

The 43rd Annual Milton A. Lunda Memorial Lectureship



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Eileen Bulger, MD, FACS is Professor of Surgery and Chief of the Division of Trauma, Burns, and Critical Care at the University of Washington in Seattle, WA and the Surgeon-in-Chief at Harborview Medical Center. She served as the Chair of the American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma from 2018-2022 and is the current Medical Director for Trauma Programs at the American College of Surgeons. She also served as the President of the American Association for the Surgery of Trauma 2022-2023. Dr. Bulger is a strong advocate for injury prevention and disaster preparedness. She is currently the Chair of the Steering Committee for the National Healthcare Coalition for Firearm Injury Prevention and is a Medical Officer with the NDMS Trauma Critical Care Team. Dr. Bulger also has an active research program. She previously served as co Principal Investigator for trauma with the Resuscitation Outcomes Consortium and as Principal Investigator of the Seattle Crash Injury Research and Engineering center. Her research has been funded by the National Institutes of Health, the National Highway Transportation Administration, and the US Department of Defense. She is currently leading the development of a National Trauma Research Action plan for the United States and serves on the Board for the Coalition for National Trauma Research. Her research interests include resuscitation strategies for hemorrhagic shock, trauma system development, the prehospital triage and management of injured patients, the biomechanics of injury after motor vehicle crashes, modulation of the inflammatory response after injury, optimal management of necrotizing soft tissue infections, and the long-term outcomes of injured patients.

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

7:30 – 8:30 AM CDT

Helfaer Auditorium, Froedtert Hospital

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Milton Lunda joined the family-owned Lunda Construction Company, located in Black River Falls, Wisconsin, in 1954. He became CEO in 1968. Lunda had a long history of supporting trauma-related initiatives, including the Lunda Trauma Award, Visiting Professorship, and an endowed professorship, the Milt & Lidy Lunda/Charles Aprahamian Professorship in Trauma.



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