

CAMO Winter 2017 Newsletter

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## **CAMO NEWS** **NOUVELLES DE L'ACOM**



### **President's Message**

Dear Colleagues:

I hope you had a restful holiday season and that the New Year has gotten off to a good start.

It's my great pleasure to invite you to this year's CAMO Annual Scientific Meeting. The Annual Scientific Meeting will be chaired by Drs. Rosalyn Juergens and Krista Noonan. Together with the organizing committee, they have put together an exciting agenda. The theme of this year's meeting will be "Immuno-Oncology", which will include a broad range of topics in this therapeutic area that will be relevant to your practice. We will also feature a presentation on the very topical issue of "Medical Assistance in Dying".

At the Annual General Meeting, we will bring you up to date on a number of initiatives the Executive has embarked on to raise the profile of CAMO across Canada and increase the engagement of the community of Canadian medical oncologists. We have also established a joint membership agreement with ESMO that you'll be updated on.

At the CAMO Awards Dinner, Dr. Vivien Bramwell will be honoured as the 2017 Pioneer in Oncology.

The fellowship committee has selected Dr. Doreen Ezeife as the recipient of the fellowship award for 2016-2017.

Sponsorship of the fellowship program by Hoffmann-La Roche Limited, Janssen Inc. and Amgen Inc. is also gratefully acknowledged.

On behalf of the CAMO Executive, I hope you'll be able to join us for both the CAMO Annual Scientific Meeting as well as the Awards Dinner for opportunities to learn and interact and socialize with your colleagues from across the country.

Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting,



Hal Hirte, MD, FRCP(C)  
CAMO President

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Chers collègues,

J'espère que vous avez eu une période des fêtes relaxante et que le Nouvel An s'est démarré du bon pied.

J'ai l'immense plaisir de vous inviter à la Réunion annuelle scientifique 2017 de l'ACOM, qui sera présidée par les D<sup>res</sup> Rosalyn Juergens et Krista Noonan. De concert avec le Comité organisateur, elles ont créé un programme captivant. Sous le thème « L'immunooncologie », la réunion de cette année proposera une vaste gamme de sujets pertinents pour votre pratique en lien avec ce domaine thérapeutique. Une présentation portant sur l'aide médicale à mourir, un sujet de grande actualité, est également prévue à l'horaire.

Lors de la Réunion générale annuelle, nous vous mettrons au courant des diverses initiatives entreprises par le Comité directeur pour rehausser le profil de l'ACOM au pays et accroître l'engagement de la communauté des oncologues médicaux au Canada. Nous vous informerons aussi au sujet de l'entente d'adhésion commune créée avec la Société européenne d'oncologie médicale (SEOM).

La Dre Vivien Bramwell sera honorée à titre de Pionnière de l'oncologie au Canada (2017) lors du souper de remise des prix de l'ACOM.

Le Comité des bourses a choisi la Dre Doreen Ezeife à titre de récipiendaire de la bourse de recherche pour 2017-2018. Nous exprimons également notre reconnaissance pour la commandite du programme de bourses de recherche, assurée par Hoffmann-La Roche Limited, Janssen Inc. et Amgen Inc.

Au nom du Comité directeur de l'ACOM, j'espère que vous pourrez participer à la Réunion annuelle scientifique et au souper de remise des prix de l'ACOM pour profiter des occasions d'apprentissage et pour échanger et socialiser avec vos collègues de partout au pays.

J'ai hâte de vous voir à la réunion.



Hal Hirte, M.D., FRCP(C)  
Président de l'ACOM

## Highlights CAMO 2017 Annual Scientific Meeting

April 27, 2017, Toronto, ON



## THEME

### A NEW PILLAR OF CANCER TREATMENT: IMMUNOONCOLOGY PROGRAM

The Annual Scientific Meeting of the Canadian Association of Medical Oncologists will be held on Thursday, April 27 in Toronto, Ontario. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to view the preliminary program.

## REGISTRATION

[CLICK HERE](#) to register for the Annual Scientific Meeting.

**Early bird registration deadline is March 13, 2017.**

## CAMO AWARDS DINNER

**THURSDAY, April 27, 2017 Ontario Heritage Center**

The CAMO Pioneer Lecture Presentation and Awards Dinner will take place on Thursday, April 27, 2017 starting at 18h30. \*CAMO members (\$40.00+HST) and 1 guest (\$60.00+HST).

**\*\*\*Pre-registration required – No onsite registration .\*\*\***

The CAMO Pioneers in Canadian Oncology Lecture Series was created to pay tribute to Canadian pioneers in the field of oncology. The 2017 CAMO Pioneer Lecture Series Award Presentation, will be awarded to Dr. Vivien Bramwell. [See program for more details.](#)

## HOTEL INFORMATION

The Chelsea, Toronto, ON  
33 Gerrard Street West  
Toronto, ON M5G 1Z4

All registrants are required to make their own accommodation arrangements directly with the Eaton Chelsea as soon as possible. **A special room rate is available (\$154 standard room per night).** [Reservation link.](#)

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Dr. Hal Hirte - President

Dr. Bruce Colwell - Vice President

Dr. Desiree Hao - Secretary Treasurer

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Ms. Alexi Campbell - Executive Director

**COMMITTEES/CHAIRS****Annual Scientific Meeting**

Co-chairs: Drs. Krista Noonan &amp; Rosalyn Juergens

Members: Drs. Christopher Lee, Hal Hirte, Bruce Colwell, Desiree Hao &amp; Rashida Haq

**Continuing Medical Education**

Chair: Dr. Rashida Haq

**Fellowship**

Chair: Dr. Bindi Dhesy-Thind

Members: Drs. David Dawe, Christine Simmons, John Paul McGhie, Tina Hsu, Caroline Hamm, Melanie Seal

**Human Resources**

Chair: Dr. Bruce Colwell

**Nominating**

Chair: Dr. Christopher Lee

Members: Drs. Renaud Whittom &amp; Kara Laing

**- ADVERTISING -****Chair/Chief Division of Medical Oncology****London Regional Cancer Program**

The Division Chair/Chief provides clinical leadership to the Systemic Therapy Program and collaborates with Manager Clinic Services, Manager Pharmacy and Program Director in the organization of systemic therapy services. In particular, the Division Chair/Chief is responsible for the provision of high quality, safe, patient centered care to cancer patients within the Systemic Therapy Program of the LRCP. Working with the Chair/Chief Department of Oncology, the Division Chair/Chief provides academic leadership to the Division to foster accountability for a strong academic portfolio including clinical research, participation in clinical trials, education, basic science and translational research. The Division Chair/Chief, in collaboration with the Medical Oncology Associates business group leads in the recruitment, mentoring and evaluation of clinical faculty within the Division.

**Please submit application package by  
March 1 2017 to:**

**Physician with Oncology Training****SENIOR INVESTIGATOR for the Investigational  
New Drug Program****The Canadian Cancer Trials Group  
Queen's University, Kingston, ON**

The Canadian Cancer Trials Group (CCTG) statistical and operations office, based at the Queen's University Cancer Research Institute in Kingston, Ontario is seeking a Physician trained in a cancer related specialty to join our research group as a Senior Investigator in the Investigational New Drug Program (IND).

**Please reply with curriculum vitae and list of  
three potential referees, including their names,  
addresses and email to:**

Glenn Bauman, MD, FRCPC  
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519-685-8500 ext. 53177

Dr. Janet E Dancey, Director,  
Canadian Cancer Trials Group  
Cancer Research Institute,  
10 Stuart Street  
Kingston, ON K7L 3N6

**Review of applications will begin on January 31,  
2017 and continue until the position is filled.**

The University will provide support in its recruitment processes to applicants with disabilities, including accommodation that takes into account an applicant's accessibility needs. If you require accommodation during the interview process, please contact: Tracey St John ([tsjohn@ctg.queensu.ca](mailto:tsjohn@ctg.queensu.ca))

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