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William Lindblad began his academic career by obtaining B.S. and M.S. degrees in chemistry from the University of Maine and Cleveland State University respectively. He then went on to obtain a doctoral degree in the Department of Pharmacology & Toxicology at the University of Rhode Island College of Pharmacy, which was awarded in 1980, and where he was also admitted into The Rho Chi Society. For post-doctoral training, Dr. Lindblad moved to the Medical College of Virginia of Virginia Commonwealth University spending 10 years in the Department of Surgery and where he developed a research interest in human tissue repair which continues to this day.

In 1990, he was recruited back into academic pharmacy as an Associate Professor in the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences at Wayne State University where he remained for 16 years. His current academic position is as Professor of Pharmacology in the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences at the Husson University School of Pharmacy. While in this position, he was the inaugural advisor for the establishment of a Rho Chi Society chapter at the School.

Dr. Lindblad has published numerous papers, abstracts, and book chapters dealing with the ability of tissues to respond to injury and how the damage is repaired. Recent studies have focused on the impaired healing response in individuals with diabetes mellitus, particularly the impact of the metabolic disorder on the inflammatory response.