

**CSCI/CITAC Annual Conference and Young Investigators Forum  
Final Meeting Program  
September 24-25, 2008 – Toronto**

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2008**

0730 – 1100 CSCI Council Meeting (closed; working breakfast) – *University of Toronto*  
(Room 7231 in the Medical Sciences Building 1 Kings College Circle)

0800 – 0930 CITAC Mentorship Breakfast – *Medical Sciences Building (Stone Lobby)*

0930 – 1330 CITAC Annual General Meeting – *CCBR, Red Seminar Room (160 College St.)*

1100 – 1200 CSCI Annual Business Meeting (CSCI members only) – *University of Toronto*  
(Room 7231, Medical Sciences Building 1 Kings College Circle)

1200 – 1330 CIP Committee Meeting (closed; working lunch) – *University of Toronto*  
(Room 2317, Medical Sciences Building 1 Kings College Circle)

1330 – 1600 **CSCI/FCIHR SYMPOSIUM**  
**Mentoring of Clinician-Investigators: A Joint Responsibility of Faculty and Funders** Location: *MaRS Discovery District Auditorium, Toronto (101 College St.)*  
Co-Chairs: Dr. Brent Winston (CSCI) and Dr. Bruce McManus (FCIHR)

1330 – 1345 Introductory Remarks  
CIHR President - Dr. Alain Beaudet  
FCIHR President - Dr. Aubie Angel

1345 – 1415 **What is mentoring and how is it best accomplished. What is the evidence?**  
Dr. Sharon Straus, University of Toronto

1415 – 1445 **What can the Faculty do to help this process?**  
Dr. Ori Rotstein, University of Toronto

1445 – 1515 **Enhancing the Economic Life Cycle of Clinician Scientists**  
Dr. Peter Liu, CIHR

1515 – 1555 Question period – Co-Chair: Michael Ward (CITAC President)  
Co-Chair: Dr. Jonathan Angel (CSCI President)

1555 – 1600 Closing Remarks – Dr. Jonathan Angel

1600 – 1615 Refreshment and Networking Break

1630 – 1730 **PUBLIC FORUM FOR THE HENRY G. FRIESEN INTERNATIONAL PRIZE IN HEALTH RESEARCH – “Advancing Global Health by Encouraging Medical Science World-Wide”**  
**Dr. Harold Varmus**, President and CEO of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, NY and Nobel Prize (1989)

**1730 – 1830 GALA RECEPTION AND AWARD PRESENTATION**

1930 – 2200

### **CSCI DINNER AND AWARDS**

*Location – Massey College (4 Devonshire Place)*

- CSCI Distinguished Service Award – Dr. Mel Silverman  
University of Toronto
- Joe Doupe Lecture and Award, Dr. Aaron Schimmer, Toronto

**NOTE: Your dinner selection can NOT be changed; only pre-registrants may attend; please bring your colored voucher located in your name badge holder**

## **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2008**

**Location — *MaRS Discovery District Auditorium (101 College St.)***

- 0700-0800 Continental Breakfast and Set-up of Posters
- 0800 – 1000 **Young Investigator Forum Poster Session**
- 1000 – 1100 **Your First Academic Contract: What do you need to address?**  
Chair: CITAC Representative
- 1000 – 1030 New Faculty Perspective, Dr. Todd Fairhead, University of Ottawa
- 1030 – 1100 University Department's Perspective, Dr. Gillian Hawker,  
University of Toronto
- 1100 – 1200 **CSCI/ROYAL COLLEGE HENRY FRIESEN AWARD AND LECTURE**  
Dr. Michel G. Bergeron, Laval University  
*Revolutionizing the practice of medicine through Rapid (<1h) DNA-based diagnostics*  
Chair: Dr. Jonathan Angel
- 1200 – 1300 Lunch and Networking Opportunities
- 1200 – 1300 CITAC Business Meeting (closed; working lunch)  
*CCBR, Red Seminar Room (160 College St.)*
- 1300 – 1515 **Young Investigator Forum Oral Presentations**
- 1515 – 1530 Nutrition Break
- 1530 – 1630 **CSCI Distinguished Scientist Award and Lecture**  
Dr. Shereen Ezzat, Toronto  
Chair: Dr. Jonathan Angel
- 1630 – 1645 **Presentation of Awards to YIF Winners**  
Chair: Dr. Mel Silverman  
Closing Remarks: Dr. Jonathan Angel
- 1645 – 1815 CITAC Executive Meeting (invitation only)  
*CCBR, White Seminar Room (160 College St.)*

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**REGISTRATION**

To register for the conference, please contact the CSCI Office for a registration form  
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CSCI Members in good standing and trainees will receive complimentary registration; however, all delegates must still register.

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