

December 4, 2018

Dear National Associations,

**we would like to take group photos of current and past National Association Presidents**

Please encourage all of your current and past leaders to attend the Congress.

**Special Educator Session for Post-Medical School (Residency) Training**

Please encourage your post-medical school (residency) educators to come to the MWIA meeting! There will be a special session for post-medical school (residency) educators to share best practices, innovations in medical education, and more in a multi-specialty forum. A special breakout dinner session is planned for Friday, July 26. Invitations will be sent to all registered attendees

**MWIA Centennial Meeting Film Project**

Instructions: Turn on a camera (your phone or computer), get a good background that represents where you're from, and read the following lines or share your thoughts. Each association should do the first one.

- “I am a woman physician” videos. I am a woman surgeon/physician/future physician from city/state, country. Feel free to include young girls saying they want to be a doctor when they grow up!
- Other optional videos:
  - Share advice for a young female physician
  - Share a quote or saying that inspires you followed by the name of the author.

Submit a link to the film (preferably a Dropbox link) [here](#).

**Deadline:** Dec. 31, 2018. [<https://form.jotform.com/83031771584155>]

[How to send videos from your iPhone](#). Send the video to yourself, then submit the link at the form above.

**Digital Art Exhibit of Pioneer Women Physicians from Around the World**

Inspiration for this project comes from Judy Chicago’s Dinner Party exhibit at the Brooklyn Museum in New York. See [here](#). To participate, create an image that represents the story, journey, or discovery of a pioneer woman physician. Images can be in any form (collage, charcoal, pencil, PowerPoint, photography, etc.), but they must be original! Submissions will be displayed on the MWIA meeting website and shared at the conference.

Submit your design [here](#) by January 31, 2019. [<https://form.jotform.com/amwaconference/mwia-plate-entry>]

**International Teddy Bear Exhibit**

An International Teddy Bear Exhibit is inspired by AMWA delegates’ visit to the Teddy Bear Museum during the MWIA Congress in Seoul. We ask that each association bring a teddy bear (up to 15 inches) that represents women physicians from that country and wears something representative of the country's culture. Please bring to the registration desk by 2pm, Thursday, July 25, 2019. Please RSVP below.

**Association Journal**

We ask each association to share a copy of their journal. Please bring to the registration desk before 2pm, Thursday, July 25, 2019. Please RSVP below so we can plan on space.

**Object**

We ask each association bring a small item (< 4 inches) representing their country. The items will be displayed at the meeting. Please bring to the registration desk before 2pm, Thursday, July 25, 2019. RSVP below.

**Fabric Collage**

Each National Association is invited to submit a piece of fabric which will be 14 inches square in size. This is approximately the size of a regular handkerchief. The small square fabric may be cut out from a larger piece of fabric, hand woven or crocheted, patterned or beaded but should be indigenous or peculiar to a country. Ribbons should be attached to each of the four corners that will be used to tie it to a similar sized square from another country. The name of the contributing country should be on the back, with a short description or history of the fabric.

Please e-mail Dr. Eleanor Nwadinobi ([elenwad@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:elenwad@yahoo.co.uk)) by January 25, 2019 the name and email of the national association member who will be bringing the collage to the Centennial Congress.

MEMBER ASSOCIATION RSVP: <https://form.jotform.com/80561852984164>

Sincerely on behalf of the AMWA Local Organizing Team,

Dr. Amanda Xi and Dr. Eliza Chin, Program Co-Directors

Dr. Padmini Murthy, MWIA North American VP