

Third Annual CanVasc Scientific Meeting – PRE-PROGRAM
Toronto, Ontario – October 24th, 2014 (Eaton Chelsea, Toronto)
9h00-16h30



Organizing Committee: Dr. Christian Pagnoux, Dr. Simon Carette and Dr. Nader Khalidi

Learning Outcomes:

- To understand the pathology, pathophysiology of the inflammatory response, and epidemiology of vasculitis as it relates to the size of the vessels involved.
- To review the spectrum of vasculitis.
- To learn about the various therapeutic options in treating patients with vasculitis.
- To discuss issues pertinent to various specialties (internal medicine, rheumatology, nephrology and respirology) including collaboration on research activities and ongoing trials in Canada.

9h00-9h05 – Introduction – Dr. S. Carette.

Part 1 – Moderation, Dr. S. Carette

9h05-9h30 – CanVasc recommendations for the management of ANCA-associated vasculitis & General update in the management of ANCA-associated vasculitides – Dr. C. Pagnoux

9h30-10h00 – Update on large vessel vasculitides (LVV) – Dr. N. Khalidi and N. Milman

10h00-10h30 – Update on genetic studies in vasculitis – Dr. K. Siminovitch

10h30-10h45 – Break

Part 2 – Moderation, Dr. C. Pagnoux

10h45-11h45 – Treatment of vasculitis – Guest Speaker: DR CAROL LANGFORD (Cleveland Vasculitis Clinic)

11h45-13h00 – Lunch

Part 3 – Moderation, Dr. N. Khalidi

13h00-13h05 – CanVasc (Website and educational activities) – Dr. C. Pagnoux

13h05-13h20 – Vasculitis Foundation Canada (Patient support group) – Mr. Jon Stewart

13h20-14h45 – Ongoing activities and studies on vasculitis in Canadian CanVasc centers
All CanVasc core members

14h45-15h00 – Break

15h00-16h25 – Ongoing enrolment for studies in Canada – Drs C. Pagnoux, M. Walsh, N. Khalidi, S. Carette

16h25-16h30 – Conclusion – Dr. C. Pagnoux