



Women in Science Forum 2011

Saturday, March 12, 2011

Smith Hall Room 356

8:30 AM to 1:00 PM

This program is organized by the Towson University Women in Science Program and is sponsored by the Jess and Mildred Fisher College of Science and Mathematics.

Schedule:

8:30 to 9:00 AM Registration and complimentary Continental Breakfast

9:00-9:15 AM Greetings from the Provost, **Dr. Marcia G. Welsh** and the Dean of the Jess and Mildred Fisher College of Science and Mathematics, **Dr. David Vanko**

9:15-10:00 AM Speaker: **Clare Muhoro, Ph.D.** (Department of Chemistry, Towson University)

"Organic Chemistry Can Help Solve Environmental Problems"

10:00-10:15 AM Break

10:15-11:00 AM Speaker: **Dianne P. O'Leary, Ph.D.** (Computer Science Department, University of Maryland, College Park)

"Mathematics and Computer Science in Words and Images"

11:00-11:15 AM Break

11:15-12:00 PM Speaker: **Patricia Steeg, Ph.D.** (Head, Womens Cancers Section, Laboratory of Molecular Pharmacology, National Cancer Institute)

"Insights Into Careers in Medical Research: Molecular Characterization of Tumor Metastasis"

12:00-12:10 PM Closing Comments

12:10-1:00 PM Lunch (complimentary) — open discussion with speakers and participants