

iJOBS Workshop: Medical Affairs Simulation

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Dr. Paul Weber's healthcare career spans nearly four decades including 25 years in the Pharmaceutical and Biotech industries. He is presently Associate Dean-Continuing Medical Education at Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson (RWJMS) and New Jersey Medical Schools (NJMS). Concurrently, Dr. Weber is the Director of the four-year Health Systems Science Curriculum Thread at Rutgers RWJMS. He recently was named as Director, *Medical Innovation and Entrepreneurship* Distinction Program at RWJMS. He also is the Faculty Advisor for the RWJMS Biomedical Entrepreneurship Network (BEN) Student Interest Group. In addition, he co-chairs a culture change initiative (Charter on Professionalism for Healthcare Systems) within Rutgers.

Dr. Weber actively teaches health professions students predominantly in Medicine and Pharmacy in experiential clinical (including bedside), corporate, small group, interprofessional, and lecture settings. In 2016, he was named a Volunteer Faculty Teacher of the Year in the Department of Medicine at RWJMS for the second time in his career. Previously at Rutgers, Dr. Weber served as the Co-chair of the Interprofessional Subcommittee on Case-based Learning and an Interprofessional Education (IPE) Facilitator. He was the Faculty Advisor for a PharmD Fellow/P3 Student team that received a prestigious *Global Advancement and International Affairs (GAIA)* Grant during its "Global Urbanism" theme cycle through the RBHS Chancellor's Office resulting, in partnership with the Rutgers Institute for Pharmaceutical Industry (RIPIF) Fellowships, in a Fall 2015 Symposium and Panel on *Medication Access in Urban Settings* and an abstract submission. Further, he has assisted with the development and launch of the new MD Fellowship Program at the Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy's RIPIF.

His scholarly interests include Innovation in Medical Education, Health Systems Science, the Opioid Epidemic, and the Application of Technology in Medical and Pharmacy Practice. Since late 2014, six peer-review abstract submissions and five poster displays at Scientific and Clinical

Congresses have resulted from his collaborative work with the PharmD Fellows and P4 Students.

Immediately prior to his full-time Rutgers responsibilities, Dr. Weber was Celgene Corporation's Executive Director, Global Professional Advocacy and Policy. At Celgene, Dr. Weber also was the Global Medical Affairs Leader for Thoracic Oncology where he led the Medical Affairs US Launch effort for Abraxane in Non-small Cell Lung Cancer and Co-chaired in China a Lung Cancer Advisory Board Meeting. He also served as the Medical Affairs point person for internal solid tumor pipeline agents and Lymphoma Medical Affairs Disease Lead while initially building and co-leading Celgene's new Solid Tumor division with Global Medical Affairs.

Over his 25 years in the Pharmaceutical and Biotech industries, Dr. Weber held line management and matrix team leadership roles at PTC Therapeutics, Roche, Schering-Plough (now Merck), and Medicis (now Valeant) that have encompassed Clinical R&D, Medical/Scientific Liaisons, Medical Information, Continuing Medical Education, Scientific Communications, Medical Marketing, and Evidence Based Medicine with predominant therapeutic area experience in Oncology/Hematology, HIV/AIDS, Rare Diseases, and Dermatology. He was the physician leader for the US commercial launches of seven HIV/AIDS and Hematology/Oncology products. He also has had Managed Care and Pharmaceutical Advertising experience. He remains actively licensed in Pharmacy and Medicine.

In his career, Dr. Weber has mentored dozens of students, fellows, and residents and coached health professions colleagues through career transitions. He also is an avid endurance athlete having completed 60 marathons including 10 Ironman distance triathlons, numerous long distance open water swims and bicycle events, and the Empire State Building stair climb while volunteering for over a decade as an ocean lifeguard for triathletes, novice swimmers, and an experienced swimmer recovering from Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI).