

iGIANT® Roundtable: Gender/Sex Issues during the Age of COVID-19

Virtual

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Attendee List

- Dr. Saralyn Mark - founder of iGIANT®, President of SolaMed Solutions LLC
- Dr. Alyson McGregor - Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine at The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University
- Dr. Jeannette Wolfe - Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine at the University of Massachusetts Medical School/Baystate Campus
- Dr. Margaret Burnett - leader of the team for GenderMag, Distinguished Professor of Computer Science at Oregon State University
- Dr. Robin Lady - NBCT Gifted Education Specialist
- Janvi Huria - iGIANT Youth Ambassador
- Rosalyn Ung
- Mehrnoosh Samaei
- Priya Patel
- Sarah Faupel - Senior Manager & Talent Acquisition at Enterprise Holdings
- Charlotte Cunningham
- Sindhoori Kalavacharla
- Lalit Goel - Ex-Indian Army
- Vijaya Goel
- Rhea Master
- Tanay Parwal
- Mallory Gard
- Ali Meriales
- Katherine Holekamp
- Sadhana Mateswaran
- Akshara Ramaswamy - iGIANT Youth Ambassador
- Heather Robinett - council member for the city of Ferguson, running for mayor
- Meredith Jackson - HR
- Dr.Kirti Mehrortra - Assistant Principal at Lafayette High School
- Kady Huria - HR
- Gaurav Huria - Software engineer at AT&T

Cynthia	Holcomb - Founder of FemaleBrain.Ai
Jennifer	Purks - rising M4 Georgetown School of Medicine
Danielle	D'Annibale - rising M4 Georgetown School of Medicine
Suhani	Akhouri - iGIANT Youth Ambassador

Calls-to-Action

- Create challenge competitions for the youth organizations in order to stimulate the design of gendered innovation by young men and women
- Continue to invite new audiences to the discussion of gender/sex differences through hosting more roundtables, publishing articles, and getting involved in policy making and providing a platform for these new audiences to further research sex/gender implications
- Highlight the need for more sex-disaggregated data with regards to COVID-19 and research in medicine and other sector and bring sex-disaggregation to the forefront of research priorities to incorporate sex/gender-specific implications of COVID-19 into medical and political practices and policies
- Evaluate the bias that exists in our personal and professional lives from a young age - from smaller ideas like color and word choice to a larger ergonomics perspective
- Further understand and explore links between race/ethnicity, socioeconomic status, and gender- continue to develop iGIANT's intersectional approach