

**Canadian Geriatrics Society
Annual Scientific Meeting
Delta Chelsea, Toronto**

Friday, May 28, 2004

- 8:00-9:00 a.m. Registration/Continental Breakfast
Location: Churchill Court
- 9:00-9:10 a.m. Welcome: Dr. Chris MacKnight, CGS President
Dr. Barry Goldlist, CGS Annual Meeting Chair
Location: Mountbatten Salon A
- 9:10-9:55 a.m. **Modern Drug Therapy for Type 2 Diabetes in the Elderly**
Speaker: Bernard Zinman, MDCM, FRCPC, FACP
Location: Mountbatten Salon A
- 9:55-10:40 a.m. **Quality of Life, COPD and the Elderly**
Speaker: Dr. Roger Goldstein
Location: Mountbatten Salon A
- 10:40-11:10 a.m. Nutrition Break
Location: Churchill Court
- 11:10-12:10 a.m. **Prevention and Treatment of Stroke 2004**
Speaker: Dr. Frank Silver
Location: Mountbatten Salon A
- 12:10-2:00 p.m. **Satellite Symposium (luncheon):
Mood and Behaviour in Dementia: From Fundamental Science to
Clinical Benefits**
Sponsored by: Novartis Pharmaceuticals
Chair: Dr. Ron Keren, MD, FRCPC
Geriatric Psychiatrist
Toronto Western Hospital
Location: Churchill Ballroom

Speakers

Judes Poirier, PhD
Director, McGill Centre for Studies in Aging
Douglas Hospital, Verdun, QC

Dr. Steven G. Potkin
Robert R. Sprague Director of the Brain Imaging Center
University of California at Irvine Medical Center

- 12:10-2:00 p.m. Free time to view Exhibits and Posters
- 2:00-2:45 p.m. **Emerging Infections and the Elderly**
Speaker: Mark Loeb, FRCPC, MD, MSc
Location: Mountbatten Salon A
- 2:45-3:00 p.m. Nutrition Break
Location: Churchill Court
- 3:00-5:00 p.m. **Symposium: Critical Issues in Long-Term Care**
Chair: Robert E. Lam, MD, MS, CCFP
Location: Mountbatten Salon A
- 3:00-3:30 p.m. **Antibiotic Resistance in the Nursing Home: How to Monitor and How to Prescribe**
Speaker: Mark Loeb, FRCPC, MD, MSc
- 3:30-4:00 p.m. **Skin Ulcers in the Elderly**
Speaker: Madhuri Reddy, MD, MSc, FRCPC
- 4:00-4:30 p.m. **Managing Difficult Behaviors in Long-Term Care: What is the Real Evidence?**
Speaker: Nathan Herrmann, MD, FRCPC
- 4:30-5:00 p.m. **Dementia Meds in Long-Term Care: Should They Ever Be Stopped?**
Speaker: Dr. Ron Keren

Saturday, May 29, 2004

- 7:00-9:10 a.m. **Registration/Continental Breakfast**
Location: Churchill Court
- 7:30-9:30 a.m. **The Challenge of Understanding and Studying Frailty: The Canadian Initiative on Frailty and Aging**
Chair: Howard Bergman, MD
Location: Mountbatten Salon A

Speakers

Jeremy Walston, MD

Associate Professor of Medicine, Division of Geriatric Medicine

Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

Towards a Better Understanding of the Pathophysiology and Etiology of Frailty: Report from the 2004 American Geriatrics Society/National Institutes of Aging Conference on Frailty Research.

David B. Hogan, MD
Professor and Brenda Strafford Foundation Chair of Geriatric Medicine
University of Calgary
Progress Report and Preliminary Results of the Systematic Review of the Literature on
Frailty (Canadian Initiative on Frailty and Aging).

Christina Wolfson, PhD
Professor of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, McGill University
Director, Centre for Clinical Epidemiology and Community Studies,
Lady Davis Institute, Jewish General Hospital
The Canadian Longitudinal Study on Aging: An Opportunity to Study Healthy Aging and
Frailty.

Howard Bergman, MD
The Dr. Joseph Kaufmann Professor and Director
Division of Geriatric Medicine, McGill University
Co-Director, Solidage Research Group
A Working Framework for Understanding and Studying Frailty (Canadian Initiative on
Frailty and Aging).

9:30-9:40 a.m. Nutrition Break

9:40-12:00 p.m. **CGS Symposium on Geriatric Education - Recruitment and
Training**
Chair: Dr. Howard Bergman
Location: Mountbatten Salon A

Speakers

John B. Murphy, MD
Professor of Medicine and Family Medicine
Brown Medical School

Dr. David B. Hogan
University of Calgary
Speaker of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada

Dr. Hans J. Werner
Krankenhaus Elisabethenstift, Germany

12:00-2:00 p.m. Lunch among the Exhibits and Posters

2:00-4:00 p.m. **Podium Presentations**
Location: Mountbatten Salon A

4:00-4:15 p.m. Nutrition Break

4:15-6:15 p.m. **CGS Annual General Meeting**

Location: Carlyle Room

7:30 p.m. CGS Annual Dinner, Oro Restaurant, 45 Elm Street.
Tickets must be purchased in advance.

Sunday, May 30, 2004

8:00-8:30 a.m. **Registration/Continental Breakfast**
Location: Churchill Court

8:30-10:15 a.m. **Kaufman Competition for Fellows and Residents**
Location: Mountbatten Salon A

10:30-11:45 a.m. **Willard and Phebe Thompson Competition for Medical Students**
Location: Mountbatten Salon A

11:45-12:00 p.m. Nutrition Break

12:00 p.m. **Awards Presentation**