

SPRING 2017



Mini Medical School for the Public

Thursdays, April 27 – June 8, 2017 (No Session - May 4)

CONVERSATIONS WITH UCSF AUTHORS: INSPIRATION AND EXPERTISE

7:00 - 8:30 pm • UCSF's Parnassus Campus • 513 Parnassus Ave • School of Nursing Bldg • Room 217 • Course #MLL17023
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COURSE CHAIR

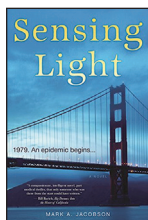
Robert B. Baron, MD, MS

Director, UCSF Osher Mini Medical School for the Public;
Professor of Medicine; Associate Dean, Graduate and
Continuing Medical Education

COURSE DESCRIPTION

What makes a world-class physician or scientist decide to write a book for the wide world of readers? Where do they find the inspiration and the time? What do they hope to accomplish? How do the satisfactions of writing compare to practicing medicine or writing scholarly articles?

LECTURE SCHEDULE

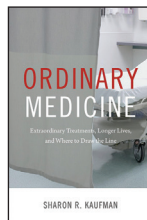


April 27, 2017

Author: **Mark Jacobson, MD**
Professor of Medicine, Emeritus (Active),
Division of HIV, Infectious Diseases, and
Global Medicine
University of California, San Francisco

Book in Discussion: **Sensing Light**

Interviewer: **Susa Coffey, MD**
Professor of Medicine, Division of HIV,
Infectious Diseases, and Global Medicine
University of California San Francisco

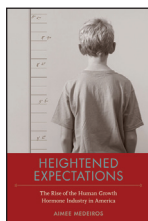


May 25, 2017

Author: **Sharon Kaufman, PhD**
Chair, Department of Anthropology,
History and Social Medicine
University of California, San Francisco

Book in Discussion: **Ordinary Medicine:
Extraordinary Treatments, Longer Lives and
Where to Draw the Line**

Interviewer: **Dawn M. Gross, MD, PhD, FAAHPM**
Attending Physician UCSF Palliative Care Service
University of California, San Francisco
Writer and radio host of Dying To Talk on 91.7 FM
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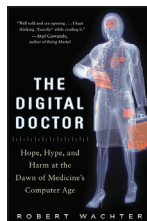


May 11, 2017

Author: **Aimee Medeiros, PhD**
Assistant Professor, Department of
Anthropology, History, and Social Medicine
University of California, San Francisco

Book in Discussion: **Heightened
Expectations: The Rise of the Human
Growth Hormone Industry in America**

Interviewer: **Elena Conis, PhD**
Writer and historian of medicine, public health,
and the environment. Professor of Journalism,
University of California, Berkeley

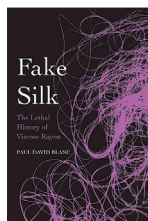


June 1, 2017

Author: **Robert M. Wachter, MD**
Professor and Chair, Department of Medicine
Holly Smith Distinguished Professor in Science
and Medicine, Marc and Lynne Benioff
Endowed Chair
University of California, San Francisco

Book in Discussion: **The Digital Doctor: Hope,
Hype and Harm at the Dawn of Medicine's
Computer Age**

Interviewer: **Katie Hafner**
New York Times journalist and author

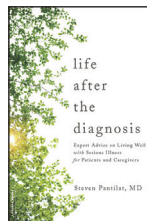


May 18, 2017

Author: **Paul D. Blanc, MD, MSPH**
Professor of Medicine, Endowed Chair
and Division Chief, Occupational and
Environmental Medicine
University of California, San Francisco

Book in Discussion: **Fake Silk: The Lethal
History of Viscose Rayon** (Yale University
Press, 2016)

Interviewer: **Professor Peter Stansky, PhD**
Frances and Charles Field Professor of
History, Emeritus Stanford University,
Stanford, CA



June 8, 2017

Author: **Steven Pantilat, MD**
Professor of Medicine, Kates-Burnard and
Hellman Distinguished Professor in Palliative
Care; Director, UCSF Palliative Care Program
University of California, San Francisco

Book in Discussion: **Life After the Diagnosis:
Expert Advice on Living Well with Serious
Illness for Patients and Caregivers**

Interviewer: **Katie Hafner**
New York Times journalist and author



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