



HOPE FOR DEPRESSION
RESEARCH FOUNDATION

2010 PALM BEACH SCIENTIFIC SEMINAR

Seminar

10:00am-11:45am

Buffet Brunch

11:45am-1:00pm (not seated)

Silver Level—Group Meeting

(Magnolia Room)

11:45am-12:15pm

Gold Level—Individual Discussions

(Gulf Stream Rooms)

12:30pm

Friday, March 19th, 2010

The Breakers, Palm Beach

PROGRAM

Audrey Gruss

HDRF Founder & Chairman

Welcome & Introduction

Felicia Taylor

*CNN Correspondent,
HDRF Broadcast Media Advisor*

Depression in the News

David H. Brendel, M.D., Ph.D.

*Assistant Professor of Psychiatry,
Harvard Medical School*

How to Recognize Depression and its Related Mood and Emotional Disorders

Harold W. Koenigsberg, M.D.

*Professor of Psychiatry,
Mount Sinai School of Medicine,
HDRF Board Member*

The Current State of Depression Treatment and New Possibilities

Laura A. De Luca, M.D.

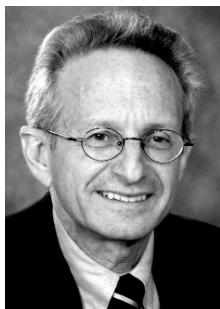
*Psychiatrist
Palm Beach, FL*

Observations from a Private Practice

Q&A Session after each Presentation



David Brendel, M.D., Ph.D. is Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School and Associate Medical Director of the Pavilion residential evaluation and treatment program at McLean Hospital in Belmont, MA. He specializes in psychotherapy and psychopharmacologic management of severe, complex mood and anxiety disorders. He chairs the McLean Hospital institutional review board (IRB), which performs ethical and regulatory review of all psychiatric research studies at McLean that involve human participants. He also serves as Deputy Editor of the *Harvard Review of Psychiatry*. Dr. Brendel earned his M.D. at Harvard Medical School and his Ph.D. at the University of Chicago. His book, *Healing Psychiatry: Bridging the Science/Humanism Divide*, was published by the MIT Press in 2006.



Harold W. Koenigsberg, M.D. is Professor of Psychiatry at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine in New York City. He is known internationally for his work on mood and personality disorders and is an author of two books in this area, one of which has been published in seven languages. He has published widely on the neurobiology, psychological and pharmacological treatment of personality disorders and on the psychobiology of depression, schizotypal personality disorder and anxiety disorders. He is a Distinguished Life Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association, has served on the Task Force on Personality Disorders of the World Federation of Societies of Biological Psychiatry, and serves on the editorial board of the *Journal of Personality Disorders*. His work has been recognized with major grant awards from the National Institute of Mental Health. Dr. Koenigsberg is a Founding Board Member of HDRF.



Laura De Luca, M.D. comes from a family of twelve physicians. She entered private practice after graduating with honors from the LSU-Ocshner Psychiatry Residency Training Program in 2006. She received awards for her innovative coordination and performance in disaster psychiatry during and after Hurricane Katrina. Her practice, Advanced Mental Health Care, Inc. has grown to three office locations in Palm Beach county. Her philosophy, approach and goal is to re-design and advance the practice of psychiatry. Dr. De Luca and her associates were the seventh site in the country to utilize repetitive Trans Cranial Magnetic Stimulation (rTMS.) Currently the practice has two rTMS machines and the best response rates in the country. She specializes in Women's Mental Health and Treatment Resistant Anxiety Disorders.



Felicia Taylor has covered pivotal moments in history including the Gulf War, the stock market crash of 1987, the demise of Long Term Capital Management, the transfer of sovereignty of Hong Kong back to China, the credit crisis, the dot.com boom and the most recent sub-prime mortgage meltdown, amongst many others. Ms. Taylor has provided eyewitness accounts in the field of such disasters as Swissair Flight 111, American Airlines Flight 587, the blackout in 2003 and the UES building explosion in 2006. Ms. Taylor broke the story regarding the extensive abuse of short selling, known as naked shorts in 2004, an incident regarding the manipulation of stocks that is often noted in publications such as *The Wall Street Journal*. Ms. Taylor is a five-time Emmy Nominee for her outstanding coverage of breaking news stories including the 9/11 tragedy.