Changing of the guard

We congratulate Dr. Li-Li Hsiao (left) for a job well done and look forward to her continuing support as past-president to WIN. As WIN moves into the next 30 years, new activities are taking shape! We welcome in our new president, Dr. Núria Pastor-Soler! (right). She begins her two-year tenure this month!!

Dr. Pastor-Soler and the WIN Council have three main priorities in for the next few years: to increase membership and advocacy efforts for Women in the kidney research and nephrology fields, and to give WIN more visibility in social media. Please follow us on Twitter @womeninnephro and on Facebook.

New webinar series with ASN

WIN and the American Society of Nephrology (ASN) have joined together to develop a webinar series, the Career
Advancement Series, to enhance outreach of our time-tested professional development seminars. The first one, entitled Career Choices in Nephrology: Am I on the Right Track? is available for viewing now!

Check back for the next in the series!

WIN at ASN Kidney Week 2016

2016 in Chicago, the 50th anniversary of ASN. WIN's Annual Dinner was held on Thursday, November 17th at The Gage restaurant with great company, discussion and fun! Dr. Adeera Levin presented a great talk, entitled Chronic Kidney Disease: State of the Art and Science 2016 Worldwide, at the Annual Nancy Gary Lecture.

Sharon Anderson, MD, FASN, was honored as one of the prior ASN Presidents at the Plenary Session on Thursday, November 17th. Dr. Anderson served on the ASN Council from 2004-2011 and became the ASN's first woman president of ASN in 2010. She currently serves on the WIN Executive Council as Senior Advisor. Dr. Anderson was WIN president in 2013.

ASN’s “Passing of the Gavel” ceremony was held at the Plenary Session on November 19th. Incoming president, Eleanor D. Lederer, MD, FASN and a longtime WIN member, will take over leadership of the ASN as the third female president in its history. Dr. Sharon M. Moe, MD, FASN, also a WIN member, was the second woman to serve as president of ASN in 2014. The current ASN Council also includes Susan S. Quaggin, MD FASN, a WIN member, who will serve as president of ASN in 2021, and Barbara T. Murphy MD. We congratulate all of these women leaders in nephrology and look forward to increasing numbers of women in ASN leadership!
I once asked a senior physician-scientist woman to synthesize in one sentence the best advice for junior women in nephrology and after thinking for a minute she said…

Pay your babysitter very well and leave your house to be as dirty as you can possibly stand it. Then you will be able to focus on your career…

Above images of WIN activities at Kidney Week 2016

Celebrate WIN 2016

During the past year, several WIN members have made great strides. Their achievements are listed below...

Linda Fried, MD, MPH, FNKF
2016 Honoree: The Shaul G. Massry Distinguished Lecture

Malgorzata Kasztan, PhD
2016 Awardee: Joseph A. Carlucci Research Fellow
American Society of Nephrology
More Achievements by WIN members:

Qi Qian, MD, one of our WIN Executive Council Senior Advisors is the new President of the Chinese American Society of Nephrology.

Ellie Kelepouris MD, FAHA, a WIN Councilor, has been appointed Interim Chair of the Department of Medicine Chief at the Drexel University College of Medicine. She is also the current Chief of the Division of Nephrology and Hypertension at Drexel.

Nuria Pastor-Soler, MD, PhD, FASN is now the Assistant Dean of Research Mentoring at the Keck School of Medicine of USC.

Sharon Anderson, MD, FASN was the 2016 Awardee of The David M. Hume Memorial Award (National Kidney Foundation).

CONGRATULATIONS !!!

Amy Williams MD
WIN President 2011-2013 has been recently appointed Chair of the Department of Medicine at the Mayo Clinic.

CONGRATULATIONS !!!
Dr. Lois Katz a founding member of WIN (left) with Dr. Shawna Mann, Dr. Adeera Levin, Dr. Claire Harris and Ms. Gabriela Espinoza at Kidney Week 2016

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