The James E. Dalen Distinguished Lecture for Health Policy

The endowment for the James E. Dalen Distinguished Lecture for Health Policy supports a series of visiting professors in health policy. These distinguished scholars offer lectures and discussions to our campus community and to the public on local, state, national and international health policy issues and connect the academic world with the “real world” of public health.

Below is a snapshot of past lectures.

2008 Speaker

Julio Frenk, MD, MPH, PhD
Currently the Dean and Professor of Public Health and International Development at the Harvard School of Public Health

Globalization and Health: Risks and Opportunities on Our Common Borders

(L to R): Dean Iman Hakim, Dr. Julio Frenk, Priscilla Dalen, Dr. James Dalen

2009 Speaker

William H. Foege, MD, MPH
Senior Fellow, Global Health Program, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Public-Health Policies Confronting Our Nation and Global Society

(L to R): Dean Iman Hakim, Maxine Henig, Paula Foege, Dr. William Foege, Dr. James Dalen, Priscilla Dalen, Dr. Richard Carmona

2010 Speaker

David U. Himmelstein, MD
Associate Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Chief of the Division of Social and Community Medicine, Cambridge Hospital, Co-founder of Physicians for a National Health Program

National Health Reform

(L to R): Dean Iman Hakim, Dr. David Himmelstein, Dr. James Dalen, Priscilla Dalen

2011 Speaker

Carolyn M. Clancy, MD
Director of the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Trends Shaping the Healthcare Delivery System

(L to R): Dean Iman Hakim, Dr. Carolyn M. Clancy, Dr. James Dalen, Priscilla Dalen, Donna Knight