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Dr. Sigman graduated from McGill University Faculty of Medicine in 1957. He trained in general surgery in the McGill Diploma Course, which included a registrarship at the Postgraduate Medical School, (now Imperial College, London), Hammersmith Hospital. He served as Dr. L.D. MacLean's first chief resident in 1962 at the Royal Victoria Hospital. He began his surgical career at the Jewish General Hospital where he became Chief of the Division of General Surgery (1989-2008).

Education has always been his priority and over the years he has served as Director of Surgical Education at the Jewish General Hospital, (1969 - 2002), where he integrated the training of surgical students into the university program. He was Assistant Dean, Medical Education and Student Affairs, McGill University, (1993 - 1997); Chair of the Curriculum Committee of the Association for Surgical Education, (1995 - 1997); Co-Chair of McGill University Institutional Review Board, (2000 - 2015). Dr. Sigman introduced laparoscopic surgery to the Division of General Surgery at the Jewish General Hospital in 1990, where he played an important role in creating a coordinated university program to develop teaching and research in this new field. He became a sexual harassment officer at McGill University in 1998, and was Coordinator of the Sexual Harassment Office (2001-2006). Dr. Sigman is currently Chair of the Professionalism and Learning Environment Committee of the Faculty of Medicine. He was recently named Associate Medical Examiner at the Jewish General Hospital. He was a recipient of the Governor General Queen's Silver Jubilee Medal. He received the McGill University, Department of Surgery Residents' Award for Excellence in Teaching. He was named to the Faculty Honour List for Educational Excellence in its inaugural year. He was the recipient in 2017 of the L.D. MacLean Distinguished Achievement Award for Outstanding Contributions to the McGill University Department of Surgery.

This lecture, recognizing Dr. Sigman's life-long commitment to education, was established to enhance the Surgical Education Program at the Jewish General Hospital and McGill University.

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**DR. KAREN D. HORVATH
VISITING PROFESSOR
SEPTEMBER 27-28, 2017**

KAREN D. HORVATH, MD, FACS

Professor of Surgery
Residency Program Director
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University of Washington in Seattle

Karen D. Horvath, MD, FACS

Dr. Karen Horvath is a Professor of Surgery, Residency Program Director and Associate Chair for Education at the University of Washington in Seattle. She joined the University of Washington School of Medicine faculty in 1998. Dr. Horvath completed her residency training at Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons. Her training included a research fellowship in laparoscopic and colorectal surgery at Columbia's Blakemore Laboratory. She also completed a clinical fellowship in surgical critical care at Mt. Sinai Hospital and a laparoscopic surgery fellowship at Oregon Health Sciences University. Her main areas of clinical focus include necrotizing pancreatitis and acute care surgery. Her primary research interests are in necrotizing pancreatitis and surgical education innovation. She has over 80 peer-reviewed manuscripts and has served on many national committees in leadership positions. Dr. Horvath is a recipient of the ACGME Parker Palmer Courage to Teach Award and was given the Distinguished Educator Award by the Association for Surgical Education.



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PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2017

Jewish General Hospital - Francine & Charles Larente
Teaching Auditorium (Room A-139)

Resident Academic Half Day

1:00 P.M.

Lunch with visiting professor -
Dr. Karen D. Horvath, residents and staff

1:30 P.M.

"Updates on Necrotizing Pancreatitis"
Dr. Karen D. Horvath

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2017

Jewish General Hospital - Block Amphitheatre
Room B-106

Combined Grand Rounds

(a light breakfast will be served)

7:30 A.M.

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