



Friday, February 21, 2025 | 8:30 a.m. - 4:50 p.m. | Schwartz Reisman Innovation Campus, Toronto

TIME		AGENDA	
7:30 a.m.		Registration and Breakfast	
8:30 a.m.	<b>Opening Remarks</b>	Dr. Sean Balmain; Dr. Mansoor Husain; Dr. Adriana Luk; Dr. Jacob Udell	
8:40 a.m.	<b>KEYNOTE: The evolving field of critical care</b>	Dr. Sean van Diepen	
9:10 a.m.		Transition to simultaneous streams	
	<b>CRITICAL CARDIAC CARE STREAM</b>	<b>CLINICAL CARDIOLOGY STREAM</b>	
9:20 a.m.	<b>How to survive in the modern cardiac critical care unit</b> Dr. Faizan Amin; Dr. Andrea Daly	<b>In-hospital heart failure care: Decongestion and initiation of GDMT</b> Dr. Shelley Zieroth	
9:45 a.m.	<b>Review of optimal management following post-cardiac arrest care</b> Dr. Craig Ainsworth; Dr. Victoria McCredie	<b>Ambulatory heart failure care</b> Dr. Harriette Van Spall	
10:10 a.m.	<b>HOT clinical trials in cardiac critical care</b> Dr. Derek So	<b>Amyloid heart disease</b> Dr. Diego Delgado	
10:35 a.m.	<b>Discussion and Q&amp;A</b> Moderators: Dr. Chris Overgaard; Dr. Maude Peretz-Larochelle	<b>Discussion and Q&amp;A</b> Moderator: Dr. Sean Balmain	
11:00 a.m.		Health Break	
11:20 a.m.	<b>Management of an unstable STEMI patient</b>	Dr. Chris Overgaard; Dr. Tina Zhou	
11:45 a.m.	<b>Management of ventricular arrhythmias in an unstable patient</b>	Dr. Andrew Ha; Dr. Reha Kumar	
12:10 p.m.	<b>Management of severe valvular disease in an unstable patient</b>	Dr. Eric Horlick; Dr. Maria Lambadaris	
12:35 p.m.	<b>Discussion and Q&amp;A</b>	Moderators: Dr. Andrea Daly; Dr. Mansoor Husain	
1:00 p.m.		Networking Lunch	
	<b>CRITICAL CARDIAC CARE STREAM</b>	<b>CLINICAL CARDIOLOGY STREAM</b>	
1:45 p.m.	<b>Cardiogenic shock</b> Dr. Faizan Amin; Dr. Eitan Aziza; Dr. Andrea Daly; Dr. Adriana Luk; Dr. Chris Overgaard; Dr. Derek So	1:45 p.m.	<b>Emerging therapies post-MI: Role of new anti-inflammatory and anti-fibrotic agents</b> Dr. Mina Madan
2:30 p.m.	<b>Challenging Case 1   Cardio-obstetrics</b> Dr. Candice Silversides; Dr. Danielle Massarella	2:10 p.m.	<b>Detection and management of risk factors in the CCCU</b> Dr. Shamir Mehta
2:50 p.m.	<b>Challenging Case 2   ICI myocarditis</b> Dr. Andrew Cao; Dr. Dinesh Thavendiranathan	2:35 p.m.	<b>Discharge protocols, recovery and rehab programs</b> Dr. Margaret Herridge; Dr. Paul Oh
3:10 p.m.	<b>Challenging Case 3   Acute RV failure (PE)</b> Dr. Eitan Aziza; Dr. Ricardo Teijeiro-Paradis	3:05 p.m.	<b>Discussion and Q&amp;A</b> Moderator: Dr. Jacob Udell
3:30 p.m.	<b>Discussion and Q&amp;A</b> Moderators: Dr. Adriana Luk; Dr. Derek So	3:30 p.m.	<b>End of Clinical Cardiology Stream</b>

SIMULATIONS LAB

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3:40 p.m.	<p><b>Clinical Controversy 1</b>  <b>Blood may be thicker than water, but sometimes you need a transfusion</b></p> <p><b>PRO:</b> Liberal transfusion in acute MI            Dr. Maude Peretz-Larochelle</p> <p><b>CON:</b> Conservative transfusion in acute MI            Dr. Craig Ainsworth</p>	
3:50 p.m.	<p><b>Clinical Controversy 2</b>  <b>Hasta la vista baby: Rise of the machines</b></p> <p><b>PRO:</b> Upfront MCS in cardiogenic shock is lifesaving            Dr. Phyllis Billia</p> <p><b>CON:</b> Vasopressor/inotrope polypharmacy is lifesaving            Dr. Sean van Diepen</p>	
4:00 p.m.	<p><b>Clinical Controversy 3</b>  <b>“Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much” - Helen Keller</b></p> <p><b>PRO:</b> Team-based care in cardiogenic shock is life saving            Dr. Mena Gewarges</p> <p><b>CON:</b> Team-based care in cardiogenic shock is resource wasting            Dr. Brendan Wong</p>	
4:10 p.m.	<p><b>Clinical Controversy 4</b>  <b>Randomized clinical trials in critical care: Is it still the gold pot at the end of the rainbow?</b></p> <p><b>PRO:</b> We need randomized clinical trials in critical care medicine            Dr. Anique Ducharme</p> <p><b>CON:</b> We need registries in critical care medicine            Dr. Jacob Udell</p>	
4:20 p.m.	<p><b>Discussion and Q&amp;A</b></p> <p>Moderators: Dr. Adriana Luk; Dr. Derek So</p>	
4:30 p.m.	<p><b>Closing Remarks and End of Conference</b></p> <p>Dr. Sean Balmain; Dr. Mansoor Husain; Dr. Adriana Luk; Dr. Jacob Udell</p>	