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## Preliminary Program Announcement



# 10th Annual Meeting International Association of Medical Science Educators

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# About the Conference

This conference is directed toward all individuals who teach within a medical environment, with particular focus on those responsible for the basic sciences. These are defined as subjects arising from the traditional disciplines of Anatomy, Behavioral Science, Biochemistry, Microbiology & Immunology, Pathology, Pharmacology, and Physiology.

As in previous IAMSE Annual Association Meetings, internationally recognized speakers, interactive small group focus sessions, hands-on workshops, computer demonstrations, individual research and curricular innovations presented through posters and commercial educational product exhibits will highlight this event. Daylong courses in faculty development designed primarily for basic scientists will include both new and annually repeated courses focusing on important and timely issues.

Complete session details and descriptions can be found at [www.iamseconference.org](http://www.iamseconference.org)

## Preliminary Program Features

### Faculty Development Courses

- \* Becoming an Effective Course Director
- \* Professionalism—Curriculum Design, Implementation, Assessment and Evaluation
- \* Integrating Genetics, Genomics & Proteomics into Basic Science & Clinical Curricula
- \* Communication: A Relationship Centered Approach
- \* Principles & Practice in a Web-Based Environment
- \* Enhancing Teaching through Learner-Centered Perspectives & Strategies
- \* Research in Medical Education
- \* Tools for Teaching Improvement

### Plenary Sessions

- \* Professionalism—Pleasures & Pitfalls
- \* The Art of Changing the Brain
- \* Preparing Students for the Technology-Enabled Healthcare of the Future
- \* Genetics & Genomics in Medical Education
- \* **Panel Discussion:** External Forces Driving Health Science Education Internationally
- \* **Debate:** Health Professions Schools Allocate Too Much of Their Resources to Research: This is Detrimental to Their Educational Mission

### Focus Sessions

- \* Teaching Cultural Competence
- \* Virtual Microscopy
- \* Facilitating Scholarship in your Teaching & Educator Roles
- \* Strategies for Successfully Integrating Basic & Clinical Sciences In Medical Education
- \* Is your Approach to Peer Review of Teaching Equitable & Valid?
- \* What Are Teaching Portfolios? Why Do I Need One?
- \* A Systematic Approach to Education Program Evaluation
- \* A Simple Model for Improving Undergraduate Medical Education
- \* Developing Effective Handouts in the Age of PowerPoint Presentations

### Also Featuring

- \* Innovations in Technology Supported Learning
- \* Poster Symposium
- \* R<sub>x</sub>S- Resource Xchange Sessions

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## Program Information

The final program will be available online April 2006

## Future Meeting Dates

July 2007— Cleveland, Ohio