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Clockwise from top, left: Erna Grasz, Odelle Hadley,
Natasha Yeung, Gina Lamendella

A Conversation with Three Women Lawrence Fellows

moderated by Erna Grasz
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Erna Grasz For more than 20 years, Erna Grasz has led organizations, teams and individuals to success in fast paced, high stress, and results-orientated high-tech environments. These ranged from the semiconductor industry, to Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), where she represented the US State Department as a Science Advisor to Russia and the Ukraine, built class 100 clean rooms, and deployed numerous robot systems for land mine discovery, radioactive waste handling, and bomb removal. She is known as an organizer of chaos and a "turn-around" leader: www.erna-g.com.

Odelle Hadley is a climate scientist and atmospheric chemist studying the impact of black carbon particles on global and regional climate in Berkeley Lab's Environmental Energy Technologies Division.

Natasha Yeung is a post doc characterizing native proteins implicated in iron-sulfur cluster biosynthesis in Life Sciences Division.

Gina Lamendella is exploring molecular microbial ecology approaches to understanding the role of microbes in human health and the environment in Earth Sciences Division.

In tomorrow's world the old formulas are passé. Twenty-year-olds create \$50B companies and our differences are more important than our commonalities.

Today we celebrate a panel of women, each of whom is making a difference and shaping our world in her own, unique way. Come share their stories. Learn from their insights how you too have a unique contribution to make.

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