

# The 21st Century Scientist: Skills for Success



## 96th Annual Graduate Women in Science National Conference: June 17th, 2017

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### Agenda

- 8:00-9:00am Registration and Breakfast  
9:00-9:30am Welcome Address  
Dr. Stacey Kigar, 2016-2017 GWIS National President  
Dr. Michelle Booze, 2016-2017 President Eastern South Dakota Chapter  
Dr. David Pearce, Executive VP of Sanford Research
- 9:30-10:30am Dr. Isaiah Hankel, Founder of the Cheeky Scientist
- 10:30-11:00am Networking with Exhibitors & Coffee Break
- 11:00-12:00pm Dr. Elizabeth Travis, Associate VP of Women Faculty Programs, MD Anderson  
Co-sponsored by WIMS of the University of South Dakota Medical School
- 12:00-1:15pm Lunch & Silent Auction
- 1:15-2:15pm Dr. Amy Elliot, Director of Center for Health Outcomes & Population Research
- 2:15-3:30pm Networking with Exhibitors  
Scientific Poster Session
- 3:30-4:50pm Panel Discussion, Essential Skills for Landing the Career You Want
- 4:50-5:00pm Farewell Address  
Dr. Michelle Booze, 2017-2018 GWIS National President
- 5:00-6:00pm Networking with Exhibitors & Hors d'Oeuvres
- 6:00-10:00pm Banquet & Silent Auction
- 7:15-8:15pm Rebecca Johnson, Science Writer and Author

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### Featured Speakers:



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The Cheeky Scientist



**Dr. Elizabeth Travis**  
Associate VP  
Women's Faculty Programs  
MD Anderson Cancer Center



**Dr. Amy Elliott**  
Director  
Center for Health  
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### Banquet Speaker:



**Rebecca Johnson**  
Science Writer

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