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March 13-26

Monday, March 13 at 12:00 p.m.
Pharmacology & Therapeutics Seminar Series

Prions, pre-prions and a prion-like neurodegenerative disease

David Westaway, Ph.D

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Monday, March 13, 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
JGH Medical Grand Rounds

New insights into inherited arrhythmias

Dr. Jacqueline Joza

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Monday, March 13, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Epidemiology Seminar Series

Understanding youth smoking with NDI (Nicotine Dependence In Teens)

Jennifer O'Loughlin, PhD

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Monday, March 13 at 4:30 p.m.

Faculty Council Meeting

The next Faculty Council meeting takes place at the New Chancellor Day Hall (3644 Peel), Room 101.

Please note that this meeting is open to all faculty members, including students and residents, and will be recorded.

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Tuesday, March 14, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Killam Seminar Series

It takes two to tango: Presynaptic and postsynaptic participation in persistent plasticity

Sam Schacher

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Tuesday, March 14, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

RI-MUHC Cancer Research Program Seminar

Differentiation programs in prostate and bladder cancer: From biology to biomarkers

Monday, March 13, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

RI-MUHC Pediatric Research Seminar

The biology and functions of the proprotein convertases in health and disease

Dr. Nabil G. Seidah

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Monday, March 13 at 1:00 p.m.

Feindel Brain Imaging Lecture Series

Imaging microstructure In heterogeneous white matter

Jennifer Campbell, Ph.D.

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Monday, March 13, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Meakins-Christie Research Seminar Series

Clinical trials in tuberculosis: Making TB treatment better

Dr. Neil Schluger

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Tuesday, March 14, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

MUHC Medical Grand Rounds

Zika virus

Dr. Davidson H. Hamer

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Tuesday, March 14, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Biostatistics Seminar

New tests to check the main assumptions of a flexible parametric excess hazard model

Coraline Danieli, PhD

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Tuesday, March 14, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Goodman Cancer Research Centre Seminar Series

Mechanistic studies of the cooperative functions of transcriptional coactivators

Dr. David Berman

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Wednesday, March 15 at 11:00 a.m.**McGill University Research Centre on Complex Traits Seminar Series**

The NLR protein NOD1 - cellular function and regulation

Dr. Thomas Kufer

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Wednesday, March 15 at 11:30 a.m.**Anatomy & Cell Biology Seminar**

Dynamic crosstalk between ubiquitin-like modifiers unraveled by quantitative proteomics

Dr. Pierre Thibault

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Wednesday, March 15, 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.**Meet and Greet of McGill Employees with Disabilities and Their Allies**

The Joint Board-Senate Committee on Equity, Sub-Committee on Persons with Disabilities, in collaboration with the Social Equity and Diversity Education Office (the SEDE Office) will be hosting this event where McGill employees with disabilities and their allies will have the opportunity to gather to discuss accommodations at work, to learn about the types of support available, and to share experiences.

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Wednesday, March 15, 4:30 - 6:00 p.m.**Social Studies of Medicine Seminar**

Medical prognosis in late antiquity

Caroline Petit

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Thursday, March 16, 12:30 - 2:00 p.m.**McGill Family Medicine Research Seminar**

Investigating interventions and phenomena with a realistic lens: Critical realism and realistic evaluation in action

Dr. Emilie Robert

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Thursday, March 16, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.**Metabolic Disorders and Complications Program Seminar Series**

Adjusting for misclassification of diabetes status in administrative claims data: The example of the association between statin use and new-onset diabetes

Robert G. Roeder, PhD

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Wednesday, March 15, 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.**Pediatric Medical Grand Rounds**

Intellectually handicapped patients, informed consent and the transition to adulthood

Pierre Fregeau

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Wednesday, March 15, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.**IDIGH Work in Progress / Lunch & Learn Seminar**

Influenza vaccines for the elderly: Different routes of administration with a virus-like particle candidate

Breanna Hodgins

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Wednesday, March 15, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.**CPD/CME Wednesday E-Learning Series (WELS): Webinar only**

Mental health and social media

Dr. Melissa Pickles

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Wednesday, March 15, 12:30 - 2:00 p.m.**Institute for Health and Social Policy Seminar**

Taking politics seriously: Rethinking knowledge translation for public health policy

Dr. Patrick Fafard

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Thursday, March 16, 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.**Infection and Immunity Seminar Series**

DC & Non-Hematopoietic Cells Coordinate Skin Immunity

Dr. Daniel Kaplan

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Thursday, March 16 at 3:30 p.m.**Centre for Applied Mathematics in Bioscience and Medicine (CAMBAM) Seminar**

Regulation of cell migration and adhesion dynamics by paxillin phosphorylation

Dr. Claire Brown

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Thursday, March 16, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**CPD/CME Thursday Evening Learning Series (TELS): Face-to-Face and Webinar**

Approach to examining patients with common neurological problems

Dr. Stuart Lubarsky

Dr. Elham Rahme

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Friday, March 17 at 10:00 a.m.**Douglas/Olympus Discovery Center Inauguration Day**

The Inauguration Day and Keynote Lecture are open to all with an interest in high-end microscopy in neuroscience or related fields (e.g., principal investigators, microscopy facility managers, post-doctoral students), however advance registration is compulsory.

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Monday, March 20, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.**RI-MUHC Pediatric Research Seminar**

CATCHing Intracranial Injuries: which kids need a CT?

Dr. Martin Osmond

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Monday, March 20 at 1:00 p.m.**Feindel Brain Imaging Lecture Series**

Alcohol, nicotine, amphetamine and cocaine: A potential dopamine-related vulnerability pathway to addictions

Dr. Marco Leyton

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Monday, March 20, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.**Epidemiology Seminar Series**

Nurse prescribing in Quebec: a tool to improve health services efficiency

Roxane Borges da Silva, PhD

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Tuesday, March 21, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.**RI-MUHC Cancer Research Program Seminar**

Gene coexpression analyses differentiate networks associated with diverse cancers harboring TP53 missense or null mutations

Celia Greenwood, PhD

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Wednesday, March 22, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.**IDIGH Program Seminar Series**

SLAM family receptors and immune responses

Dr. André Veillette

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Thursday, March 23, 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.**Universities Allied for Essential Medicines Conference**

Tertiary pharmacological treatment of severe SCPD

Dr. Rene Desautels

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Friday, March 17 at 11:00 a.m.**Physiology Seminar Series**

Nck2, an unexpected regulator of adipogenesis

Dr. Louise Larose

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Monday, March 20 at 12:00 p.m.**Pharmacology & Therapeutics Seminar Series**

Multiple sclerosis: a treatable neurodegenerative disease?

Dr. Jack Antel

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Monday, March 20, 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.**JGH Medical Grand Rounds**

Optimal Diagnosis of Venous Thromboembolism (DVT)

Dr. Grégoire Le Gal

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Monday, March 20 at 4:00 p.m.**Neuroscience Seminar Series**

Modeling neurodevelopmental disorders in mice and monkeys with shank3 mutations

Dr. Yang Zhou

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Tuesday, March 21, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.**Killam Seminar Series**

Epilepsy genetics in clinical practice: Today and tomorrow

Sanjay M. Sisodiya

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Wednesday, March 22, 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.**Pediatric Medical Grand Rounds**

Technologies for enhancing interaction and assessing consciousness in behaviourally unresponsive children

Stephanie Blain-Moraes, PhD

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Wednesday, March 22 at 4:00 p.m.**Frontiers in Pain Research Lecture**

Brain mechanisms supporting the subjective experience of pain

Robert Coghill, PhD

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Tackling TB: Bridging the divide between innovation and access

Keynote speaker: **Mr. Stephen Lewis**

This conference will be co-hosted by McGill Global Health Programs, the McGill International TB Centre, Médecins Sans Frontières Canada, the McGill Institute for the Study of International Development and AIDS-Free World.

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Thursday, March 23 at 4:00 p.m.

Social Studies of Medicine Book Launch
Can science resolve the nature/nurture debate?
By Margaret Lock & Gisli Palsson

Dr. Abraham Fuks & Dr. Laurence Kirmayer in conversation with **Dr. Margaret Lock**

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Friday, March 24 at 11:00 a.m.

Physiology Seminar Series
cAMP regulation in HCN channels

Dr. Anna Moroni

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Friday, March 24, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

McGill International TB Centre & RECRU Joint Seminar Series

A qualitative exploration of tuberculosis treatment-seeking and treatment-taking experiences in South Africa: Patient and provider perspectives

Stephanie Law

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March 24-26

11th Annual Montreal World Health Organization Simulation (MonWHO)

This conference was developed with the idea in mind that it would provide participants with an opportunity to step out into the world as citizen of the global village while discussing health issues in a political, social and economic context. This year's theme is **Sexual Health**, which will challenge our delegates to reexamine how we explore sexual health issues and how we might consider the multiple determinants that must be addressed when looking at these issues.

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March - December

Free Mini-Course Developed and Accredited by the McGill Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Office

Learn about new cancers that are frequently overlooked. Online, asynchronous, and flexible

Thursday, March 23 at 3:30 p.m.

Centre for Applied Mathematics in Bioscience and Medicine (CAMBAM) Seminar

Sensory adaptation to behaviourally-relevant stimuli in the electrosensory system

Chengjie Huang

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Thursday, March 23, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

RI-MUHC Injury Repair Recovery Program Seminar

Accelerating skeletal muscle repair and recovery following injury: Nutritional/nutraceutical approaches

Phillips Stuart, PhD

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Friday, March 24, 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Quebec Nursing Intervention Research Network (RRISIQ) Conference

Essais cliniques novateurs

Dr E. Marc Jolicoeur

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Saturday, March 25, 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Collaborative Mental Healthcare Conference

This one-day conference welcomes students and professionals from all mental healthcare fields to come together in the spirit of collaboration to share knowledge and perspectives. The day will include presentations, workshops, networking opportunities, a panel discussion and a keynote speaker.

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March - April

Osler Library of the History of Medicine Exhibition

Vaccination: Fame, fear and controversy, 1798-1998

This exhibition, presented in partnership with the McGill University Faculty of Medicine and the Freie Universität, Berlin, explores the tension between the promised public-health benefits of vaccination and the reasons why resistance checked its acceptance.

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Thursday, March 16 at 3:00 p.m.

McGill Global Mental Health Program Lecture Series

Evaluation of a parenting intervention in Uganda to address maternal well-being and child development

course offered in 3 modules.

This course will focus on myeloproliferative neoplasms (MPN) and myelodysplastic syndromes (MDS) via webinars and online course readings.

Registration Deadline: June 1.

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Frances Aboud, PhD

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