### Program Agenda

**Friday June 19th, 2015**

- **7:00 AM**  
  Registration and Breakfast  
  *(Harbour Ballroom Foyer - CL)*

- **7:50 AM**  
  Official Welcome and Introduction  
  *Drs. Peter Liu and Michael Farkouh*

#### PLENARY LECTURE

- **8:00 AM**  
  New Approaches in Transformation of Health Care Systems  
  *Dr. Christopher Simpson*

#### Advanced Imaging in Cardiovascular Care

- **8:30 AM**  
  Atherosclerosis & Coronary Plaque  
  *Dr. Myra Cocker*
- **8:50 AM**  
  Positron Emission Tomography & the Myocardium  
  *Dr. Renée Hessian*
- **9:10 AM**  
  Advances in Cardiac Magnetic Resonance Imaging  
  *Dr. Matthias Friedrich*
- **9:30 AM**  
  Advances in 3-D Echocardiography  
  *Dr. Wendy Tsang*
- **9:50 AM**  
  Active Learning Q & A with Panel

- **10:10 AM**  
  HEALTH BREAK  
  *(Harbour Ballroom Foyer - CL)*

#### Cardiometabolic Syndrome

- **10:45 AM**  
  Is there Good vs. Bad Obesity?  
  *Dr. David Lau*
- **11:05 AM**  
  Canadian Diabetes Association 2013 Clinical Practice Guidelines: Things You May Not Have Seen Before  
  *Dr. Alice Cheng*
- **11:25 AM**  
  Novel Glucose Control Agents  
  *Dr. David Lau*
- **11:45 AM**  
  What’s New in Cardiovascular Outcomes Trials in Type 2 Diabetes  
  *Dr. Michael Farkouh*
- **12:05 PM**  
  Active Learning Q & A with Panel
- **12:20 PM**  
  LUNCH  
  *(Harbour Ballroom C - CL)*
Anticoagulant/Antiplatelet

Dr. Allan Skanes, Presiding

1:20 PM  Antiplatelet & Acute Coronary Syndrome
  Dr. Robert Welsh

1:40 PM  Atrial Fibrillation & Anticoagulants
  Dr. Allan Skanes

2:00 PM  DAPT Trial
  Dr. Robert Yeh

2:20 PM  Active Learning Q & A with Panel

2:40 PM  HEALTH BREAK

Lipids

Dr. Michael Domanski, Presiding

3:00 PM  The IMPROVE-IT Trial: Efficacy and Safety of Ezetimibe Post ACS
  Dr. Robert Giugliano

3:20 PM  PCSK9 Inhibitors: Why and How to Integrate them into Management of Cardiovascular Risk
  Dr. John Mancini

3:40 PM  Primary Prevention: ECAD
  Dr. Michael Domanski

4:00 PM  Reevaluating the Landscape: Is There a Role for Triglycerides?
  Dr. Dominic Ng

4:20 PM  Active Learning Q & A with Panel

Challenges at the End of the Road

Drs. Peter Liu and Peter Lin, Presiding

4:40 PM  The Aging Person with Multi-morbidities
  Dr. Ross Upshur

5:00 PM  Psychiatric Illness and Cardiovascular Disease
  Dr. Heather Tulloch

5:20 PM  Overview of Evidence Supporting Traditional Therapies
  Dr. Peter Lin

5:40 PM  Active Learning Q & A with Panel

6:00 PM  Adjournment

Saturday June 20th, 2015

7:30 AM  Registration and Breakfast

8:20 AM  Opening Remarks
  Dr. Thierry Mesana

Heart Failure

Dr. Douglas Lee, Presiding

8:30 AM  When to Consider Advanced Therapies for Heart Failure
  Dr. Heather Ross

8:50 AM  SHIFT Trial
  Dr. Peter Liu

9:10 AM  PARADIGM-HF and the Next Steps
Dr. Eileen O’Meara
9:30 AM  Transcatheter Mitral Valve Intervention

Dr. Neil Fam
9:50 AM  Update on Diastolic Heart Failure Trials

Dr. Sheldon Litwin
10:10 AM  Active Learning Q & A with Panel

10:30 PM  HEALTH BREAK  (Harbour Ballroom  Foyer - CL)

The Heart is Not Alone
Dr. Thierry Mesana, Presiding
11:00 AM  Cardiorenal Syndrome: Which Comes First, The Heart or the Kidney?

Dr. Kim Connelly
11:20 AM  Rheumatoid Arthritis and Cardiovascular Risk

Dr. Girish Dwivedi
11:40 AM  Improving Cardiac Safety Advancing Cancer Care

Dr. Susan Dent
12:00 PM  The Heart and the Lung

Dr. Douglas Bradley
12:20 PM  Active Learning Q & A with Panel

12:40 PM  LUNCH  (Harbour Ballroom  C - CL)
1:40 PM  CCS 2015 NATIONAL WORKSHOP INITIATIVE  (Harbour Ballroom  A&B - CL)

Active Learning Case Discussion
Shaping the Future of Heart Failure Management in Canada
The Many Different Faces of Heart Failure
Chairs: Drs. Michael McDonald and Gordon Moe

Cases:
1. Spiro and HFrEF: When to use spironolactone in HFrEF; which patients, how to monitor?
2. Anemia: When should I investigate, what should I look for and when should I treat or refer?
3. NPs: NYHA 2/3 with elevated BNP; Asymptomatic new referral: do I test and what do I do?
4. LCZ: Up titrating ACEIs or ARBs assuming that LCZ will become available in 2016.

3:15 PM  HEALTH BREAK  (Harbour Ballroom  Foyer - CL)

Electrophysiology
Dr. Atul Verma, Presiding
3:45 PM  CABANA Trial: Why Should General Cardiologists Care?

Dr. Douglas Packer
4:05 PM  Ventricular Tachycardia Ablation in 2015: What is the State of the Art, Who Should be Referred, and What are the Results?

Dr. David Wilber
4:25 PM  The 2014 Canadian Cardiovascular Society Atrial Fibrillation Guidelines – What You Need to Know and Why we Decided on Them

Dr. Atul Verma
4:45 PM  How Much Atrial Fibrillation is Enough to Consider Oral Anticoagulation?

Dr. Vidal Essebag
5:05 PM  Active Learning Q & A with Panel

5:25 PM  Summary and Concluding Remarks

Dr. Peter Liu
5:50 PM  Adjournment

(Program evaluation will be collected and CME credit statements will be handed out at this time.)