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### **TCMC President and Dean on HIGHER EDUCATION TODAY**

Scranton, PA –Steven J. Scheinman, MD, President and Dean of The Commonwealth Medical College (TCMC) is currently appearing in an episode of HIGHER EDUCATION TODAY, a Washington, D.C.-based television talk show that connects viewers to contemporary issues, people, and institutions involved in the world of higher education. The show has won four Telly Awards.

HIGHER EDUCATION TODAY is produced by the University of the District of Columbia. The host is educational consultant and author Steven Roy Goodman. Each half-hour episode covers a new education subject. Mr. Goodman an international authority on college and graduate school admissions.

In the half-hour segment, Dr. Scheinman spoke about the history of TCMC and how its community-based approach sets it apart from other medical schools. He described how TCMC's students train largely in outpatient settings and are required to perform 100 hours of community service, and pursue research projects in quality improvement and community health.

The video segment is available on TCMC's website: [www.tcmc.edu](http://www.tcmc.edu)

**Photo caption:** Steven Roy Goodman, host of HIGHER EDUCATION TODAY, interviews Steven J. Scheinman, MD, President and Dean of The Commonwealth Medical College.

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*The Commonwealth Medical College (TCMC) is one of the nation's newest fully-accredited medical colleges. TCMC offers a community-based model of medical education with campuses in Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and Williamsport. TCMC offers a Doctor of Medicine (MD) degree, Master of Biomedical Sciences (MBS) degree, and MD/Master of Public Health (MPH) dual degree. The College's innovative curriculum focused on caring for people in the context of their lives and their community. It educates the next generation of physicians and scientists from*

*within its 17-county region in northeast and north central Pennsylvania as well as from across the state and the nation.*

*The Commonwealth Medical College is committed to non-discrimination in all employment and educational opportunities.*