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March is Women's History Month

It has been almost 20 years since Congress declared March as National Women's History Month. Why not take some time out of your March schedule to highlight the important contributions of women in science:

<http://www.nwhp.org/>

National women's history project

<http://www.astr.ua.edu/4000WS/>

4000 Years of women in science

<http://www.liquidleaf.com/historia/historia.html>

Historical women in science

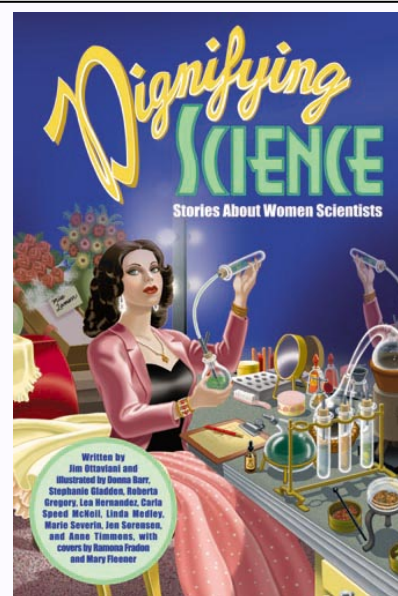
<http://www.factmonster.com/spot/whmbios2.html>

Women's history month – notable female scientists

<http://www.loreal.com/en/ww/loreal-women-in-science/focus-women-in-science.aspx> For women in Science

<http://science-education.nih.gov/women/scientists/index.html>

Women are scientists (resources for teachers)



This comic book features a slightly different perspective on several famous women in science. For example, did you know that legendary screen actress Hedy Lamarr helped to invent and patent the early technology that led to present day cell phones?

<http://www.astr.ua.edu/4000WS/didyouknow.1.html>

It's strange but true science!

Southeast Regional Science Fair

Don't forget that on Saturday March 4th the Southeast Regional Science Fair will take place on the campus of UNCW. If you or someone you know are interested in judging please contact the Science and Mathematics Education Center at (910) 962-3168 or kawczynskib@uncw.edu.



Happy Birthday to the new and improved George Washington



February 22nd is George Washington's birthday. This year America's first president received a very special present – a virtual makeover! Forensic anthropologist Dr. Jeffrey Schwartz of the University of Pittsburgh led the team of scientists and artists who used present day technologies to recreate images of Washington. Check out our new and improved first president:

http://www.sciencentral.com/articles/view.php3?type=article&article_id=218392742

<http://www.sciam.com/article.cfm?chanID=sa006&colID=1&articleID=0000B05E-576C-13CD-976C83414B7F0000>

<http://www.post-gazette.com/pg/05240/561396.stm>