

# Henry and Sylvia WONG FORUM IN MEDICINE

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3rd Annual DAY in FACULTY DEVELOPMENT 2010

## Dawdle or Remodel: Health Sciences Education and the Interprofessional Future

*Prof. Steven Lewis*

### Abstract

Our history of innovation will become irrelevant if change does not occur faster and the faculty changes both what it teaches and what it models. Professional schools and applied disciplines need to look both backwards (more historical awareness) and forwards (anticipate where healthcare needs to go and adjust accordingly).

1. The healthcare system will not be sustainable on quality, efficiency and effectiveness grounds if the workforce isn't fundamentally reorganized.
2. IPE and IPC are not fads of the month, but are the equivalent of globalization.
3. Employers and governments will look elsewhere to prepare the workforce if post-secondary institutions, and especially universities lag a decade behind.

## Team Collaboration in Space: a model for healthcare education

*Dr. Dave Williams*

Explore the concept of TEAM as learned from the aerospace industry and how to apply those lessons to healthcare to improve patient safety and quality outcomes.

### Wednesday, April 28, 2010

4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. (please be on time)

### MDCL - 3020

(Michael G. DeGroot Centre for Learning & Discovery,  
McMaster University)

Reception to follow, outside MDCL - 3020 – All Welcome

### Moderator



**Dr. Patty Solomon**

Professor, School of Rehabilitation Science,  
Faculty of Health Sciences,  
McMaster University

Director, PIPER (Program for Interprofessional, Practice, Education & Research)

### Guest Speakers

Steven Lewis is a health policy and research consultant based in Saskatoon, and Adjunct Professor of Health Policy at the University of Calgary and Simon Fraser University. Prior to resuming a full-time consulting practice, he headed a health research granting agency and spent 7 years as CEO of the Health Services Utilization and Research Commission in Saskatchewan. He writes frequently on topics such as reforming and strengthening medicare, improving healthcare quality, primary healthcare, regionalization, and health policy and politics.



**Prof. Steven Lewis**



**Dr. Dave Williams**

Professor, General Surgery,  
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One of the most accomplished astronauts ever to participate in the NASA space program. He has two space shuttle missions under his belt and also holds the Canadian record for spacewalks. He is also one of the very few people who has lived in both space and underwater.



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