming events and job postings. If you have a Twitter account, feel free to tweet about WIB (@WomenInBio).

CHAPTER EVENTS

Washington DC/Baltimore Chapter Events

Career Transitions: Navigating the Possibilities

When it comes to your life and career, discovering "what's next" is perhaps the most challenging and exciting process you can undertake. Please join the WIB-Washington DC/Baltimore Chapter on Wednesday, April 17, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. EDT. This event will be video-recorded and made available to other chapters. [Click here](#) to register and for more information.

***FULL* YWIB-Washington DC/Baltimore Event at Emergent BioSolutions**

WIB invites high-school girls in grades 9-12 to visit Emergent BioSolutions, a global developer and manufacturer of vaccines and therapeutics, for a Young Women In Bio event. Students will interact with women scientists and business professionals to get an in-depth look at different career paths available in the life sciences and tour the facility. **This event is currently full.**

Greater Boston Chapter Events

Spring Networking Event: Company, Chatter and Cocktails

WIB-Greater Boston Chapter is hosting a fun Meet & Greet cocktail party on Wednesday, April 17, 2013 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. EDT for women in the biotech Industry. Meet our interesting and prospective members and learn about their careers and the many job opportunities in our industry. We'll have some light appetizers available for noshing. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

Build Even Stronger Relationships by Volunteering with WIB-Greater Boston

Do you want to deepen your involvement in the biotech industry in Boston? Then help us grow the WIB-Greater Boston chapter by creating and executing high value programs and networking events. We're looking for enthusiastic volunteers to participate in our program, membership, sponsorship and communications committees. Email us at Boston@womeninbio.org.

Seattle Chapter Events

***"Lean In"* at Lunch Discussion**

WIB-Seattle Metro invites you to *"Lean In"* on April 18, 2013, from 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. PDT, at Fenwick & West. Gain useful skills by viewing Deborah H. Greunfeld's Lean In talk, "Power & Influence", and then join us for lunch and discussion to follow. The event is free with a 40 person limit, so don't hesitate! [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

Network at Kakao Coffee and Chocolate Bar

Join members and prospective members for great conversation and a cup of Joe on the morning of May 9, 2013, 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. PDT, at Kakao Coffee and Chocolate Bar. Bring your friends! [Click here](#) to register and for more information.

YWIB-Seattle Metro at Seattle Girls' School Luncheon Event

Join YWIB-Seattle Metro in supporting SGS at its 11th Annual Luncheon on Thursday, May 9, 2013, from 12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. PDT, at the Westin Grand Ballroom in Seattle, featuring 2013 Grace Hopper Award Winners Phyllis J. Campbell, Chairman, Pacific Northwest for JPMorgan Chase, and Adriane Brown, President and COO of Intellectual Ventures. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

WIB-Seattle Metro Hosting Happy Hour at Black Bottle

Network and connect with other WIB professionals at this no-host happy hour on Thursday, May 16, 2013, from 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. PDT, in the private bar at the Black Bottle gastro-tavern in Belltown. [Click here](#) to register and for more information.

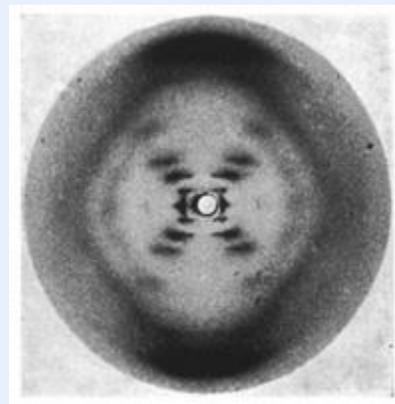


WIB-Seattle Metro Inspired by Melinda Gates' TEDxChange 2013 Event, Positive Disruption

On April 3, 2013, WIB-Seattle Metro joined 202 viewing events in 65 countries for TEDxChange 2013, "Positive Disruption". The amazing line-up of speakers shared how they are positively disrupting society, agriculture, technology and communities in ways that make our world a better place, including two young vaccine advocates from Calcutta. They inspired us and made us think of new ways to move positive disruption forward. We learned that just tweeting or posting about a social cause makes a difference. To watch the 90-minute event, [click here](#). A big thank you to Cooley LLP Seattle for hosting us at their beautiful new office space.

YWIB-Seattle Metro's Sold-Out Theatre Event at "Photograph 51", honoring the late Rosalind Franklin, Was a Huge Success

Tickets sold fast for "Photograph 51", a play honoring scientist Rosalind Franklin, whose contributions were crucial to the discovery of the double-helical structure of DNA. With a well-written script by Anna Ziegler highlighting the gender politics Franklin faced in a male-dominated field, the stage was set for avid young women scientists to be inspired and enlightened. [Click here](#) to visit WIB-Seattle Metro's chapter page and read the entire review.



Register Your Interest in Young Women In Bio

In 2013, one of our YWIB-Seattle Metro initiatives is to introduce young women in middle through high school to careers in science, technology, engineering, and math by partnering with industry professionals. Your input is valuable to help us plan future YWIB initiatives – [click here](#) to complete this 90-second questionnaire.

Volunteer with WIB-Seattle Metro

Raise your profile, with impact, by applying for a senior leadership position at WIB-Seattle Metro, or by serving on one of our five high-energy committees: Funding, Membership, Programs, Communications, or Young Women In Bio. We are currently accepting applications for Chair of Funding, Chair of Communications, and Vice-Chair of WIB-Seattle Metro. For more information, and to join in the fun, email us at Seattle@womeninbio.org.

Atlanta Chapter Events

YWIB-Atlanta for STEM Outreach Day

On April 20, 2013, women scientists from Emory University and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention will lead hands-on, interactive activities with middle school and high school girls. Activities include strawberry DNA extraction, making homemade ice cream, and dissection of lilies. In addition, women at various stages of their STEM careers will serve in a panel to discuss potential STEM careers. [Click here](#) to register.

Join the WIB-Atlanta Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Team!

WIB-Atlanta will be participating in the 2013 Susan G. Komen Atlanta Race for the Cure 5K Run/Walk in Atlantic Station on Saturday, May 11, 2013. Join the WIB-Atlanta team and run or walk with us for a good cause! [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

Summer Networking Evening

Join us on June 13, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. EDT at Eclipse di Luna at Park Place for an evening of networking over good tapas and wine, and great company. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

Help Build the new WIB-Atlanta Chapter by Volunteering

WIB-Atlanta is looking for volunteers to help us grow and develop our chapter. We have openings on our sponsorship committee along with a need for volunteers in other areas all over. Wherever you would like to help, we have a place for you! Please email us at Atlanta@womeninbio.org and get involved today!



San Francisco Bay Area Events

Young Women In Bio at Joint Genome Institute

On Thursday, April 25, 2013 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. PDT, the DOE Joint Genome Institute (JGI) in Walnut Creek, CA invites SF Bay area middle school and high school girls for an afternoon discovering the fun and challenge of science careers. [Click here](#) for more details to and register.

Panel Discussion: Funding your Idea: Growing From Concept to Reality

Join us on May 7, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. PDT and explore funding a new business venture with keynote speaker and panel moderator, Karen Boezi, CEO Redwood Bioscience, Inc. The speakers will share their insights and practical tips for securing funds from a variety of sources. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

Young Women In Bio at Genomic Health Inc. a Success

On March 28, 2013 Genomic Health hosted 30 girls in grades 6-12 from public, private, and home schools across the SF peninsula, all with an interest in science or math. Over 15 Genomic Health employees, including CEO Kim Popovits, participated and encouraged the girls to be themselves, be the best they can be, and pursue a path that makes them proud of themselves. [Click here](#) to visit the WIB-San Francisco Bay Area chapter page and read the entire event review.



RTP Chapter Events

"Clinical Trials Management" Educational Event

Join WIB-RTP for an exciting educational event focused on Clinical Trials Management on April 29, 2013 from 5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. EDT at the North Carolina Biotechnology Center. Listen to our distinguished speakers as they talk about challenges and opportunities of clinical trials from the perspective of a CRO and a sponsor. [Click here](#) to register and for more information.

Greater-Montréal Area Events

Executive Breakfast Series: How to make the most out of the Canadian Innovation Commercialization Program

Join us for our 4th Executive Breakfast Series on Wednesday May 1, 2013 at Corealis Pharma from 7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Learn why the CICP was created to bolster innovation in Canada's business sector by helping companies bridge the pre-commercialization gap for their innovative goods and services through governmental procurement. [Click here](#) for an entire review of the upcoming event.

****THIS IS AN ENGLISH-ONLY EVENT****

Pittsburgh Events

Define Your Professional Image: Dress For Success

WIB-Pittsburgh's "Define Your Professional Image: Dress for Success" event will be from 5:30 p.m. EST to 9:00 p.m. EDT on May 14, 2013 at Nordstrom, Inc. at Ross Park Mall. This event provides an opportunity for participants to learn the essentials of how to dress professionally at any budget from expert stylists. [Click here](#) to register and for more information.

Chicago Chapter Events

Join us for Our Annual Book Club Series: "Nice Girls Just Don't Get It: 99 Ways to Win the Respect You Deserve, the Success You've Earned, and the Life You Want"

Join WIB-Chicago on May 16, 2013 at 5:30 p.m. CDT (discussion starts at 6:00 p.m.) at The Rhythm Room in Evanston for what promises to be a fun evening of lively discussion about the skills needed to turn from a nice girl into a winning woman. WIB-Chicago Chapter President, Dimitra Georganopolou, will facilitate the discussion. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

WIB-Chicago's sponsorship committee is looking for dynamic women with great ideas to join the committee. Email Chicago@womeninbio.org for more information.

Other Interests

Springboard: Life Science 2013

Springboard Enterprises is seeking women-led, investment-ready companies in the life science and healthcare sectors to participate in Springboard: Life Science 2013 - an accelerator supporting and promoting emerging growth companies seeking equity investments or strategic partnerships. April 20, 2013 is the application deadline! [Click here](#) to learn more.

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