Hopkins today
DA Henderson
Campus site visit for accreditation
17 Nov 1984

1984 "Hopkins Today 17 Nov."

School – 'best kept secret in Baltimore'
School – 'best known of all JHH Cit. around the world'

Welcome – note ~~5~~ who are alumni –

Effort today to acquaint you with the work of a School whose mission and direction have changed and are changing more rapidly than any other School in the Univ.

Appreciate your coming – we like to do better than to talk about our favorite subject.

Public health – 1920's thru WW II

Inf. diseases –

Sanitation –

Basic nutrition –

Still concerned but many of the advances we now take for granted.

'Drinkable glass of H_2O'

'Typhoid, polio, measles, even tuberculosis

Balanced diet & nutrition – rickets at JHH / McCallum.

Enormous progress + single fact: since 1900, every week, 2 additional days added to lifespan.

If one analyses – why? – primarily as a result of prevention of illness and the promotion of a better quality of life.

1950's through earlier 1970's

The ~~clinical~~ therapeutic revolution – organ transplants / CAT scans / antibiotics

↑ budgets for hospitals / for doctors / for insurance.

~~But~~ benefitted many but concern for ↑ costs and have we really obtained value for $ spent. Not argue this but will argue that for additional $ spent, we can do much more to ensure healthy people living a better quality of life

1979 Second P.H. Revolution –

A return to basics but with added dimensions of disease prev. & HPh. promo.

You are at the heart of that 2nd P.H. Rev.

School size – counter to JH. credo of "small but excellent"

SLIDE – FACULTY

SLIDE – STUDENTS

SLIDE – DOCTORAL STUDENTS

?Strategy – what can & should we do that other schools cannot.

Characteristic – multidisciplining
– professional school

‖ Many areas / focus on 3 major programmatic changes.

- Environmental health sciences – probs. of toxic substances where risks are unknown – need for multidisciplining faculty. (MD, physiologists toxicologists, engineers)

  Adv. Council

  Associates

  Ind. Council for T.H.

  CAAT.

  → COEH
  Ill. – strong lab.
  Unique facility

- Health Policy and Management

  HSRD Ctr.

  Hosp. Fin. & Mgt.

  Phoenix

  ~~HPA~~
  ~~COEH~~

  Significant
  RWJ Fellows
  ~~Robert Graf~~

  U.S. Ctr. for WHO developed countries

  ⌈ Health care costs & financing/access
  Cost of aging
  What are other countries doing
  (problems & MD/economists/lawyers/ethicists)

- Institute for international health programs –

  Problems of developing countries – our problems trade/statistics/migration.
  Problems are not that of one disease or of population or of nutrition. (all interrelated)
  Except in London – no with. HSR ctr. today

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No. of faculty
Congressional Language.

Today 205 students from 84 foreign countries – Institute will expand ability to coordinate and develop programs.

+ Overseas sites – Africa / Asia / Latin America.

+ Short-term training for World Bank, UNICEF, WHO + others.

• All of this depends on measurement

Epidemiology – [illegible], oldest, best in USA – Clinical Division (Mellon)

Biostatistics – " " " " – " " (Mellon)

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MICROCOMPUTER LAB – DIGITAL

Lastly – problems –

Support for P.H. – (SLIDE OF $)

→ Emphasize private support

• Endowment – only $ 1.6 × 10⁶ of total.

• Tuition costs + provision of help from governments.

Need for laboratories + offices – Bldg plans

Need for housing for international students

Need for funds to explore the unknown and unthinkable.

Need for student aid.

[FRONT OF BLDG / ~~BACK OF BLDG~~ / ~~HAMPTON HOUSE~~]

Brief tour – vignettes – Basic science → applied

- Biochem.
- Stress physiology
- Immunology & inf. dis.
- Microcomputer
- CHFM
- CoEH