Departmental Programs

Women in Cardiology
The Women in Cardiology group was started in January of 2017. We have monthly meetings, seminars or workshops based on predetermined topics. These meetings are held in the homes of our trainees and faculty and we meet in the evenings and enjoy dinner and drinks while socializing with our fellow cardiology colleagues. In our previous sessions we have tackled a range of topics such as “career pathways of our women faculty”, “workplace dynamics” and “working as an expert witness in legal cases”. We also have previously had seminars on “job search after training”, as well as "negotiating job offers". The topics of discussion are facilitated by faculty from the division or cardiology as well as guests from other schools or departments. Faculty as well as trainees appreciate the sense of community this group brings to the women in cardiology while creating a tiered mentoring system where we all learn from each other's experiences. Cardiology faculty have enthusiastically supported this group by taking on most of the hosting and trainees appreciate the mentorship as well as the WIC connection to their faculty.

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Women in Ophthalmology at Emory (WOE)
The goal for Women in Ophthalmology at Emory is to bring the women faculty together to promote camaraderie, professional growth and development, mentorship, expansion of professional networks, and an exchange of ideas all in a supportive, open environment. WOE also aims to identify disparities in gender equality and bias through educational programming department wide.

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Women in Winship
The mission of Women in Winship is to address the gender disparities that exist in the academic environment and promote career development for women at the Winship Cancer Institute of Emory University.

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Women in Science at Emory (WISE)
The Women in Science at Emory (WISE) group consists of faculty at all levels from the STEM departments at Emory College. We seek to enhance the success, visibility and stature of women at all levels in science and science education at Emory through advocacy, networking, strategic mentoring, and building a sense of community. Regular meetings provide a venue to accomplish the missions of the group and advance the careers of individuals.