

Rx&D Attracts a Crowd

HBAC's April meeting generated one of our largest attendances ever. The subject of the evening, Rx&D, was certainly a hot topic for our group. We began with a lively networking game that allowed everyone to get to know members and visitors, culminating in introducing each other to the group.

Russell Williams, the president of Rx&D, delivered a stimulating talk on Canada's research-based pharmaceutical companies. This national association represents over 50 research-based pharmaceutical companies in Canada, all of whose primary objective is to discover new medications that improve the quality of health care available for every Canadian.

Mr. Williams debunked many of the myths and misconceptions commonly held about Rx&D and

answered questions about the benefits of having a clear code of conduct with standards for ethically interacting with health-care professionals.

HBAC is a networking group for women in the health-care industry. Our meetings are stimulating, motivating and fun! If you are a woman working in the health-care field, join us to experience our camaraderie and listen to our thought-provoking speakers. Also, mark your calendars for our ever-popular golf tournament, August 16, 2005. [CPM](#)

Our new Web site is up! Visit www.hbac.ca to find out more about us.



Russell Williams, President of Rx&D, and Geneviève Grenier at the April 2005 HBAC meeting.

We're easy to reach!

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Mark your calendars... Upcoming meetings:

August 16, 2005—*Golf Tournament*
 October 6, 2005
 December 1, 2005

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