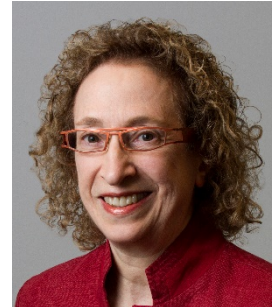




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Martha S. Linet is Forty-Sixth L.S. Taylor Lecturer

Dr. Martha S. Linet has been selected to give the 46th Lauriston S. Taylor Lecture at the 2023 Annual Meeting of the National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP). The Lecture, entitled “Cancer Risks and Public Health Issues Across the Radiation Frequency Spectrum: The Long and the Short of It,” will be the featured presentation at the 59th Annual Meeting to be held on March 27-28, 2023 at the Hyatt Regency Bethesda, Bethesda, Maryland. The Lecture will be given at 5:00 p.m. on March 27, 2023. The lecture series honors the late Dr. Lauriston S. Taylor, NCRP Founding President (1929 to 1977) and President Emeritus (1977 to 2004).



Dr. Linet received her BA from Brandeis University, MD from Tufts University, School of Medicine, completed a residency in internal Medicine at Montefiore Hospital in New York, and received an MPH and post-doctoral epidemiology training at the Johns Hopkins School of Public Health.

Currently, Dr. Linet is a National Institutes of Health Scientist Emerita and Special Volunteer in the Radiation Epidemiology Branch of the National Cancer Institute (NCI) where she was Branch Chief (2002 to 2014) and Senior Investigator (1996 to 2019). Dr. Linet has authored/coauthored over 400 peer-reviewed journal articles and numerous reviews and commentaries on cancer risks associated with ionizing and nonionizing radiation and on risk factors for hematopoietic neoplasms and brain tumors. She has mentored and/or supervised over 40 pre-/post-doctoral fellows. Her many awards include election to the Johns Hopkins Society of Scholars and to the American Epidemiological Society and receipt of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Career Achievement Award.

Dr. Linet was elected to the Council in 2010 and became a Distinguished Emeritus Member in 2016. She currently serves on Scientific Committee (SC) 8-1 on Development of NCRP Informational Webpages to Provide Authoritative Information About the Use of Wireless Technology and Current Evidence on Health Effects. She was a member of SC 4-4 on Risks of Ionizing Radiation to the Developing Embryo, Fetus and Nursing Infant and a co-author of NCRP Report No. 174. *Preconception and Prenatal Exposure: Health Effects and Protective Guidance* (2013).

Dr. Linet served on the Nuclear and Radiation Studies Board of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine during 2011 to 2017. She was a member of the Board of Directors and President of the American College of Epidemiology. She serves on the editorial board of the *Journal of NCI* and previously served on the *American Journal of Epidemiology* editorial board.

The theme of the 2023 NCRP Annual Meeting is “Integration of Physics, Biology and Epidemiology in Radiation Risk Assessment.” The L.S. Taylor Lecture and other sessions of the 2023 Annual Meeting are open to everyone with an interest in radiation protection, measurements, health and science.

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