CHAIR'S CORNER

A word from the MIMM Chair

Dear Members of the MIMM Community,

On March 15th, the Department of Microbiology & Immunology will participate in a one-day fundraising campaign called “McGill-24”. This McGill-wide initiative consists of soliciting potential donors to directly support our Department primarily through email messages and social media. To get our campaign going, I will personally give $150. Please be generous, no contribution is too small to support our

ACHIEVEMENTS

Zika Virus

Drs. Sagan and Richer are currently conducting laboratory research to improve the understanding of the Zika virus infection. They were able to successfully cause a Zika infection in adult mice with a normal immune system. This is an exciting discovery as the virus has only been studied on mice with defective immune systems which limited the understanding of the response to it. The MIMM researchers were featured in the Med e-newsletter. To read it, click here.

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