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9th Annual DAY in FACULTY DEVELOPMENT 2016

Health Care Professionals as Advocates: Lessons from the Trenches

Abstract

Learn from McMaster graduate Dr. Samantha Nutt about the role of health care professionals as advocates. In this compelling, hour-long presentation, Dr. Nutt will share some of her experiences advocating for women and children living with war. She will candidly discuss the opportunities and setbacks she encountered while trying to lead changes in the field of global health, and provide tips for overcoming hurdles along the way.

Learning objectives:

- To explore the scope and relevance of advocacy in Healthcare
- To discuss lessons learned from personal and professional experience
- To learn how to effectively advocate

Wednesday, May 4, 2016

4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. (please be on time)

Reception to follow - All Welcome

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(David Braley Health Sciences Centre,
100 Main St. W. (corner of Main & Bay))

Guest Speaker



Dr. Samantha Nutt

Founder and Executive Director of
War Child Canada

Dr. Nutt, a two-time McMaster alumna, graduated from the Arts & Science Program in 1991 and became a Doctor of Medicine in 1994. She was recently named one of Canada's 25 most influential figures by *The Globe and Mail*, and *Time Magazine* named her one of Canada's Five Leading Activists.

In addition to overseeing War Child, Dr. Nutt is a staff physician at Women's College Hospital in Toronto, and an Assistant Professor of Medicine at the University of Toronto. She is also author of the bestselling book *Damned Nations*, a distillation of her observation from providing hands-on care in some of the world's most violent flashpoints.



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