Canadian Society of Transplantation Pediatric Group Newsletter

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## **PEDIATRIC GROUP EXECUTIVE UPDATES**





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### **Upcoming Events**

10th Congress of the International Pediatric Transplant Association Vancouver, BC

May 4 - 7, 2019

View the website here.

American Transplant Congress Boston, MA

June 1-5, 2019

View the website here.

Canadian Transplantation Summit Banff, AB

October 16-19, 2019 View the website here.

International Transplantation Science Meeting

Clearwater, FL

November 10-13, 2019

View the website here.

International Society for Organ Donation and Procurement (ISODP 2019)
Dubai, UAE

November 14-16, 2019

View the website here.

#### A Quick Glance at Canadian Events and Speakers Throughout the Congress

Please refer to the Online Program for more up to date events and more details



Saturday, May 4, 2019						
8:30 - 9:30 am	Pre-Congress Symposium: Session 1: Behaviors of a good researcher Stanley Park - Ballroom 2		Guido Filler, University of Western Ontario			
9:00 - 10:30 am	Pre-Congress Symposium: The Family in Stress: Assessment, strategies and outcomes Stanley Park - Ballroom 1		Louise Bannister, SickKids Hospital Sabina Spataro, SickKids Hospital			
1:30 - 2:45 pm	Pre-Congress Symposium: Sex, Drugs, Rock 'n Roll: Lifestyle Guidelines		Miriam Kaufman, SickKids Hospital			
3:00 - 4:00 pm	Pre-Congress Symposium: The Role of Palliative Care in Pediatric Transplantation Stanley Park - Ballroom 1		Adam Rapoport, SickKids Hospital Hal Siden, BC Children's Hospital			
6:30 - 8:00 pm	Poster Session 1 Exhibit-Poster Area	Hajir Adl Golchin, UBC Ben Archdekin, Queen's University Tom Blydt-Hansen, BC Children's Hospital Astrid De Souza, BC Children's Hospital Manjula Gowrishankar, University of Alberta Beth Foster, McGill University Mohit Kehar, Queen's University	Soleina Maherali, BC Children's Hospital Caroline Piotrowski, University of Manitoba Charushree Prasad, SickKids Hospital Steven Rathegber, BC Children's Hospital Blake Sandery, BC Children's Hospital Li Wang, BC Children's Hospital			

		Sunday, May 5, 2019	
7:00 - 7:45 am	Morning Industry Symposium: New Insights into the Pathogenesis of Thrombotic Microangiopathy Seymour Room		Christoph Licht, SickKids Hospital
8:00 - 9:30 am	Plenary Session: Transplant Ethics - Borders and Barriers  Bayshore D/E/F		Peter Nickerson, University of Manitoba
10:00 - 11:00 am	Oral Abstract Session: Allied Health: Supporting our Patients to Improve Long Term Outcomes  Bayshore E		Samantha Lui, BC Children's Hospital Erin Moon, BC Children's Hospital Catherine Patterson, SickKids Hospital
11:10 am - 12:10 pm	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Epitope Matching: Are we ready for prime time?  Bayshore D		Peter Nickerson, University of Manitoba
	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: ID Quiz Bayshore E		Upton Allen, SickKids Hospital
	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Registries and Controversies in Pediatric Transplantation Bayshore F		Vicky Ng, SickKids Hospital
	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Nutrition and Oral Feeding Seymour Room		Ashley Graham, SickKids Hospital Louise Bannister, SickKids Hospital Soleina Maherali, BC Children's Hospital
1:45 - 2:45 pm	Oral Abstract Session: Long-Term Follow Up Bayshore F		Guido Filler, University of Western Ontario
	Oral Abstract Session: Kidney: In Pursuit of Excellence Bayshore D		Adam Hoffmann, BC Children's Hospital
3:00 - 4:00 pm	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Frailty as a Concept in Pediatric Transplantation  Bayshore F		Aviva Goldberg, University of Manitoba
*Sponsored by the CST Pediatric Group*			Inez Martincevic, SickKids Hospital
4:30 - 5:00 pm	State-of-the-Art session: Pediatric DCD  Bayshore D/E/F		Matthew-John Weiss, Université Laval
6:30 - 7:30 pm	Poster Session 2 Exhibit-Poster Area	Upton Allen, SickKids Hospital Kathryn Armstrong, BC Children's Hospital Jenna Ashkanase, SickKids Hospital Tom Blydt-Hansen, BC Children's Hospital	Astrid De Souza, BC Children's Hospital Jessica Laks, SickKids Hospital Nadia McLean, SickKids Hospital Zoe Tremblay, Sainte-Justine Hospital

# **IPTA CONGRESS HIGHLIGHT**

Monday, May 6, 2019						
10:00 - 11:00 am	Oral Abstract Session: Improving Long-Term R Bayshore F	esults	Isabel de Verteuil, SickKids Hospital			
	Oral Abstract Session: Finding Solutions throu Bayshore E	gh Ethics	Anna Gold, SickKids Hospital Aviva Goldberg, University of Manitoba			
11:10 am - 12:10 pm	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Understanding Genetic, Developmental & Other Factors Altering the Clearance of Immunosuppressive Drugs  Bayshore D		Guido Filler, University of Western Ontario			
	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: IPTA-ASHLT End of Care for Children Before and After Thouseymour Room	Melinda Soloman, SickKids Hospital				
	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Intervention lescents in the transition process Bayshore F	Angela Williams, SickKids Hospital				
3:30 - 5:00 pm	Plenary Session: Infectious Disease Guidelines Bayshore D/E/F		Upton Allen, SickKids Hospital			
5:00 - 6:00 pm	Poster Session 3 Exhibit-Poster Area	Philip Acott, IWK Health Centre Jessie Ahuja, BC Children's Hospital Isaac Elias, Alberta Children's Hospital Rebecca Greenburg, SickKids Hospital Katie Haubrich, Children's & Women's Health Care Centre of BC	Soleina Maherali, BC Children's Hospital Erin Moon, BC Children's Hospital Douglas Stewart, SickKids Hospital Angela Williams, SickKids Hospital Elisa Yoo, London Health Sciences Centre			

Tuesday, May 7, 2019				
8:00 - 9:30 am	Oral Abstract Session: Lessons Learned in Liver Transplantation  Bayshore E	Susan Gilmour, University of Alberta Judy Jung, SickKids Hospital Mar Miserachs, SickKids Hospital		
	Oral Abstract Session: Infectious Diseases: Interface of Viruses with the Immune Response Bayshore F	Mariana Abdulnoor, SickKids Hospital Arnaud L'Huillier, SickKids Hospital Jae Yun Lee, BC Children's Hospital		
	Oral Abstract Session: Thoracic: Innovations in Lung and Heart Transplant Seymour Room	Jenna Ashkanase, SickKids Hospital Jennifer Conway, University of Alberta Alyssa Power, SickKids Hospital Maria del Carmen Vazquez Alvarez, SickKids Hospital		
10:00 - 11:00 am	Mini - Oral Abstract Session: Allied Health Seymour Room	Ashley Graham, SickKids Hospital Nadya Nalli, SickKids Hospital Kat Rose, BC Children's Hospital Julie Strong, Manitoba Children's Hospital		
	Mini-Oral Abstract Session: Organ Donation Bayshore F	Cynthia Selvanathan, SickKids Hospital		
11:15 am - 12:15 pm	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Ethical Issues in Pediatric Transplantation: When a patient is no longer a transplant candidate  Bayshore E	Rebecca Greenburg, SickKids Hospital		
	Concurrent Interactive Workshop: Virtual vs Physical Crossmatch: The pros and cons Bayshore D	Robert Liwski, Dalhousie University		
1:45 - 3:00 pm	Best Training and Allied Health Research Abstracts  Bayshore D/E/F	Robin Deliva, SickKids Hospital Anna Gold, SickKids Hospital		
3:00 - 4:30 pm	Plenary Session: Lab Meets Clinical - Antibodies and Sensitization Bayshore D/E/F	Chris Wiebe, University of Manitoba		

## **TRAVEL BURSARY ANNOUNCEMENT**



On-going initiatives have been made by the CST to encourage the involvement of Allied Health members. CST welcomes the active input of all members across the broad range of individuals with a professional interest in transplantation in clinical practice, research and education. The intent of the Pediatric Group Allied Health Travel Bursary is to help facilitate the attendance of Pediatric Allied Health Professionals at the Annual CST Pediatric Group Annual Dinner and Business Meeting at the 2019 Canadian Transplant Summit in Banff, who might not otherwise have the opportunity or resources to attend.

Up to three Pediatric Allied Health Travel Bursaries (each \$1000 value) will be granted each year based on available funding to members of the CST Pediatric Group. Applications must be sent to the CST office. **The deadline for applying is July 31, 2019.** Preference will be given to those individuals who have not received travel awards within the last 3 years and who do not have other sources of funding. Award recipients are required to attend the CST Pediatric Group Annual Dinner and Business Meeting on October 17th.

Complete the application form found here and submit to admin@cst-transplant.ca











## TRAINEE ABSTRACT COMPETITION

One of the missions of the CST Pediatric Group is to encourage trainee participation in clinical and basic science research in the field of pediatric transplantation. Up to 2 prizes will be awarded by the CST Pediatric Group for the best trainee **pediatric abstracts** submitted to the 2019 Canadian Transplant Summit.

#### What will the Pediatric Trainee Research Awardee receive?

- Cheque for \$1,000 CAD
- Complimentary registration for the Canadian Transplant Summit
- Ticket for the Awards Dinner and Social Event
- Acknowledgement at the CST Pediatric Group Annual General Meeting and Dinner

You must apply using the <u>Abstract submission portal</u> on the CST website and indicate in the appropriate section that your abstract be considered for the Pediatric Trainee Abstract Award. Abstract submission information is available at <a href="https://conference.cst-transplant.ca/abstracts.html">https://conference.cst-transplant.ca/abstracts.html</a>

The application deadline is May 20, 2019

Full announcement and eligibility available here



The IPTA is pleased to announce the renewal of its Outreach Program, established to support centers that seek to develop new solid organ



transplant programs or to expand or enhance the quality of care in existing programs. The success of the Outreach Programs is enabled by enthusiastic participation of sponsoring programs, who will partner with applicant centers and can provide knowledge, expertise and education.

See the details regarding the Outreach Program guidelines and application process in the documents that you can access here.

Questions, comments, or to submit anything for future publications, please email: <a href="mailto:pediatricgroup@cst-transplant.ca">pediatricgroup@cst-transplant.ca</a>
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