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## PEARL MEISTER GREENGARD PRIZE

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The Rockefeller University invites you to join us on

**Thursday, November 5, 2009 at 6:30 p.m.**

for the presentation of

# The Pearl Meister Greengard Prize

An International Award Recognizing Outstanding Women in Biomedical Science

2009 RECIPIENT

**Suzanne Cory, Ph.D., F.R.S.**

Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research  
Melbourne, Australia

**Suzanne Cory** is a renowned geneticist and pioneering scientific leader. The first woman to serve as director of Australia's prestigious Walter and Eliza Hall Institute, she held the post from 1996 to July 2009. Research by Dr. Cory has yielded key insights in immunology and cancer biology. She and her colleagues made important contributions to the understanding of antigen receptor assembly in the immune system cells known as B lymphocytes, and helped to elucidate how abnormal chromosome rearrangements can lead to cancer. Dr. Cory and associates have also further broadened the molecular understanding of cancer through studies of cell death mechanisms that normally protect against tumors.

Dr. Cory is a fellow of the Australian Academy of Science, a Companion in the Order of Australia, a foreign member of the U.S. National Academy of Sciences, and a fellow of Great Britain's Royal Society, which awarded her its Royal Medal. She was recently named a Knight of the French Legion of Honor.

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER AND PRESENTER

**Wafaa El-Sadr, M.D., M.P.H.**

*Director*

International Center for AIDS Care and Treatment Programs  
Columbia University  
2008 MacArthur Fellow

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Note: **FACES**—the Female Association of Clinicians, Educators, & Scientists—is sponsoring a discussion with Suzanne Cory at 4:30 p.m. on the afternoon of November 5, in conjunction with the University's *Women & Science* initiative. To register, please email [nan2010@med.cornell.edu](mailto:nan2010@med.cornell.edu).

# RSVP

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5**  
6:30 p.m.

**Caspary Auditorium**  
The Rockefeller University

**FREE ADMISSION**  
Reception to follow

For more information or  
to register for this event,  
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“The discrimination of  
25 years ago is reflected in  
the relatively few women  
at the top today.

I hope to bring more  
attention to the work of  
brilliant women scientists—  
perhaps this will bring them  
further recognition, and  
even a Nobel.”

—Paul Greengard

Dr. Greengard, Nobel laureate  
and Vincent Astor Professor  
at The Rockefeller University,  
established the Pearl Meister  
Greengard Prize in memory  
of his mother.