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The Rockefeller University
Centennial History Conference

Creating a Tradition
of
Biomedical Research

November 13-14, 2000
The Rockefeller University
1230 York Avenue at 66th Street, New York City
Caspary Auditorium



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13 8:45-9:15
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Welcome

Arnold J. Levine, President, The Rockefeller University
Darwin Stapleton, Director, Rockefeller Archive Center

The Idea of a Great Research Institution

The New Image of Medical Progress in America, 1880-1900, Bert Hansen, Baruch College, City University of New York

John D. Rockefeller's Great Idea, Ron Chernow, author of *Titan: The Life of John D. Rockefeller Sr.*

Junior Did It: The Role of John D. Rockefeller Jr. in the Forming of the University, Peter J. Johnson, co-author of *The Rockefeller Century* and *The Rockefeller Conscience*

The Model of a Modern Biomedical Research Institution: A Century of The Rockefeller
J. Rogers Hollingsworth, University of Wisconsin

The First Fifty Years

Hideyo Noguchi and the Pursuit of Immunity, Aya Takahashi, Iwaki Meisei University, Japan

Herbert S. Gasser and the International Network of Physiologists, Abigail O'Sullivan, Oxford University

Herbert S. Gasser: The Quantum Leap in Neurophysiology, Robert L. Schoenfeld, The Rockefeller University

Innovation in Modern Surgery, Shelley McKellar, University of Toronto

Research in the Hospital of The Rockefeller Institute, Olga Amsterdamska, University of Amsterdam

Centennial Lecture on Science & Society

At the Crossroads of Science: The Future of Medical Research at 68th & York
Antonio Gotto, Dean, Weill Medical College of Cornell University
Arnold J. Levine, President, The Rockefeller University
Herbert Pardes, President, New York-Presbyterian Hospital
Harold Varmus, President, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center

Research and Researchers

Rufus Cole and the Clinical Approach, Jules Hirsch, The Rockefeller University

Paul Alfred Weiss (1898-1989): The Cell Engineer, Sabine Brauckmann, University of Münster

Women Scientists at The Rockefeller Institute: A Collective Biography, Elizabeth Hanson, The Rockefeller University

Origins of Modern Cell Biology at Rockefeller: Cancer Research, New Instruments, New Organizations, and Interdisciplinary Scientists, Carol Moberg, The Rockefeller University

The Rockefeller University and the Molecular Revolution in Biology
Robert Olby, University of Pittsburgh

Issues in the History of The Rockefeller University

Building "A New Type of Body in Which to Grow a Cell": Tissue Culture Technology at The Rockefeller Institute, 1908-1935, Hannah Landecker, Max Planck Institute for the History of Science

Peyton Rous, James Ewing, and the Controversy over the Cause of Cancer, Ton van Helvoort, University of Maastricht

Organized Concern for Animals in the United States, Bernard Unti, American University

Reflections on How Great Science Happened at
The Rockefeller University: A Panel Discussion

Arnold J. Levine, President, Chair
Purnell W. Choppin, President Emeritus, Howard Hughes Medical Institute
James E. Darnell Jr., Head of the Laboratory of Molecular Cell Biology
Jules Hirsch, Head of the Laboratory of Human Behavior and Metabolism

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Images clockwise from top: Donald D. Van Slyke's laboratory, c. 1923
John D. Rockefeller Sr. (left) and John D. Rockefeller Jr. (right) on Fifth Avenue, c. 1921
Simon Flexner (standing), Director of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, 1902-1935,
and Frederick T. Gates (seated), who first conceived of the Institute, c. 1910
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