



CRRN Annual Scientific Meeting Agenda
Lord Elgin Hotel
100 Elgin Street, Ottawa, ON K1P 5K8
November 6th and 7th, 2025
Pearson Room

Thursday, November 6th, 2025

0730 - 0830 – Breakfast

0830 – Welcome and Introductions (Simon Rousseau, CRRN Director)

0855 – ICRH Update - Marie-Claude Gingras (Associate Director ICRH)

0910 – Bernard Thebaud, (Ottawa U) “*Novel advanced medical therapies for lung diseases: The future is now!*”

0940 – Pat Camp – (UBC) “*Disrupted diagnostics: Confronting inequity in access to spirometry with SPIRO*”

1000 – CRRN Photo (all attendees to be in photo -location TBD)

1030 – Break

1050 – Trainee Lightning Presentations (Group #1) (Sarah Svenningson, (McMaster U)

1135 – Andrew Halayko (U of Manitoba) “*Communication breakdown: Oxidized phospholipids at the bronchodilator interface*”

1150 – Award Presentation

1200 – Lunch

1300 – Sarah Svenningson, (McMaster U) “*Imaging features of mucus plugs in asthma and COPD*”

1320 – Devin Phillips (York U) “*Activity-related breathlessness in patients post-pulmonary embolism: mechanisms and treatments.*”

1340 – Bryan Ross (McGill U) “*Wearable technologies, portable handheld devices, and remote patient monitoring in COPD: A new era*”

1400 – Azadeh Yadollahi (U of T) Title: TBD

1420 – Break

1450 – Trainee Lightning Presentations (Group #2) (Sarah Svenningson)

1530 – How to improve the landscape of collaboration in respiratory research for clinical studies.

1530 – Sanja Stanojevic (Dal U) (shAIRe Network)

1550 – Isabel Fortier (Maelstrom Research)

1610 – Simon Rousseau (McGill U) CRRN Lung Health Registry

1630 – Wrap Up

1900 – Dinner at Local Restaurant Page Break



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0830 – Samir Gupta (U of T) “Computerized decision support systems: If we build them, will they come?”

0900 – Andreanne Cote (IUPCQ-UL) “Reducing without compromise: Toward optimized asthma exacerbation management”

0920 – Kate Johnson/Kevin Duan (UBC) “Economic modeling to inform treatable traits: a case study in early initiation of triple therapy”

0940 – Michael Stickland (U Alberta) “Remote patient monitoring in pulmonary rehabilitation”.

1000 – Coffee Break and Check-out

1030 - Francine Ducharme (l'Université de Montréal) “RCT Vitamin D in preschoolers with viral-induced asthma: Study results & valorization of database & biobank”

1050 – Erwan Pernet (Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières) “Macrophages and inflammatory responses in the neonatal lung”

1110 – Trainee Lightning Presentations (Group #3) (Sarah Svenningson)

1150 – Min Hyung Ryu (UBC) “Respiratory genomics for precision medicine in the digital health era”

1210 – Lunch

1300 – Diane Lougheed (Queen’s U): Promoting evidence-based asthma care: eTools and the EMR”

1320 – Cole Bowerman (Queen’s U): “Clearing the air on lung health: beyond the absence of disease”

1340 – Avtar Lal (CTS) “Methodological foundations for guideline development: A CTS perspective”

1400 – Simon Rousseau (McGill U) “Endotyping and its use to match interventions”

1420 – Presentation to Winners of the Trainee Lightning Rounds (Sarah Svenningson)

1425 – Planning of AGM 2026 and Wrap Up.