

Maine Medical Association 157th Annual Session
LIFE TRANSITIONS: For Patients, Families and Communities
September 10 - 12, 2010

The Maine Medical Association is excited to bring Annual Session attendees to the world-renowned Jackson Laboratory in Bar Harbor for one of the Association's most exciting Annual Sessions in several years.

The meeting will begin at 1:00pm Friday afternoon at the Jackson Laboratory. After the opening presentation, attendees will pick one of five different tours of the lab featuring topics such as Genetic Resources; Research Tools: Imaging Sciences; Reproductive Sciences; Cryopreservation; Resource Sharing: A Look Inside JAX Mice & Services Breeding/Shipping Process; Computational Biology: Using Data to Speed Up Research. Following the tours with leading researchers in each subject area, our opening night reception will be at the Laboratory.

On Saturday morning, the annual business meeting will be held at the Bar Harbor Club adjacent to the Harborside, and will include the traditional recognition of members who this year are celebrating the 50th anniversary of their medical school graduation. Saturday afternoon will feature "Transitions in Health - Transitions in Care," moderated by Laurel Coleman, MD. On Saturday evening, MMA President David McDermott, MD, MPH will pass the gavel to Jo Linder, MD, FACEP, and the Mary Cushman Award for Humanitarian Service will be presented along with other recognition awards.

Sunday morning will be our public health day, starting with the annual road race, followed by a CME session featuring a forum with Maine's gubernatorial candidates. ***We hope you'll be able to join us!***

The Jackson Laboratory is an independent, nonprofit organization focusing on mammalian genetics research to advance human health. Its more than 1,400 employees include research groups in six major areas: **Cancers, Computational Biology and Bioinformatics, Developmental and Reproductive Biology, Immunology, Metabolic Diseases, and Neurobiology.**

The Jackson Laboratory is an NCI-designated Cancer Center, whose goal is to understand the fundamental mechanisms of cancer initiation and progression in the context of mouse biology and genomics. The Lab is also home to the Center for Genome Dynamics, the Jackson Aging Center, the Institute for Molecular Biophysics, and the Maine Institute for Human Genetics & Health.



The Harborside Hotel & Marina is the premier resort facility in Bar Harbor, Maine. Nestled in downtown Bar Harbor, and just moments away from Acadia National Park, the Harborside offers breathtaking views of Frenchman's Bay and the ocean beyond.

The Harborside is a non-smoking facility (*Please note any reservations received after the cut-off date of August 10, 2010 will be based on availability and may also be subject to the prevailing hotel room rate.*) A deposit equal to one night's room rate or credit card number is required to hold your reservation. Uncanceled rooms and early departures will result in forfeiture of the paid deposit. Check in time is 4:00 PM; Check out time is 11:00 AM.



Cancellation/Refunds

If you must cancel, please notify us by phone or fax. Conference registration fee, less a \$25 administrative fee, will be refunded if notice of cancellation is received prior to 3 p.m. on September 3, 2010. No refunds will be granted after September 3.

Americans With Disabilities Act

The Maine Medical Association and the Harborside Hotel comply fully with ADA rules and regulations. Please notify us if you have special needs.

Alternate Accommodations

For a list of accommodations in Bar Harbor, contact MMA, 207-622-3374.

Accreditation/Credits

AMA Designation Statement The Maine Medical Education Trust designates this activity for a maximum of 6.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)TM. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

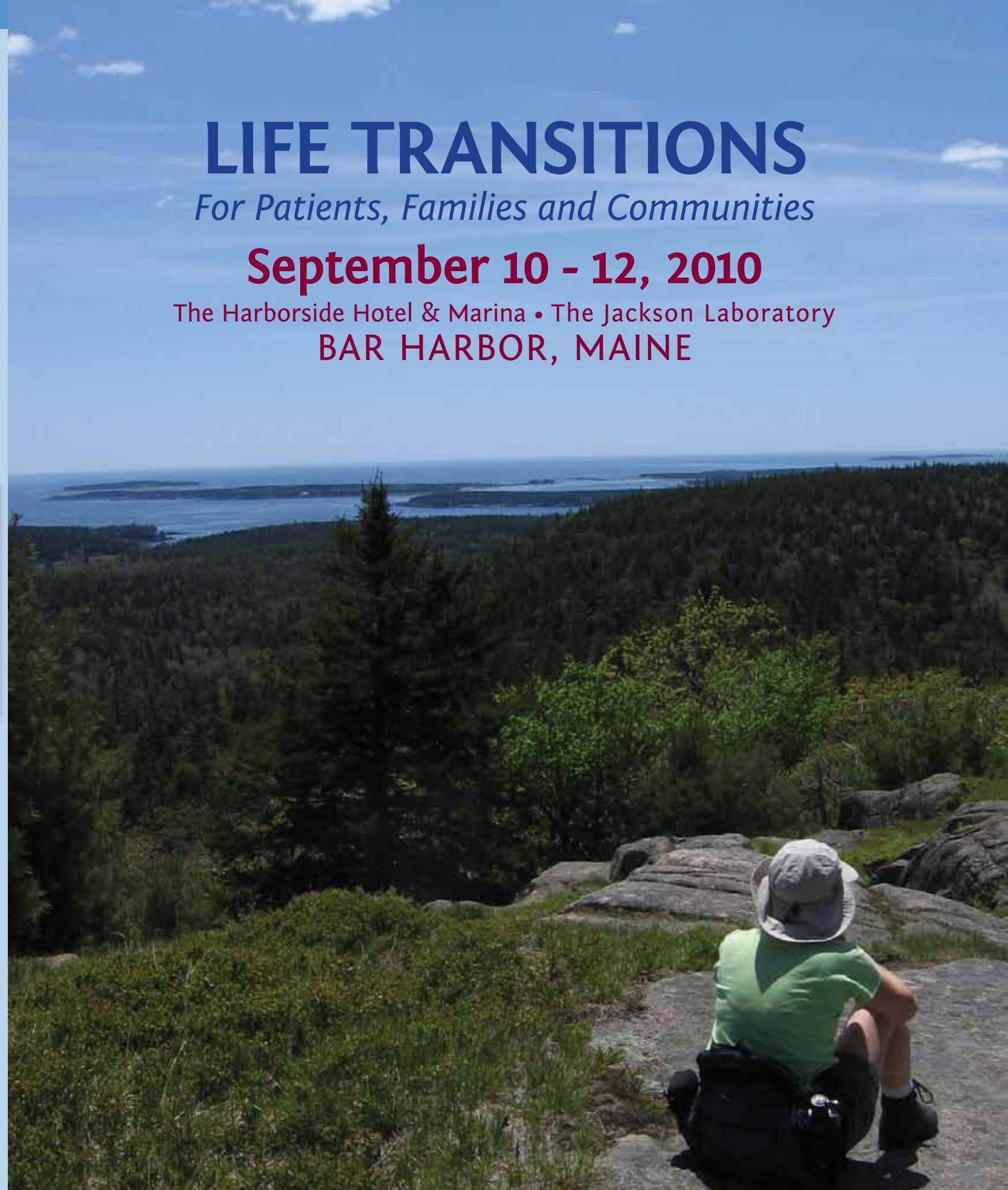
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Agenda

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 10

10:00am Executive Committee (@Harborside Hotel)

1:00pm **TRANSLATING RESEARCH: LIFE TRANSITIONS FOR CLINICIANS, PATIENTS & FAMILIES**
Jeffrey Dunn, MD & Lisa Letourneau, MD - Moderators

1:00 **OPENING KEYNOTE**
Genetics and Data: Leading the Search for Tomorrow's Cure
Richard P. Woychick, PhD

1:40 **Understanding Osteoporosis**
1:40 Scientist: Cheryl Ackert-Bicknell, PhD
2:00 Clinicians: Dan Spratt, MD and Kathleen Ober, MD

2:40 **BREAK**

3:00 **Cancer and Aging**
3:00 Scientist: Rick Maser, PhD
3:20 Clinician: Sue Meisfeldt, MD

3:40 **BREAK**

4:00 **TOURS: Jackson Labs**

5:30pm **OPENING RECEPTION**
Sponsored by Harvard Pilgrim Healthcare & RBC Wealth Management

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 11

7:00am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

7:30 MMA General Session

10:30 50-year pin presentation

11:30 **Break in Exhibit Hall**

12pm Luncheon (meal ticket required)
1:00 **TRANSITIONS IN HEALTH - TRANSITIONS IN CARE**
Laurel Coleman, MD - Moderator
This session will highlight some of the challenges faced by patients and healthcare providers when health status changes. This often necessitates a change in the site of care and presenters will focus on three separate efforts in Maine to improve patient outcomes.
POLST Elizabeth Hart, MD
Inpatient Palliative Care Teams in Maine Bruce Condit, MD
Efforts to Improve Outcomes when Patients Move Site to Site in the Healthcare System Joel Botler, MD

3:00 **Break in Exhibit Hall**

3:30 Panel Presentation on Saving for Education, Catastrophic Events & Retirement

5:30 President's Reception

7:00 MMA Annual Awards Banquet
President David McDermott, MD, MPH;
Incoming President Jo Linder, MD;
Immediate Past President Stephanie Lash, MD

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 12

7:00 am 30th Annual Edmund Hardy, MD Road Race
Sponsored by Medical Mutual Insurance Company

8:00 Brunch

8:30 **TRANSITIONS IN LEADERSHIP**
2010 Gubernatorial Candidates Public Health Forum
Jo Linder, MD - Moderator

10:00 Closing Remarks and Road Race Awards

Faculty



Cheryl Ackert-Bicknell, PhD, Jackson Laboratory
Dr. Ackert-Bicknell is a postdoctoral fellow at The Jackson Laboratory. Dr. Ackert-Bicknell studies the genetic regulation bone mass with a particular focus on how fat, both dietary fat and endogenous marrow derived adipocytes, interact with bone to impact on bone acquisition. Osteoporosis is a highly genetically regulated disease.



Laurel Coleman, MD
Dr. Coleman is a Geriatrician and attending physician at Maine Medical Center's Geriatric Clinic and on CMMC's inpatient Palliative Care Team.



Jeffrey Dunn, MD, MBA, FACS
Dr. Dunn was most recently Senior National Medical Director for VHA. Prior, he served as Chief Medical Officer for Meridian Health System, and President of Meridian's Ocean Medical Center. Dr. Dunn was also Professor and Chief of Pediatric Cardiac Surgery at Temple University and St. Christopher's Hospital for Children in Philadelphia.



Lisa Letourneau, MD, MPH
Dr. Lisa Letourneau serves as the Executive Director of Quality Counts, a regional healthcare collaborative. Dr. Letourneau practiced emergency medicine for 7 years before beginning her work in clinical quality improvement. She went on to receive her Masters in Public Health from the Harvard School of Public Health and served for 8 years as the Senior Director of Clinical Integration for MaineHealth.



Jo Linder, MD, MMA Program Chair
Dr. Linder currently serves as MMA President-elect. She is board-certified in Emergency Medicine and Director of the Division of Community & Preventive Medicine at Maine Medical Center. She received her medical degree from the University of Iowa.



Rick Maser, PhD, Jackson Laboratory
Dr. Maser has co-authored more than 20 publications and is co-holder of three patents involving DNA repair mechanisms. Among his honors is a Damon Runyon Cancer Research Foundation fellowship, awarded to "extraordinary young scientists across the nation who are committed to discovering the causes and cures for cancer."



Susan Meisfeldt, MD
Dr. Susan Miesfeldt was an Associate Professor and Director of the Cancer Genetics Clinic at the University of Virginia's Health Sciences Center, and since 1997, has been a member of the NIH's Cancer Genetics Studies Consortium. Presently, she serves as the Medical Director for the Cancer Risk and Prevention Program at Maine Medical Center.



Kathleen Ober, MD
Dr. Kathleen Ober is a Fellow of the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology, holds a Masters of Medical Management, and is a member of the American College of Physician Executives. Dr. Ober, an experienced surgeon, was recently named Chief Medical Officer at the Blue Hill Memorial Hospital. She will hold this position while continuing to grow her practice at Blue Hill Women's Health Care.



Dan Spratt, MD
Dr. Spratt is the Director of the Division of Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility in the Department of Ob/Gyn at Maine Medical Center, and Professor of Medicine on the part-time faculty of the University of Vermont Medical School. He heads the Endocrine Research Program at MMCRI, and is incoming chair of MMC's Clinical Research Advisory Board.



Richard P. Woychik, Ph.D.
President and CEO, Jackson Laboratory
A world-renowned geneticist with a background in both academia and industry, Rick Woychik came to The Jackson Laboratory in 2002, but his deep connections to the Laboratory began nearly two decades ago. Dr. Woychik's wide-ranging research interests include the molecular genetics of obesity and insulin-dependent diabetes, hearing loss and polycystic kidney disease.

County & Specialty Meetings

(ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

SATURDAY

Maine Society of Orthopedic Surgeons
Penobscot County Medical Society
Maine Society of Anesthesiologists
Maine Urological Association

Harborside Hotel Reservation Form

Please read carefully and complete this form for your room reservation. Use one form per room/person and mail or fax to the Harborside Hotel & Marina at 207-347-7997 by August 10, 2010. Special requests will be given consideration, but not guaranteed.

Meeting Name: Maine Medical Association Annual Session

Event Dates: Friday, September 10 through Sunday, September 12, 2010

Deadline: The Harborside Hotel & Marina Sales Office must receive all reservations by Tuesday, August 10, 2010. Advance deposit is required to confirm your reservation. Uncanceled rooms and early departures will result in forfeiture of the paid deposit. *Check-in is after 4:00 PM and checkout is by 11:00 AM.*

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Tel: _____
Arrival: ___/___/___ Departure: ___/___/___

Room Type: Rates are based on single or double occupancy. Room rates are subject to applicable taxes (currently 7%) per room, per night.

Sunset View King/Double \$189 Deluxe Island View \$215 Deluxe Ocean Front \$235
 Premium Island View \$245 (King only) Premium Ocean Front \$265 (King only)

Payment: VISA MC Discover AMEX Diners Club

Credit Card #: _____ Exp: _____
Cardholder Name: _____ Signature: _____

*You have until 72 hours prior to the date of your arrival to cancel your reservation without being charged. **Childcare is available.** Please call 1.800.328.5033 for details.*

Fax or mail completed form to:

Harborside Hotel and Marina, 123 Eden Street Bar Harbor, ME 04609
Fax: 207-347-7997 • <http://www.theharborsidehotel.com/> • Phone: 1-800-328-5033

MMA 157th Annual Session Conference Registration Form (please print)

Name _____
First MI Last Title
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Tel _____ Fax _____ E-mail _____
(Required for registration confirmation)
Spouse/Guest name _____ Children _____

Conference Fees	
CME credits listed in parentheses	
Full Conference (Fri-Sun)	\$195 x _____
Friday only (3.0)	\$105 x _____
Saturday only (2.0)	\$85 x _____
Sunday only (1.5)	\$50 x _____
Total	\$ _____

Conference Meals			
	Adults	Children (under 12)	Totals
Sat. Lunch	\$35 x _____	\$10 x _____	\$ _____
Sat. Banquet	\$50* x _____	\$25 x _____	\$ _____
Sun. Brunch	\$0 x _____	\$0 x _____	No Charge
*Please note if vegetarian option requested _____			Total: \$ _____

Total Due (Fees + Meals) \$ _____

Payment enclosed Checks payable to: Maine Medical Association

Visa MasterCard CC # _____ Exp. _____
Cardholder Name _____
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Mail or fax registration form with payment to: Maine Medical Association, P.O. Box 190, Manchester, ME 04351
Ph: 207.622.3374 Fax: 207.622.3332 or **register online at www.mainemed.com**