

LPA Spring Meeting to be held April 27-28 in Boston, MA

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April 5, 2016 (Fairfax, VA) – The Laboratory Products Association (LPA) will hold its annual **Spring Meeting** this April 27-28 at the Fairmont Copley Plaza in Boston, Massachusetts.

The program will feature medical futurist Dr. Bertalan Meskó, who will open with his presentation on *The Future of Medicine*. After a short break, members will learn more about corporate wellness with **Nancie Copeland**, founder of Live the GoodLife., and a **Seeding Labs** representative will be present to discuss ways to donate older or unwanted equipment to those in need or otherwise get involved with this charity.

After a networking lunch, **Bill Kelly**, President of BioInformatics, will present *Digital Marketing to Scientists: Creating Digital Loyalty*. **K.C. Warawa**, of K.C. & Associates, will present the 2016 Laboratory Purchasing Trends Report and eCommerce Report.

On Thursday morning, **Regina Au** will present *Challenges, Trends and Opportunities in the Pharma/Biotech Industry*. Closing this year's Spring Meeting is **Dr. Natalie Stavas**, an avid runner and inspirational children's physician who saved lives during the bombing of the Boston Marathon, will present "*Running Towards Chaos*".

This meeting promises to be well-rounded and valuable to all who attend. Besides the educational opportunities, there will also be a happy hour at Harpoon Brewery the night before the meeting begins, as well as an outing to Fenway Park to see the Boston Red Sox play the Atlanta Braves.

The Fairmont Copley Plaza is a 1912 grande dame in historic Back Bay that overlooks Copley Square. Reserve your room by calling today, (617) 267-5300 and mention the LPA Spring Meeting. Room rates are \$299 and in effect until April 10. For more details on the program, schedule, and to register, go to www.lpanet.org/spring.

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