Preliminary Program

Canadian Society of Allergy and Clinical Immunology

Société canadienne d'allergie et d'immunologie clinique

Annual Scientific Meeting

November 3-6, 2010

Victoria, B.C.

Program Chair Message

I invite you to join us in Victoria In early November for the 2010 annual scientific meeting of CSACI. The planning committee has invited an impressive faculty of Canadian and international speakers. The programme includes timely topics such as an update on Vaccines, Alternative Medicine, Food allergy, Mast cell biology and immunological disorders.

Plan to join your colleagues in beautiful Victoria. I look forward to seeing you there.

Dr. Charles Frankish, Chair
2010 Annual Meeting
Program Committee

Join your colleagues in Victoria for the

2010 CSACI Annual Scientific Meeting

2010 Annual Scientific Meeting Planning Committee

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Call for Abstracts/Poster Viewing

Call for Abstracts

The CSACI Abstract Presentation is a competition open to CSACI Trainees, AllerGen Trainees, and any Investigators interested in presenting research or clinical cases in the field of allergy, asthma and immunology.

Deadline for Receipt of Abstracts:
Friday, August 20, 2010

Poster Viewing Sessions

Poster viewing sessions will be held at the Victoria Convention Centre. Authors must attend their poster display during this assigned session:
Friday, November 5, from 14:00 to 15:00

FINAL POSTER DISCUSSION:
Saturday, November 6, from 18:00 to 19:30

Important Deadlines

Abstract Deadline:	**Friday, August 20th**
Travel Grant application deadline:	**September 17th, 2010**
Deadline for Hotel Reservations:	**September 17th, 2010**
Early Bird Registration:	**September 24th, 2010**

Mission Statement

The mission of the Canadian Society of Allergy and Clinical Immunology is the advancement of the knowledge and practice of allergy, clinical immunology, and asthma for optimal patient care. The Society is also dedicated to improving the quality of life of people with allergies through research, advocacy, continuing professional development and public education.

Program Overview

Each day will be comprised of plenary sessions and satellite symposia where participations will hear cutting-edge research and the latest advances in diagnosis and treatment of allergic and immunologic diseases from a distinguished faculty of Canadian and International speakers.

Meeting Objectives

The main objectives of this annual meeting are to provide participants with high quality and up-to-date information regarding research, treatment and management in allergy, asthma and immunology and to provide an opportunity for participants to interact with colleagues and experts in this field.

Annual General Meeting

The annual general meeting (AGM) is an important event for the CSACI, where members get a broad overview of the current activities and directions of the society. It is also the time to revitalise the CSACI through the election of members to key positions.

All CSACI members are invited to attend the AGM
Saturday, November 6, 2010
11:30 to 12:30

Participants will be eligible to win a prize!

TARGET AUDIENCE

This meeting is intended for clinicians, researchers, trainees/students, and Allied Health professionals involved in research, treatment and management of diseases in allergy, asthma and immunology.

ACCREDITATION

We are seeking approval for this meeting as a Section 1 Accredited Group Learning Activity

Meeting Highlights

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

18:30-21:00
National Resident Educational Program (NREP)
Dinner and Meeting (closed)

21:00-23:00
NREP/FIT/ALLERGEN Trainee Networking Event (by invitation only)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4

08:00-13:30
FIT (Fellows-in-training) Workshop (Closed)

15:00-17:00
Afternoon Symposium – Anaphylaxis – Are You Ready to Respond?

18:00-19:30
Evening Symposium - Intravenous Immunoglobulins as an Immune Modulator

Meeting Highlights

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5

08:30-10:00
Plenary Session I: Food Allergy

10:30-12:20
Plenary Session II: Mast Cell Biology

14:00-15:00
Poster Viewing Session

17:00-18:00
FIT Bowl (All conference attendees are welcome)

17:00 – 18:00
Allergy in Clinical Care Symposium
Educational event designed for Allied health professionals– for complete details please click on the following link:
http://www.csaci.ca/include/files/REVISED_FINAL_ALLIED_HEALTH_BROCHURE_VICTORIA_2010.pdf

18:00-20:00
CAAIF Event (Open to all attendees)
Reception at the Royal BC Museum

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

08:30-10:00
Plenary Session III: Vaccines

08:30-17:00
Allergy in Clinical Care Symposium
Educational event designed for Allied health professionals

10:30-11:30
Interest Section Breakout Sessions

11:30-12:30
CSACI/ CAAIF Annual General Meetings

14:00-15:30
Plenary Session IV: Immunology Symposium

15:45-17:00
Plenary Session V: Alternative Medicine

18:00-19:30 Poster Discussion Symposium

18:30-22:00
CAAIF Silent Auction
CSACI Dinner and Awards Presentation

Wednesday, November 3

18:00-21:00 **CSACI Board of Directors Meeting (closed)**
Room: View Royal Room

18:30-21:00 **National Resident Educational Program (NREP) Dinner and Meeting (closed)**
Room: Colwood Room *Chairs: Drs. Anne Ellis and Per Lidman*

21:00-23:00 **NREP/FIT/ALLERGEN Trainee Networking Event (by invitation only)**
Room: Colwood Room

Thursday, November 4

08:30-10:30 **CAAIF Board of Directors Meeting (closed)**
Room: View Royal Room

08:00-13:30 **FIT Workshop (restricted to fellows-in-training)**
Room: Colwood Room Co-*Chairs: Drs. Lori Connors and Charles Frankish*

8:00-10:00	**Immunotherapy workshop**
10:00-10:20	**Refreshment Break**
10:20-12:00	**Immunotherapy workshop (continued)**
12:00- 12:45	**Lunch**
12:45-13:30	**Career planning session**

Thursday, November 4

10:30-12:00 **Non-Profit Summit Meeting (closed)**
Room: Sidney Room *Chair: Dr. Eric Leith*

13:30-16:30 **RCPSC Allergy & Clinical Immunology Specialty Committee Meeting (closed)**
Room: Metchosin *Chair: Dr. Susan Waserman*

15:00-17:00 **Afternoon Symposium – Anaphylaxis – Are You Ready to Respond?**
Room : Salon B *Chair: Dr. Charles Frankish*

18:00-19:30 **Evening Symposium - Intravenous Immunoglobulins as an Immune Modulator**
Room: Salon B *Chair: Dr. Bruce Mazer*

Friday, November 5

07:00-08:20 **Breakfast**
Room: Salon B

08:20-08:30 **Opening Remarks by the CSACI President**
Room: Salon B

08:30-10:00 **Plenary Session I: Food Allergy**
Room: Salon B *Chairs: Drs. Susan Waserman and Wade Watson*

08:30-08:55 ***Speaker: Dr. Steven Taylor***
Title: Peanut Thresholds - Implications for Risk to Peanut-Allergic Subjects

08:55-09:20 ***Speaker: Dr. Tom Bowen***
Title: My gut feeling about oral allergy syndrome

09:20-09:45 ***Speaker: Caroline Nilsson***
Title: Food Allergen Components in Clinical Diagnostics

09:45-10:00 **Discussion Period**

10:00-10:30 **Networking Break/Visiting Exhibitors**
Room: Salon A

10:30-12:20 **Plenary Session II: Mast Cell Biology**
Room: Salon B *Chairs: Drs. Dean Befus and Eric Leith*

10:30-11:00 ***Speaker : Dr. Harissios Vliagoftis***
Title: Mastocytosis and Mast Cell Development

11:00-11:30 ***Speaker: Dr. Jean Marshall***
Title: Mast cells and innate and acquired immunity, particularly as they related to host defences and anti-microbial activities.

Friday, November 5

10:30-12:20 **Plenary Session II: Mast Cell Biology – continued**

11:30-12:00 ***Speaker: Dr. Stephen Galli***
Title: Mast cells as negative regulators of innate and acquired immunity.

12:00-12:20 **Discussion Period**

12:30-14:00 **Lunch Symposium**
Room: Salon B

14:00-15:00 **Poster Viewing Session**
Room: Salon C *Chair: Drs. Anne Ellis and Eyal Grunebaum*

14:00-14:30 **NREP Meeting (Closed)**
Room: Colwood Room

Free Afternoon

17:00-18:00 **FIT Bowl (Open to all conference attendees)**
Room : Colwood Room *Chair: Dr. Anne Ellis*

17:00-18:00 **Allied Health: Allergy in Clinical Care Symposium**
Room: Salon C *Chair: Dr. Harold Kim*

17:00-18:00 ***Speaker: Dr. Greg Rex***
Title: Allergy Testing – The Underbelly of alternative medicine

18:00-20:00

CAAIF EVENT/RECEPTION – ROYAL BC MUSEUM
First Peoples Gallery

Saturday, November 6

07:00-08:30 **Breakfast Symposium**
Room: Salon B

08:30-17:00 **Allergy in Clinical Care Symposium**
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08:30-10:00 **Plenary Session III: Vaccines**
Room: Salon B *Chairs: Drs. Stuart Carr and Sandy Kapur*

08:30-08:55 ***Speaker: Dr. Gaston De Serres***
Title : Influenza Vaccination in Egg-Allergic Individuals Based on Our Collaborative Canadian Study

08:55-09:20 ***Speaker: Dr. Danuta Skowronski***
Title: Oculo-Respiratory Syndrome (ORS) and Anaphylactic-Like Reactions to Influenza Vaccine.

09:20-09:45 ***Speaker : Dr Scott Halperin***
Title: The Steps Involved in Bringing a Vaccine to Market in Canada.

09:45-10:00 **Discussion Period**

10:00-10:30 **Networking Break/Visiting Exhibitors**

Saturday, November 6

10:30-11:30 **Interest Section Breakout Sessions**

- **Dr. Anne Ellis - Anaphylaxis and Adverse Reactions – Room: Colwood 1**
- **Dr. Christine McCusker - Immunology – Room: Colwood 2**
- **Dr. Tim Vander Leek - Pediatrics – Room: Buckingham Room**
- ***Dr. Fanny Silviu-Dan – Rhinosinusitis – Room: Balmoral Room***
- **Dr. Francisco Noya - Asthma – Room: Sidney Room**

11:30-12:30 **CSACI/CAAIF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

12:30-14:00 **LUNCHEON SYMPOSIUM**
Room: Salon B

14:00-15:30 **Plenary Session IV: Immunology Symposium**
Room: Salon B *Chair: Dr. Eyal Grunebaum*

14:00-14:25 ***Speaker: Dr. Alexandra Freeman***
Title: HyperIgE Syndrome

14:25-14:50 TBC (To be confirmed)

14:50-15:15 TBC

15:15-15:30 Discussion Period

15:30-15:45 **Networking Break/Visiting Exhibitors**
Room: Salon A

Saturday, November 6, 2010

15:45-17:00 **Plenary Session V – Alternative Medicine**
Room: Salon B *Chairs: Drs. Liliane Gendreau-Reid and David Fischer*

15:45-16:15 **TBC**

16:16-16:45 ***Speaker: Dr. Leonard Bielory***
Title: Complementary Alternative Medicine

16:45-17:00 Discussion Period

18:00-19:30 **Poster Discussion Symposium**
Chairs: Drs. Anne Ellis and Eyal Grunebaum
Room: Salon B

18:30-19:30 **CAAIF SILENT AUCTION**
Room: Palm Court – Empress Hotel

19:30-22:00 **CSACI DINNER AND AWARDS PRESENTATION**
Room: Crystal Ballroom – Empress Hotel