


# Women in Science

 **Thursday, February 8, 2024 | 6:30 – 8:00 pm**

 Participate in-person at BC Children's Hospital or virtually in real-time

Learn more about our leaders who are paving the way for research in health sciences, including what inspired them to pursue a career in science and barriers they faced.

*Registration is open to high school students, university students, the health sciences community and the public. People of all genders are welcome.*

## Featured Speakers



**Dr. Najah Adreak**

Clinical Researcher,  
CAPSNet Data Registry  
Coordinator, Pediatric  
Surgery, BC Children's  
Hospital



**Ms. Melissa Crump**

Executive Director,  
Diversity, Equity and  
Inclusion, Provincial  
Health Services  
Authority



**Dr. Angela Kaida**

Scientific Director, CIHR  
Institute of Gender and  
Health; Professor, SFU  
Faculty of Health  
Sciences



**Ms. Abisola Kehinde**

Doctoral Student, Parker  
Research Team, BC  
Children's Hospital; UBC  
Department of Biochemistry  
& Molecular Biology



**Dr. Heather Palis**

Senior Scientist, BC Centre  
for Disease Control;  
Assistant Professor, UBC  
School of Population and  
Public Health



**Dr. Caron Strahlendorf**

Investigator, BC Children's  
Hospital; Clinical Professor,  
Division of Hematology  
and Oncology, UBC  
Department of Pediatrics



**Moderator:  
Dr. Wendy Robinson**

Associate Director &  
Investigator, BC Children's  
Hospital; Professor,  
UBC Department of  
Medical Genetics