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DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

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DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

Howard Bergman, MD

September 2005
INTRODUCTION

The McGill University Division of Geriatric Medicine of the Department of Medicine is comprised of faculty from the Divisions of Geriatric Medicine of the Jewish General Hospital (JGH), the McGill University Health Centre (MUHC), and St. Mary's Hospital. Faculty from the Department of Family Medicine play a key role in the Division. There are links with the Division of Geriatric Psychiatry of the Department of Psychiatry. Faculty from Epidemiology, molecular and cell biology and Neurology with an active and significant interest in aging research and who have been involved in research with division members are integrated in the division. Investigators from other departments continue to show interest and have requested joining the Division. There is ongoing and close collaboration for clinical work, teaching and research with nursing, physiotherapy, occupational therapy and social work. There is significant collaboration with our colleagues from the Université de Montréal as well as other Quebec and Canadian Universities in areas of research and program development. International collaboration has also considerably developed.

The Division Executive now includes Drs. Allen Huang (MUHC Division Director), Howard Chertkow, Ruby Friedman, Robert Bailey, Susan Gold and Christina Wolfson, reflecting our research, teaching and clinical objectives. The Executive has met regularly in the past year and various committees function in a regular and active manner. (See Appendix I for Committee Work)

1. RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

1.1 Research activity

Please see Appendix II for the list of research projects, Appendix III for publications, book chapters and abstracts, Appendix IV for lectures, Appendix V for honors and awards, Appendix VI for graduate students. Research in neurobiology and dementia, informatics, health services, frailty, pharmacoepidemiology, nutrition, bone, rehabilitation, long term care and education continue to represent the existing strengths of the Division with programs that cross hospital, department and university lines and in some cases integrate bench to bedside to population. Geriatric/Oncology, Geriatric Cardiology as well as end of life care are emerging interests. There is increasing collaboration with colleagues from Quebec, Canada and internationally.

In the past year, members of our Division lead major research programs with funding from the Canadian Institutes on Health Research (CIHR), the FRSQ, the Canadian Foundation for Innovation (CFI) and Valorisation Recherche Québec (VRQ). These major research teams bring together investigators from Quebec, Canada and internationally. Dr. Allen Huang, with Robyn Tamblyn’s group on projet IRIS-Quebec & Cyber-Santé; Dr. Howard Chertkow and other colleagues from our McGill Division and colleagues from the Université de Montréal on Cognitive Impairment in the Elderly; Drs. Howard Bergman and François Béland, co-directors of Solidage: McGill/Université de Montréal Research Group on Integrated Services for the Elderly on The Challenge of Understanding and Meeting the Needs of the Frail Elderly in the Canadian Health Care System. Other members of our Division actively involved include: Johanne Monette, Christina Wolfson, and Wendy Chiu. Johanne Monette continues to develop a Collaborative Research Network in Long-Term Care. Dr. Howard Bergman with Christina
Wolfson and François Béland with funding from the Max Bell Foundation, the FRSQ, the Institute of Aging of the CIHR and other Canadian and European groups lead the Canadian Initiative on Frailty and Aging. Dr. José Morais, along with several other investigators from Quebec received major funding from CIHR for a 5 year Longitudinal Study on Nutrition and Healthy Aging.

Drs. Wendy Chiu and Johanne Monette are key players in setting up the Geriatric/Oncology interest group with the objective of developing a research, teaching and clinical program. A geriatrician/oncologist from the Université de la Méditerranée in Marseille and an oncologist from the Institut Curie will be joining our Division in the coming year as research fellows. As well, Doreen Wan-Chow-Wah, our geriatric fellow, is planning to do a fellowship in Oncology.

Because of these strengths, the Division has played an important role in the FRSQ Quebec Research Network on Aging (Réseau Québécois de recherche sur le vieillissement). Howard Bergman is named Director, José Morais is on the executive and other members are either coordinators or present in all themes. Dr. Bergman was named Chair of the Advisory Board of the Institute of Aging.

Drs. José Morais and Gustavo Duque held in the past year chercheur/clinician awards. Dr. Duque won the Young Investigator Award from the Gerontological Society of America.

1.2 Research Day

This year our McGill Division held its 10th Annual Research Day in collaboration with the 4th Annual Research Day of the Réseau Québécois de recherche sur le vieillissement and in collaboration with the Centre de recherche de l’institut universitaire de gériatrie de Montréal. Please see Appendix VII for the Annual Research Day Program. Suffice to say that there were 25 oral presentations and 43 poster presentations.

Two $750 prizes were awarded by a jury of faculty members:

- Ayanna Roberts (Interactive case design: teaching basic hospital skills to 2nd year medical students) for best oral presentation in social/health/medical education research
- Linda Lèvesque (Does the addition of functional status indicators to case-mix adjustment indices improve prediction of hospitalization, institutionalization and death among Canadian elderly) for best oral presentation in social/health/medical education research respectively.

Two $300 prizes were awarded:

- Keira Robinson (Evaluating the Feasibility and the Process of Assessing Capacity to Consent in a Population-Based Research Study) for best poster presentation in clinical/epidemiological research
- Jules Widler (Exercise and Nutrition in Older Women: Towards Healthier Lifestyles) for the best poster presentation in social/health/medical education research.

Approximately 80 people attended the Research Day and an abstract book was distributed.
1.3 Travel grant

For the 9th year, the Division’s Executive distributed several travel grants to several residents and postgraduate students.

2. EDUCATION

2.1 Joint Education/Training Committee

**Undergraduate medical students:** We are now completing the third year of the Geriatric Medicine Clerkship for all medical students (third and fourth year). Geriatric Medicine faculty is also involved in teaching two modules in I.T.P. as well as the integrated course in the first year.

Dr. Gustavo Duque, with the collaboration of Dr. Susan Gold and the support of his committee including Drs. Catherine Ferrier, Paul Heilpern, and Michael Bonney Castle, lead the Clerkship Curriculum with innovative web-based methods for teaching and evaluation. Ayanna Roberts was the coordinator. This has been and continues to be a tremendous challenge for our Division, which teaches 12 medical students every month. The number of students continues to rise each year (see Appendix VIII for summary of report). We are expecting changes in the coming year resulting in all fourth year students doing the 1 month Clerkship but over a period of 7 months, resulting in significant increase in the number of students per month.

The student evaluations have been very good to excellent. This is a testimony to the hard work and dedication of all the teachers in our Division. We are examining the curriculum on Aging in first and second year as well.

As well, this work has generated a certain number of publications and presentations. Dr. Gustavo Duque won best poster presentation: Canadian Association of Faculties of Medicine/Canadian Medical Association annual meeting, Saskatoon.

**Medical residents:** All medical residents as well as neurology and emergency medicine residents have a one-month rotation in Geriatric Medicine in their first year. Dr. Wendy Chiu is responsible for this program. There is ongoing dialog with the McGill Care Medicine program director.

**Family medicine residents:** All family medicine residents, as well, do one month of Geriatric Medicine.

**Geriatric Medicine Specialty Training Program:** Dr. Yves Bacher has recently stepped down as the Program Director. Dr. José Morais was named the new Program Director. Dr. Doreen Wan Chow Wah began her fellowship in January 2005. She was also the Chief Medical resident at the Royal Victoria Hospital.

**Health care for the Elderly Training Program:** In the past eight years we have trained 15 fellows. Dr. Najmi Nazerali is the Director, and Dr. Sylvia Windholz is the Associate Director.
of this program. We presently have 3 trainees: 2 from the McGill Family Medicine Program, Dr. Miriam Abdelnour and Dr. Nicola Toma; and 1 from the University of Toronto, Dr. Joyce Lee.

**Clinical/Research Fellows:** Dr. Manuel Montero, a geriatrician from Argentina, is completing his second year as a McGill clinical research fellow and focusing on mobility and gait speed. He received the Maimonides Geriatric Hospital/Jewish General Hospital/McGill University fellowship.

Dr. Chek Wong, a geriatrician from Singapore, is completing an 8 month research fellowship based in the Solidage Research Group and focusing on frailty.

Dr. Frédérique Retornaz, from the Université de la Méditerranée from Marseille, was trained as both a geriatrician and an oncologist will be beginning a 1 year research fellowship in Geriatric/Oncology. As well, Dr. Veronique Girre, an oncologist based at the Institut Curie in Paris has applied to do a research fellowship in Geriatric/Oncology beginning in June 2006.

Research projects completed under the McGill Summer Student Research Bursary included a comparison of changes in MoCA and MMSE in MCI patients followed at the Memory Clinic with complaints of cognitive decline, and correlation of orthostatic hypotension and fear of falling in patients followed at the Geriatric Clinic. Supervising staff included Drs. Johanne Monette, Susan Gold and Manuel Montero.

A research project on the role of lamins during mesenchymal stem differentiation was pursued at Dr. Duque’s laboratory by Yi Xing, a dental student at McGill University. She received a CIHR Health Professional Student Research Award to develop a small project both identifying the role of lamins in a normal model of differentiation and also looking at the effect that lamin inhibition may have in this model.

**2.2 Post-Graduate Courses**

Dr. Gustavo Duque teaches courses in biology of aging. Dr. Christina Wolfson gives a course on epidemiology of aging in the Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, while Dr. Nancy Mayo gives a course in methodology to graduate physiotherapy and occupational therapy students. Division members have given lectures in courses in other faculties and universities.

**2.3 Education Activities with other McGill Schools and Departments**

Our Division participated in teaching in the McGill School of PT and OT and the School of Dietetics and Human Nutrition.

**2.4 Rounds**

a) **McGill University Geriatric Medicine Grand Rounds**

In October 1994 the Division inaugurated the McGill University Geriatric Medicine Grand Rounds. We have now completed our 11th year (see the full program in Appendix IX). Seven speakers including four local speakers and three visiting professors were part of this year's
program. The visiting professors spent two days at McGill giving the Geriatric Medicine Grand Rounds, a Medical Grand Round in one of the three teaching hospitals, as well as meetings with McGill scientists, graduate students and post-doc and residents interested in a particular field. This year we began a new tradition. All the trainees, fellows, residents and medical students interacted with the Grand Round speaker around a case presentation.

b) McGill University Interdisciplinary Rounds

The McGill University Interdisciplinary Seminars has now completed its second year of operation in its revised format. The first seminar was held on September 19, 2003, and entitled “Promoting Partnership through Protocols: Intervention Strategies for Dementia Care”. It was well-attended (about 130 participants) and received excellent feedback. The present committee is comprised of representatives from various facilities in the McGill teaching network, including hospitals, rehab centers, CLSC’s, and long-term care institutions. Its second annual seminar was held on Sept. 10, 2004, and was entitled “Driven to Distraction: Ethical Dilemmas in Geriatric Care”. Featured topics and speakers included Driving Ability, presented by Mme Isabelle Gelinas, erg./PhD from McGill University, Competency presented by M. Daniel Geneau, and Lucia Fabijan from the JGH presented Complex Family Dynamics. In addition to the formal lectures, poster presentations and resource kiosks were featured, providing increased opportunity for networking. This year’s seminar to be held in September 2005 will focus on Mental Health. I want to express my appreciation to Caryn Nash for her work as committee Chair. Caryn has been replaced by Judy Bianco. Committee members include health care professionals from Acute Care, Long term care and community settings.

c) Hospital Division Rounds

The hospitals Division organize rounds as well. The MUHC has weekly joint rounds with local and visiting speakers and the JGH has regular Journal Club. Both Divisions hold regular presentations by residents. St. Mary’s holds rounds and journal clubs as well. The Jewish General Hospital/McGill Memory Clinic holds Research Rounds.

2.5 Continuing Medical Education

In March 2004, Paul Lysy with Yves Bacher and Susan Vaitekunas organized a very successful McGill Geriatric two-day CME course with approximately 70 participants (held every two years). Paul Lysy stepped down as Committee Chair and I want to express my sincere appreciation for his dedicated and excellent work. Paul, Susan Vaitekunas and David Lussier are on the committee chaired by Dr. Gary Inglis.

With the help and encouragement of Dr. Michael D. Rosengarten of McGill Continuing Medical Education, Geriatric Medicine now has a section on the Continuing Medical Education website (http://www.med.mcgill.ca/~cme/html/cmevidOd.html) where lectures in particular from the Geriatric Medicine Grand Rounds series, as well as other lectures given by members of our Division or others on geriatric topics can be viewed directly as web casting.

Members of the Division actively participated in various activities of continuing medical education including the Thursday evening lecture series.
3. CLINICAL ACTIVITIES

The organization of clinical activities is under the responsibility of each of the hospital Divisions of geriatric medicine at the MUHC (Montreal General and RVH sites) (Dr. Allen Huang), Jewish General Hospital (Dr. Ruby Friedman), and St. Mary’s (Dr. Robert Bailey). There has been some sharing of resources in the past and this will likely continue to grow. As well, there have been agreements on the development of tertiary care activities. Finally, recruitment is done as a joint activity of the University and each of the hospital Divisions.

In the McGill hospitals (MUHC, JGH, St. Mary’s) there are a total of over 100 acute geriatric beds and the Divisions assume the responsibility for approximately 188 long-term care beds situated within the hospitals. All the Divisions run active consultation services in the Emergency Room as well as on the medical, surgical and psychiatric wards. In the last year there were approximately 3500 consultations (not counting follow-up visits) done in the emergency room and on the wards. As well, there are outpatient geriatric clinics in each of the sites, as well as a Geriatric Day Hospital at the MUHC/RVH site. There is a tertiary care Memory Clinic at the JGH and an Incontinence Clinic at the MUHC/MDG site as well as a Competency Clinic at the MUHC/MDG site. Each of the sites is actively involved in other community outreach programs with the CLSC home care services and community intermediate resources. Geriatricians and other members of the multidisciplinary team participate actively in program planning and management for services of the elderly in each of the hospitals as well as with the CLSCs, the Regional Board and the Ministry.

4. NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES

This year, Dr. Yves Bacher was elected President of the Société Québécois de gériatrie and Dr. Howard Bergman President of the Canadian Geriatrics Society. The work on the international scene continues to develop. Members of the Division continue to be invited as speakers, often in major plenary sessions, in many and varied international scientific meetings and forums. This has led to international collaboration in research endeavors in Europe, United States, Latin America and Israel. Members of the Division have been named to boards of international peer-reviewed journals.

As indicated above, international clinical and research fellows are an important part of our program.

Members of the Division are actively involved in American Geriatrics Society International Special Interest Group.

5. WEBSITE

Thanks to the work of Shek Fung with the help of Allen Huang, Gustavo Duque and Carol Novoseller, our website (http://www.med.mcgill.ca/geriatrics/) is an active instrument. It is becoming an important point of communication for those interested in finding out about what our Division does or communicating our monthly Calendar of Events and for announcing various rounds, etc., as well as an instrument for the teaching of medical students and residents.
6. CONCLUSION

There is no doubt that the McGill Division of Geriatric Medicine has developed considerably in the area of education as well as research and publications. With the scope and our clinical responsibilities, the depth and variety of the education activities, in particular now with the Clerkship, the importance of the research programs in terms of the amount of peer-reviewed and industry funding, as well as publications, our Division is perhaps the most complete in the country and makes important contributions to the field of Geriatric Medicine and Aging. It is a testimony to the work of the members of our faculty.

There are several important challenges in the upcoming year.

Teaching

The coming year will be both exciting and challenging from a teaching point of view. We will continue to have our full load of clerks with slightly increased numbers. This program continues to be stimulating for our faculty but also represents a significant load. This coming year we have, as well, a significant number of fellows: 1 R4/R5 Geriatric Medicine Specialty fellow and 3 Family Medicine Care for the Elderly R3 fellows. As well, we continue to have the clinical research fellows that I mentioned above.

Clinical

The development of the RUIS (Réseau Universitaire intégré de services) represents an extremely important challenge for us. Up until now, our hospital divisions have worked independently but with the RUIS we will now have to rethink the configuration of our services and our relationship with our clinical partners. These partners include the 2 CSSS (Cavendish and Métro/Côte des Neiges/Park Extension), which represent a population of approximately 350,000 people, calculating approximately 18% over 65. This represents close to 65,000 older persons. We have a responsibility as a secondary tertiary care center for those 2 CSSS. As well, we have responsibilities to other CSSS on the island, particularly the West Island CSSS, which includes the Lakeshore General Hospital. We have already been solicited to work with the Lakeshore General in order to consult and advise on the development of their program for older persons. Finally, we have the responsibilities toward the outlined regions, including l’Outaouais and Abitibi; for example, the l’Outaouais region has already invited us to consult and advise them on the development of their geriatric programs.

Research

We will need to continue to recruit and train new investigators involved in strategic research programs in development at the FRSQ and CIHR. There are important opportunities for important linkage among our research programs; for example, Oncology, Cardiology, Frailty, Nutrition and bone, etc.
Recruitment

As with other university divisions in the Department of Medicine, this is an interesting challenge. We have increasing teaching and research demands, with ever increasing clinical demands not only within our hospitals but also our responsibility within the RUJS. We need to continue to identify opportunities for recruitment within the restrictions of the medical manpower numbers that have been allocated to us.

Acknowledgements

Geriatric Medicine continues to receive constant support from both the Dean of Medicine, Abe Fuks and the Chair of Medicine, Dr. David Eidelman.

I would like to, again, express my special appreciation to Dr. Robert Levine of the Kaufmann Foundation and Ms. Anita David of the Gustav Levinschi Foundation who continue to be a source of counsel and advice for our Division. They have constantly supported innovative clinical work and research in our hospital Division.

I would like to express my appreciation to Carol Novoseller who is instrumental in the organization of the McGill Geriatric Medicine Grand Rounds, the McGill Interdisciplinary Geriatric Seminar and the McGill CME program and who assures the administration base for our Division, to Elizabeth Iacono, Enza Volpe and Renée Kaminski for secretarial and organization support in all our division activities. I would also like to thank Ayanna Roberts who has stepped down as coordinator of our teaching program to continue her post graduate studies.

Respectfully submitted,

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The Dr. Joseph Kaufmann Professor of Geriatric Medicine
Director
Division of Geriatric Medicine, McGill University

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APPENDIX I

COMMITTEE WORK

2004 - 2005

DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

__________ Division members

------------- Cross appointed members

__________ Adjunct members
COMMITTEE  
2004 - 2005

BERGMAN Howard

Journals

*Editorial Board*

Revue de Gériatrie (publiée en France), membre, Comité Scientifique 1996-present  
Geriatrics & Aging 1998-present  
International Journal of Integrated Care (IJIC) 2001-present  
Geriatrics Today 2001-present  
Geriatrics & Gerontology (International Editorial Board) 2005

*Ad hoc Reviews*

Canadian Family Physician 1988-present  
Canadian Journal on Aging 1990-present  
Canadian Medical Association Journal (CMAJ) 1992-present  
Journal of the American Geriatrics Society 1993-present  
Age and Aging 1998-present

*Grant Reviews*

*Committees*

Merit Review Panel, Canadian Health Services Research Foundation 1998-present  
FRSQ Comité pour l’évaluation des demandes de subventions à la recherche évaluative, épidémiologique et opérationnelle 2000-present

*Ad hoc reviews*

National Health Research and Development Programs (NHRDP), Health and Welfare Canada 1990-present  
Medical Research Council, Canada 1992-present  
Fonds de la Recherche en Santé du Québec (FRSQ) 1991-present
McGill University

*Department of Medicine*

Executive Committee, Division of Geriatric Medicine 1991-present
Education Committee, Division of Geriatric Medicine 1994-present

Sir Mortimer B. Davis Jewish General Hospital

*Department of Medicine*

Policy Committee 1990-present

*Hospital Committees*

Medical Advisory Committee 1987-present

*Professional and Learned Societies*

*Officer*
Vice-Chair, Advisory Board of the Institute of Aging, CIHR 2004
Chair, Advisory Board of the Institute of Ageing, CIHR 2005
Advisor, International Federation on Ageing 2005
President, Canadian Geriatrics Society 2005

*Meeting Organizer*
Montreal Organizing Committee, 8th International Montreal/Springfield Symposium on Advances in Alzheimer Therapy. Montreal 2004
Co-Chair, Scientific Committee, Congrès international francophone de gérontologie 2006. Montreal 2004
Comité Consultatif, Forum franco-québécois sur la santé. Mai 2005, Québec 2004
Foundations and Industry Committees

Board of Directors, Gustav Levinschi Foundation 2004
Advisory Council, encircle Program, Bank of Montreal 2004

Government and Community Committees and Consultations

Consultation visit and summary workshop: Challenge of Implementing the Specialized Geriatric Program in Edmonton. Glenrose Rehabilitation Hospital – sponsored by Capital Health, Vancouver, BC 2005

BROWN-JOHNSON Anita

Member, LTC/ER Workgroup 2005-present
Member, McGill Interdisciplinary Geriatric Seminar 2005-present
Member, MUHC Task Force on Post-Hospitalization Care 2005
CPDP Representative on MUHC Adult Clinical Ethics Committee 2004-present
Member, MUHC Long-Term Care Task Force 2004
Chair, MUHC Committee on Curriculum Development for AMPs 2004
Member, MUHC Alternate Level Care Taskforce 2003-2004
Member, MUHC Department of Family Medicine Executive Committee 2002-present
Member, MUHC Division of Geriatrics Executive Committee 2001-present
Physician Representative on MUHC Transition/Long-Term Care Quality Management Committee 2000-present
Member, MUHC Interdisciplinary Workgroup on Management of Behavioral Disturbance 2002-present
MGH Physician Representative on MUHC Joint Committee on Patient Care 2002-present
Member, Division of Geriatrics Committee on Morbidity & Mortality – MGH Site 2002–present
Joint recruitment efforts continued over the past year to attract family physicians to MUHC Transition Care & GDECC.

**CHERTKOW Howard**

Jewish General Hospital Academic Advisory Committee 2000-present

Medical advisor, Québec division of the Alzheimer’s Society of Canada 1998-present

Member, Executive Committee, Lady Davis Institute, S.M.B.D.-Jewish General Hospital 1999-present

Coordinator, Québec Consortium for Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Neurodegenerative Disorders. (Coordinator of CFI application from same) 2001-present

Member, FRSQ (Fonds de la recherche en santé du Québec) Committee for awarding chercheur-boursier clinician salary grants. 2001-present

President, C5R (Consortium of Canadian Centres for Clinical Cognitive Research) 2001-present

“Action Editor” Brain and Cognition 2002-present

Coordinator (elected) – application to the NCE program for ‘CI-NET’, the Cognitive Impairment Network of Canada. 2002-2004

Appointed Scientific Officer, CIHR Biological and Clinical Aspects of Aging Committee. 2002-present

**CLARFIELD Avram Mark**

Research Ethics (Helsinki) Committee, Soroka Hospital, Beersheva 2004-present

Steering Committee, ICRAM (Int'l Committee to Revitalize Academic Medicine), BMJ, London, UK 2004-2005

**DUQUE Gustavo**

Education Committee, Division of Geriatric Medicine, McGill University 1999-present

American Geriatrics Society Research Committee-Public Relations subcommittee

Grant review committee-FRSQ for détenteurs d’un diplôme professional en sante: Doctorat, Post doctorat, fellowship 2005
KODNER Dennis L.

Co-Director, Consortium of New York Geriatric Education Centers  2004

Editorial Board, International Journal of Integrated Care  2004

Editorial Board, Home Health Care Services Quarterly  2004

Committee of International Experts, Revista Multidisciplinar Gerontología  2004

International Advisory Board, Social Policy & Administration  2004

Reviewer, The Milbank Quarterly  2004

Reviewer, The Gerontologist  2004

Reviewer, Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences  2004

Reviewer, Journal of Aging & Health  2004

Reviewer, Aging & Social Policy  2004

Steering Committee, International Network of Integrated Care (INIC)  2004

Scientific/Program Committee; Chairman, 2005 INIC International Conference on Integrated Care, Dublin, Ireland  2004

Scientific/Program Committee; Member, 2006 INIC+ Conference on Integrated Care, Montreal, Canada  2005

LEBLANC Andrea

University

Graduate Student Committee of the Neuroscience Department, McGill  1996-present

VRQ steering committee, Chaired by H. Chertkow and Y. Joanette  2001-present

National

Consultant H3 Pharma  2003-2004

International

Editorial Advisory Board, Current Alzheimer Research, Bentham Science Publishers  2003-present


Editorial Advisory Panel, Biochemical Journal  2004-present
National Institutes of Health, Division of Research Grants, Member of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Neuroscience, Ad hoc 2002-2003; appointed member 2003-2006

**Advisory Committees**

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<td>Biochemistry</td>
<td>Gordon Shore</td>
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<td>GPNS</td>
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**Examiner (2001-2004)**

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<td>R. Ward</td>
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<td>G. Walsh</td>
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**LUSSIER David**

**Journals – ad hoc reviews**

- Journal of Pain and Symptom Management 2004
- Journal of the American Geriatrics Society 2004-2005

**Committees – external**

- Secretary/Treasurer, Association des médecins gériatres du Québec 2004-present
- Member, Advisory Committee on Appropriate Use of Antibiotics, Conseil du médicament du Québec 2005

**MICHEL Jean-Pierre**

- Scientific external advisor: Canadian Initiative on Frailty in Montreal 2004
- Organization and participation in the Springfield Montreal Alzheimer Disease Symposium in Montreal 2004
- Co-president: Springfield Montreal Alzheimer Disease Symposium in Montreal 2004
Member of the scientific committee: Springfield Montreal Alzheimer Disease Symposium in Montreal

MORAIS José

FRSQ – Member of the Executive Committee of the Provincial Reseau for Aging Research 2004-present

External reviewer for CIHR Nutrition and Metabolism Committee and for Canadian Diabetes Association 2004-present

Representative of the Association des Gériatres du Québec on the Consulting Committee of the ROCQ (Recognizing Osteoporosis and its Consequences in Quebec). One period of 3 hours, twice/year. 2003-present

Member of the Clinical Sub-theme of diabetes of the Canadian Longitudinal Study of Aging. 2003-present

Member of the Canadian Institute on Frailty and Aging, Sub-Theme of Biology 2004

Member of the Search Committee for the Director of Geriatric Medicine Division, McGill University 2004

CIHR Operating Grants Committee Member 2004-2005

SCHIPPER Hyman

Journals

Editorial Boards

Journal of Neurochemistry 1998-present

Ad-hoc reviews

Glia (2) 2004
Neurobiology of Aging 2004

VAITEKUNAS Susan

JGH Medical Records Committee

Consultant work as expert in Long Term Care for College des Medecins Professional Inspection Committee
WINDHOLZ Sylvia

McGill University

Education Committee, McGill University, Division of Geriatric Medicine. 1996-present

Sir Mortimer B. Davis - Jewish General Hospital

Clinical Ethics Committee 1991-present

Clinical Ethics Subcommittee: developing the SMBD Jewish General Hospital Living Will Project. 1998-present

Critical Intervention Subcommittee 2004-2005

Committee for the Assessment of Medical Acts (CAMA) 1995-present

Network Integration Committee 1999-present

Management Committee, Division of Geriatric Medicine 1995-present

WOLFSON Christina

Committee Chair

Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics, McGill University Ph.D. Comprehensive Examination Committee. 2005-present

Committee Membership

Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics, McGill University Committee of Full Professors. 2002-present

Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics, McGill University Ph.D. Comprehensive Examination Committee. 2004-2005

Department of Medicine, McGill University. Executive Committee Division of Geriatric Medicine. 1994-present

Lady Davis Institute for Medical Research. Academic Advisory Committee. 2000-present

Lady Davis Institute for Medical Research. Research Management Committee. 2005-present
**Grant Reviews**

Panel Member, Health Research Committee, The Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada. 1998-present

**Canadian Scientific**

Member of the Organizing Committee for the 2005 Society for Epidemiologic Research and Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics joint Meeting. 2005

Chair, Organizing Committee for Spotlight Sessions. 2004-2005

Member, Selection Committee for the Scientific Director of the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR), Institute of Aging. 2004

**Ad hoc reviews**

Southern California Evidence-Based Practice Center. 2004

Neurological Foundation of New Zealand. 2004

Multiple Sclerosis Scientific Research Foundation of Canada. 2003-2004
APPENDIX II

RESEARCH

2004 - 2005

DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

__________ Division members

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RESEARCH
2004 – 2005

2001-ongoing Novartis/Exelon

2003-ongoing Myriad/ Fluribuprofen

2005-2008 Développement d'un système informatisé de gestion de la pratique et de la dotation en soins infirmiers et en milieux d'hébergement, Béland F (chercheur), CIHR (projet de recherche), 33 600$

2004-2008 The Canadian longitudinal study of aging: Developmental Activities - Phase 1, Béland F (chercheur principal), IRSC (projet de recherche), 436 000$

2004-2005 Banque de données Solidage-Prisma, Béland F (chercheur principal), RQRV-FRSQ, 25 000$

2004-2005 Pérennité Solidage-Prisma, Béland F (chercheur principal), RQRV-FRSQ (projet de recherche), 35 000$

2004-2005 FRÈLE : Fragilité : Une étude longitudinale de ses expressions, Béland F (chercheur principal), RQRV-FRSQ (projet de recherche), 35,000$

2004-2007 Rôle des organismes communautaires en santé et dynamique partenariale, Béland F (co-chercheur), CRSH (projet de recherche), 42 000$

2001-2006 The challenge of meeting and understanding the needs of frail older persons in the Canadian health care system. PI: Béland F, Bergman H; Co-investigators: Wolfson C, Monette J, Lebel P, et al. Canadian Institutes of Health Research/Interdisciplinary Health Research Team (CIHR/IHRT) $709,783 per year.

2003-2004 The comparison of the case-mix system, the resource utilization and the assessment process in post acute care between Japan and Canada. Takagi Takao (PI); Co-investigators: Tai Takahashi, Bergman Howard, Jiro Okochi. 12th Phizer research grant award. 5,000,000 Yen


2004-2005 Methodological and conceptual issues in longitudinal studies on frailty and aging: opportunities for international collaboration and harmonization. Bergman H, Wolfson C, Hogan D, Béland F; Canadian Institutes of Health Research. $25,000.

2003-ongoing Pfizer/Aricept & Lipitor

2003-2008 “Diagnosis, localization, and treatment of semantic memory impairment in Alzheimer’s Disease.” Chertkow H (P.I.), Arnold D, CIHR (Canadian Institutes of Health Research) operating grant of $113,350/year.

2004-ongoing GlaxoSmithKline/Avandia
2005-ongoing Neurochem/Alzhemed


2001-2004 Consortium, Cognition et Vieillissement: Consortium pour la recherche sur l’identification précoce et le traitement des troubles de la cognition reliés aux maladies neurodégénératives lors du vieillissement – total grant of $1,656,000 to Dr. Joanette Yves & Dr. Chertkow H (P.I.’s). This grant supports 30 investigators working in aging and cognition.

2002-2007 Collaborative health informatics research training program, Canadian Institutes of Health Research, Co-investigator: Huang A, PI Francis Lau, $1,500,000

2001-2005 Cyber-Santé, Valorisation-recherche Québec, Co-investigator: Huang A, PI Robyn Tamblyn, $5,000,000


2004-ongoing Consortium of New York Geriatric Education Centers; U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA); Co-Principal Investigator: Kodner D. Agreement # F3805-02

2004-ongoing Elder Mistreatment Program OGEC1; U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Public Health Service (PHS); Co-Principal Investigator: Kodner Dennis; Award # 1 D31 HP70127-05

2001-2005 Role of caspases in human neuronal cell death and in Alzheimer’s disease. Principal investigator: LeBlanc Andréa; CIHR, operating grant, $109,525 CDN per year.

2001-2005 Role of prion protein against Bax mediated apoptosis. Principal investigator: LeBlanc Andréa; CIHR, operating grant, $69,254 CDN per year.

2002-2007 Role of prion protein in neuronal survival. Principal investigator: LeBlanc Andréa; NIH, operating grant, $200,000 US per year.


2004 (Jan-Dec)  Proof of Principle grant. Principal Investigator. LeBlanc Andrea; CIHR, $100000 CDN


2005  Programme éducatif interdisciplinaire visant l’optimisation de l’approche thérapeutique des symptômes psychologiques et comportementaux de la démence. Monette J (Pl), Groupe de recherche Solidage, 10 000$

2005  Optimisation de la prise en charge des symptômes psychologiques et comportementaux (SPCD) de la démence en CHSLD. Monette J (Pl), Champoux N (Pl), Barrière F (Pl). Consortium Lavalois de recherche en santé et services sociaux. (Grant proposal) Submitted, 30 000$


2005  Optimization of the quality of antibiotics prescribing in long-term care facilities
Monette J (Pl), Miller MA, Boivin JF, both at JGH, Laurier C, Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR). 107 943$

2004-2005  Évaluation d’une intervention non-pharmaceutique pour réduire l’agitation verbale chez les personnes atteintes de démence. Landreville P (Pl), Verrault R, Voyer P, Vézina J, Québec. Collaborator: Monette J; Alzheimer Society of Canada/Canadian Nurses Foundation (through the Canadian Health Services Research Foundation Nursing Care Partnership grant) Care giving Research Program. 165 153$. FRSQ, Réseau québécois de recherche sur le vieillissement, 5 000$

2004-ongoing The effect of improved oral prostheses on the nutritional state of edentulous elderly individuals; Principal Applicants: Feine Jocelyne / Morais José A, CIHR - $313,194/yr
2004-ongoing Nutrition as a determinant of successful aging. The Quebec Longitudinal study. Principal Applicants: Payette Hélène / Morais José; CIHR - $753,300/yr

2004-ongoing Mechanisms of insulin resistance of protein metabolism in human obesity; Principal Investigator: Marliss Errol B; Co-Investigator: Morais José A; CIHR - $140,240/year


2004 Factors regulating resting energy expenditure and thermic effect of food in frail elderly persons. PI: Morais José A; MUHC Research Institute – Helen McCall Hutchinson Award in Geriatric Medicine. $22,500

2000-2004 Interdisciplinary Health Research Team (IHRT), Canadian Institute of Health Research, Ottawa. Projet sur la fragilité et sur l’évolution de l’âge au décès dans le cadre IHRT (collaboration avec l’Université McGill et l’Université de Montréal, responsables: Prof. F. Paccaud et Prof. B. Santos-Eggimann)

2002-2004 National Institutes of Health, Bethesda. Disease Control Priorities Project, contrat comme co-auteur du chapitre Cardiovascular Disease dans le cadre de la 2ème édition de Disease Control Priorities in Developing Countries Prof. F. Paccaud.

2001-ongoing UNAIDS - Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/Aids. Evaluation of the UNAIDS-EC project for implementation of 2nd generation surveillance in selected countries (responsables: Dr F. Dubois-Arber, Prof. F. Paccaud)


2004-ongoing Lundbeck/Memantine
“A Randomized, Double-Blind, Parallel Group Study Examining the Efficacy and Safety of Memantine on Behavioural Symptoms in Patients with Moderate to Severe Dementia of the Alzheimer’s Type.”P.I.: Vaitekunas Susan, Co-investigators: Bergman Howard, Chertkow Howard, Windholz Sylvia, Gold Susan, Inglis Gary, Bacher Yves, and Hyman Schipper.

2004-ongoing Sanofi-Synthelabo/Xaliproden
investigators: Bergman Howard, Chertkow Howard, Vaitekunas Susan, Gold Susan, Inglis Gary, Bacher Yves, and Schipper Hyman.

2001-present The Prognosis of Major and Minor Depression in Elderly Medical Inpatients: McCusker J, Cole M, Primeau F, Windholz S (principal investigator, SMBD Jewish General Hospital site)


2003-2004  Korner Bitensky N, Kaizer F, Wood Dauphinee S, Desrosiers J, Malouin F. Interventions used by occupational therapists and physical therapists in the treatment of individuals with stroke: is there an association between Best Practice and Actual Practice? REPAR $14,800,


APPENDIX III

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Papers, Book Chapters, Abstracts

2004

DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

Division members

Cross appointed members

Adjunct members
PUBLICATIONS 2004
Papers Peer Reviewed


Bourque P, Puskar D, Bonneville L, & Béland F; Contextual effects on life satisfaction of older men and women, Canadian Journal on Aging, 2005, 24:31-44.

Dedobbeleer N, Béland F, Contandriopoulos AP, Adrian M; Gender and the social context of smoking behaviour, Social Science & Medicine, 2004; 58:1-12.


Duque G, Dion N, Macoritto M, Ste. Marie LG, Kremer R. 1,25(OH)2D3 acts as a bone forming agent in the hormone independent Senescence Accelerated Mouse (SAMP6) model of


Oremus M, Wolfson C; (2004). Female specialists were more likely to respond to a postal questionnaire about drug treatments for Alzheimer disease. Journal of Clinical Epidemiology, 57(6):620-623.


Clarfield AM of Bown S. Tackling the Mystery of Scurvy, Medical Post. 2004;40 (9): 30-1.


Poissant L, Tamblyn R, Huang A; Preliminary validation of an automated health problem list. AMIA 2005 meeting.


APPENDIX IV

INVITED LECTURES

2004 - 2005

DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

____________ Division members

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INVITED LECTURES

BÉLAND François


BERGMAN Howard

International


Frailty: An Emerging Medical Concept. Special Lecture. Department of Medicine, Ben Gurion University, Israel. (2004)


*National*


SIPA: Results of a 22 month Randomized Controlled Trial on an Integrated System of Care for Frail Older Persons. Medical Grand Rounds, University of Alberta Hospital. (2004)


Other Lectures


**BROWN-JOHNSON Anita**

CHERTKOW Howard

“High and low tech prediction of progression to AD in Mild Cognitive Impairment” to be presented at the 8th International Montreal/Springfield Symposium on Advances in Alzheimer Therapy. Montreal, April 16, 2004.


DUQUE Gustavo


The use of web CT in Medical Education. Medical Education retreat, University Laval, Quebec, May 2004.

Molecular mechanisms of senile osteoporosis, Lady Davis Institute seminars, 2004.


The use of electronic portfolios, Medical Education Rounds, Faculty of Medicine, McGill University, 2004.

HUANG Allen R.


MUHC Division of Geriatric Medicine Rounds Sept 13, 2004: “PDAs & CME”.

RVH Internal Medicine residents’ rounds August 13, 2004: “Geriatrics & the Quebec Health Care system”.

RVH Internal Medicine residents’ rounds April 30, 2004: “Falls in the elderly”.


RVH Internal Medicine residents’ rounds April 2, 2004: “Update on Clinical Information Systems at the MUHC”.

SoQibs (Société Québécoise d’informatique Biomédicale et de la Santé) Forum sur les standards d’information en santé. March 31, 2004: « The composite clinical data dictionary ».

KODNER Dennis L.


LEBLANC Andrea


LUSSIER David


Pain in geriatric patients: a collaborative effort, MGH Pain Centre, Montreal, November 2004.

MICHEL Jean-Pierre

Participation in the Canadian Initiative on Frailty in Montreal - February 2004.

Chairman and speaker: Springfield Montreal Alzheimer Disease Symposium in Montreal, 2004

MONETTE Johanne


Interdisciplinary educative program to optimize the quality of management of psychological and behavioral symptoms of dementia. 5th Annual Geriatric retreat Maimonides Geriatric Hospital and Division of Geriatric Medicine. Monette J, MD, MSc., 2004.


Intervention program aiming to improve the quality of antibiotic prescribing in nursing homes. Young investigators rounds. Lady Davis Institute, Jewish General Hospital, Monette J, MD, MSc., 2004.


Optimisation de la prise en charge des symptômes psychologiques et comportementaux de la démence en soins de longue durée. Sessions scientifiques, CHSLD-CLSC Marigot. Monette J, MD, MSc et Champoux N, MD, MSc., 2004.

Implementation of an interdisciplinary educative program aiming to improve the management of behavioral and psychological symptoms of dementia. Annual Retreat Division of Geriatric Medicine and Maimonides Hospital Geriatric center, Montreal, 2004

MORAIS J.A.


PACCAUD Fred

Organisation et participation à des Colloques scientifiques
Consommation d’alcool: problèmes et solutions (en collaboration avec l’Institut Suisse de Prévention de l’Alcoolisme et autres toxicomanies (ISPA) et le Centre de traitement en alcoologie (CTA) du CHUV) Lausanne, 10 colloques du 20.1.2004 au 6.4.2004


**Organisation et participation à des Congrès et séminaires**

Etudes génétiques dans l’hypertension artérielle, Lausanne, 22.4.2004

La médecine fondée sur les preuves en pratique clinique quotidienne: quelles connaissances transférer ? et comment ?, Lausanne, 12.8.2004

Promoting physical activity as an aid for smoking cessation, Lausanne, 29.10.2004

**SCHIPPER Hyman**

*McGill*


**Provincial/National/International**


**VAITEKUNAS Susan**

Invited Lectures - Herzl CME series - Feb. 1, 2005 "The Other Dementias".

**WOLFSON Christina**


Career Women Interaction (CWI). “It is never too early (or too late) to think about successful aging”. Montreal, October 26, 2004.


WOOD-DAUPHINEE SHARON


Keynote Speaker: Quality of Life after Stroke. Inter-Urban Stroke Academic Association, Toronto, Ontario. April 2005
APPENDIX V

AWARDS/NOMINATIONS

2004 - 2005

DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

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AWARDS/NOMINATIONS
2004 - 2005

BROWN-JOHNSON Anita
Director, Secondary Care Division, MUHC Department of Family Medicine April 2002 - present
Director, MUHC Transition/Long-Term Care Services; Sept 2001 - present

DUQUE Gustavo
ACMC John Ruedy Award for Innovation in Medical Education. The Association of Canadian Medical Colleges. (2004)
Appointed as Associate Member, Centre for Medical education, McGill University. (2004-2006)

LEBLANC Andrea
William Dawson Scholarship Award, December 31, 2004 - December 31, 2007

PACCAUD Fred

WOLFSON Christina
Finalist, YMCA Women of Distinction. In the Health Category, 2004

WOOD-DAUPHINEE Sharon
Elected Fellow- Canadian Academy of Health Sciences
APPENDIX VI

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

GRADUATE STUDENTS AND POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS

2004 - 2005

DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

Division members

Cross appointed members

Adjunct members
TEACHING ACTIVITIES

BÉLAND François

Louise Lafortune. Titre à venir. Ph.D. Santé publique, co-directeur. 2003-present
François Truchon. Titre à venir. Ph.D. Santé publique, directeur. 2002-present

BERGMAN Howard

McGill Courses

Undergraduate

Small group teaching and bedside teaching ICMB medical students. 1996-present

Postgraduate

Regular small group teaching at the Jewish General Hospital to Family Medicine and Medical residents as well as to Geriatric specialty fellows. 1984-present

Post-Graduate Students

Supervisor

Co-thesis director, Mark Oremus, PhD student, McGill University. “Caregivers and Treatment of Alzheimer’s Disease”. 2002-

Co-thesis director, Louise Lafortune, PhD student, Université de Montréal. 2002-

Director, Manuel Montero, Clinical Fellow, University of Buenos Aires. “Gait in Older Persons” 2004-

Lectures: McGill Teaching Hospitals

The Fountain of Youth: Promoting Healthy Aging and Preventing Frailty. Mini Med School, Jewish General Hospital. 2005

La fontaine de jouvence: Promouvoir la vieillesse en santé et prévenir la fragilité. Jewish General Hospital. 2005
BROWN-JOHNSON Anita

Postgraduates

Transition Care Consultant to Planning Committee for McGill Thursday Evening Lecture Series (Spring 2004)

Courses Taught
Geriatric Clerkship – Transition Care Course (October 2002 - present)
Interactive workgroup format, one afternoon per month, for 2nd year medical students.

CHERTKOW Howard

Postdoctoral Fellows

Christine Whatmough, Ph.D., Psychology (Université de Montréal). 1998-2005
Daniel Saumier, Ph.D. Psychology (Université de Montréal). 2001-2004
Ahn Duong, Ph.D. Bio-Medical Sciences, Option - Speech Pathology (Université de Montreal). 2002-present
Dr. Christian Bocti, M.D., FRCP(C)): Post-graduate Neurology Fellow. 2003-2004

Research electives for medical residents

Dr. Dan Rabinovitch, 6 month research elective, Dept. of Neurology, McGill University. 2003-2004

Graduate students supervised

Geneviève Arsenault, M.A. Student, Dept. of Neurosciences, McGill University. 2004-present

DUQUE Gustavo

Introduction to Clinical Practice-Communication with geriatric patients, 1st year med students. 2004-present

Introduction to hospital practice-Introduction to the geriatric patient, 2nd year med students. 2004-present

Tutor ICMA and B, 2nd year medical students, McGill University. 2003-present

Tutor 3rd year medical students, Division of Geriatric Medicine Clerkship, Jewish General Hospital. 2003-present
Physiology of bone. Graduate students. 2000-present

Associate Director, undergraduate medical students. Division of Geriatric Medicine. 2000-present

Tutor, small group sessions and bedside teaching. Division of Geriatric Medicine, Department of Medicine. 1999-present

Back to basics: bone metabolism. Seminars for last year medical students. 1999-present

Tutor, small group sessions, Division of Endocrinology, Department of Medicine. 1998-present

Seminars on aging, aging bone. Faculty of Graduate studies and Research, Division of Experimental Medicine. 1997-present

Supervision of Residents in Internal Medicine/Family Medicine. Jewish General Hospital, McGill University. 2004-present

Core Internal Medicine Residents, Jewish General Hospital. – two sessions. Osteoporosis in men. January 2004

**HUANG Allen**

*Undergraduate Clinical Teaching*

Professional skills course, McGill University, 2005

Practice of Medicine clinical Clerkship rotation in Geriatric Medicine, McGill University, 2002-present

*Postgraduate Clinical Teaching*

Geriatric Medicine Rotation, McGill University, 1989-present

*Graduate Students (Supervised)*

CIHR Health informatics Ph.D./Postdoc Strategic Training Program, U Victoria, McGill University & pan-Canadian partnership, 2003-present

**KODNER Dennis L.**

Chronic illness and chronic illness management Long-term care policy (Both at Hunter College Schools of Health Professions) 2004-2005

Innovation in health and social care for the elderly (workshop) (in role as Honorary Professor of Health Sciences, Faculty of Public Health, Maastricht University, The Netherlands) 2004-2005
LEBLANC Andrea

McGill University

501-541B Molecular Biology of Aging, Course Coordinator.

Back to Basics Medical School Curriculum:
2000-present Molecular Biology, Coordinators: Drs John Bergeron, Hans Zingg, David Thomas.
Three sessions of 2 hours each (6-10 hrs of teaching).

531-602A Current Topics in Neurosciences:
1998-present Course co-coordinator with Phil Barker, preparation of course instructors and units for session, evaluation of instructors.

528-466B Viral pathogenesis and Host Defense:
2001-present Course coordinator Dj Briedis Lectures on Prion Diseases (2 hrs).

NEUR550 Free Radical Biology: Course coordinator Hyman Schipper 2004 Lecture on Cell death (1.5 hrs).

PSYT-500B Neurobiology of Mental illness: Course coordinator Patricia Boska 2004 Lecture on Alzheimer’s Disease (3hrs).

Université de Montréal

PBC-6061  Elements de neuropathologie cellulaire. Université de Montréal. Coordinator: Guy Doucet et Nicole LeClair.
2004 Maladie D’Alzheimer et Maladies du prion lectures (6 hrs)

NRL-6091A-C Impact Clinique des Neurosciences. Coordinator: Laurent Descarries
2004 Mort neuronale et maladies neurodégénératives (3 hour lecture/preparation 12 hrs).

Graduate Student Supervision:

GPNS
Huishan Guo, M.Sc. student, 2001-present
Guy Klaiman, M.Sc. student, 2002-present
Malcolm Gains, Ph.D. student, 2002-present
Xavier Roucou, PDF, 2002-present

Division of Experimental Medicine
Michael Baril, Ph.D. student Max Stern Entrance Scholarship, McGill U. Sept. 2003-present
FRSQ Scholarship 2004-2006
**Undergraduate students**

Dimitry Ofengeim, B.Sc. student in Biochemistry, December 2003-present, Honors Project co-supervised by Gordon Shore. Worked as summer student 2004

**LUSSIER David**

*CME/McGill* - Managing back and other pain symptoms in the elderly, Annual Refresher Course for Family Physicians, McGill University, Montreal, December 2004.

**MONETTE Johanne**

Supervision of Isabelle Payot-Kammermann, fellow in Geriatric Medicine, Switzerland. Project: Prévalence des hospitalisations reliées à des problèmes médicamenteux. 2003-2005

**MORAIIS José**

**Graduate Students and Postdoctoral Fellows**

Guest Lecturer. Protein Metabolism and Nutrition - 342-552A. Faculty of Agriculture & Environmental Sciences. Macdonald Campus. Protein and Amino Acid requirements in Humans: Amino Acid Oxidation Techniques. One and a half hour. November 16 and 18, 2004. Course Coordinator: Dr. Leroy Phillip

**Undergraduate Lectures**

Unit IV: Geriatric Nutrition – 1 hour  
    Nutrition Assessment – 2 hours  
Back to Basic Course: Geriatric Nutrition – 3 hours  
Introduction to the Patient (Unit 9A). Spirituality in Medicine – 2 hours  
Physical and Occupational Therapy Department  
Physical and Social aspects of aging – 2 hours

**Student Supervision**

Zareen Khursigara, MSc Candidate  
Henry Ghanem, Ph.D. Candidate  
Assia Hassain, 2nd Year Medical Student, summer and winter Program

**Member of Advisory Committee**

Sylvia Santosa, Ph.D. Candidate  
Caroline Moriello, MSc Candidate
PACCAUD Fred

Cours dispensés à la Faculté de biologie et de médecine

Le Prof. F. Paccaud est responsable de l’enseignement de la médecine sociale et préventive aux étudiants en médecine des 1ère, 2ème, 4ème et 6ème années

Autres cours dans le cadre de l'Université de Lausanne


Introduction à la médecine sociale dans le cadre du Master in Health Economics and Management, Institut d'Economie et de Management de la Santé, Ecole Hautes Etudes Commerciales.


Cours hors universités, en Suisse


Cours dispensés à l’étranger


SCHIPPER Hyman

Research Trainees Supervised

Post-doctoral

Wei Song, MD., Ph.D. (co-supervisor: Dr. Hemant Paudel)
Dr. Song is investigating the effects of HO-1 up-regulation on downstream signal transduction pathways in cultured astroglia. (2002-present)

Haixiang Su, MD, Ph.D.
Responsible for establishing antioxidant enzyme and oxidative damage assays in our institute’s Biomedical Redox Laboratory. (2002-present)

Graduate

Michael Assaraf (M.Sc. program, Dept. of Neurology & Neurosurgery, McGill)
Michael is investigating the potentially neuroprotective role of erythropoietin in Alzheimer disease and Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI). (2002-present)

Sisi Song (M.Sc. program, Dept. of Neurology & Neurosurgery, McGill)
Mr. Song is studying the effects of HO-1 up-regulation on oxidative mitochondrial injury in cultured astroglia. (2002-present)

Zuanel Diaz (2002-present) (Ph.D. Program, Div. of Experimental Medicine, McGill)
Co-supervisor: Dr. Wilson Miller. Zuanel is investigating redox mechanisms of arsenic toxicity. Awarded McGill University Max Stern Recruitment Fellowship (2002-2003) and CIHR Strategic Training Program Award (Experimental Therapeutics in Cancer; 2003-2004).

Graduate Student Research Committees

Graduate Student Advisory Committee, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, McGill. (Candidate: Cathy Tkaczyk) 2004

Visiting Professors

05.03-06.03 Dr. Akiva Shoham, Dept. of Ophthalmology, Ben-Gurion University, Beersheva, Israel. Sabbatical in the Center for Neurotranslational Research (JGH) to review role of oxidative stress in ophthalmological disease.

Clinical Teaching

Residents and Fellows

Neurology Ward and Consultation Service (1988-present): Clinical Neurology training of residents and fellows who rotate to our service from the Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery, Internal Medicine and Psychiatry (JGH and McGill University).
Didactic and Bedside Neurology Teaching to Herzl Family Medicine staff and residents (1990-present).
Instruction in the diagnosis and management of aging-related neurodegenerative disorders to Residents and Fellows in Neurology, Medicine (Geriatrics) and Psychiatry attending the McGill Memory Clinic at the Jewish General Hospital (1998-present).

Medical Students

Introduction to Clinical Sciences (JGH-Dept. of Medicine; 12 hrs/yr; 1997-present).

Courses


VAITEKUNAS Susan

Supervision of clinical clerks & residents during their geriatric rotation


WINDHOLZ Sylvia

Associate Program Director, Health Care for the Elderly Fellowship Program (1996-2004)
Acting Program Director, Health Care for the Elderly Fellowship Program (2004-present)
Teaching to medical students, family medicine residents, internal medicine residents and geriatric fellows, foreign geriatric medicine residents rotating through the Division of Geriatric Medicine (1996-present)

Decisions at the End of Life: Gerontological Nursing Course, SMBD Jewish general Hospital, (April 6, 2005)

WOLFSON Christina

McGill Graduate Courses
Instructor. Principles of Inferential Statistics in Medicine. 4 credits. (52 hrs) 2004-2005
**Research Trainee Supervision**

**CURRENT**

**Clinical Fellow**


**Ph.D. Students**


**MSc Students**


Artery Stenosis”. MSc candidate. 2004-present


Diploma Students


GRADUATED

Ph.D. Students

APPENDIX VII

RESEARCH DAY PROGRAM

2004 - 2005

DIVISION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE

McGILL UNIVERSITY

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BIENVENUE

à la 4e journée de recherche du
Réseau québécois de recherche sur
le vieillissement

10e Journée de recherche annuelle
de la Division de gériatrie
de l'Université McGill

En collaboration avec

McGill

Université de Montréal
Vendredi le 29 avril, 2005

Soyez le bienvenu à la 4è journée de recherche du Réseau québécois de recherche sur le vieillissement (RQRV) ainsi que la 10è Journée de recherche de la Division de gériatrie de l'Université McGill en collaboration avec la Société québécoise de gériatrie (SQG), et l'Université de Montréal. Nous avons assemblé pour vous ce cahier sur le déroulement de la journée contenant l'horaire des activités ainsi que les résumés des présentations orales et par affiche. Nous espérons que vous aurez une journée très agréable toute en étant instructive.

Friday, April 29th, 2005

Welcome to the 4th Annual Research Day Conference of the Réseau québécois de recherche sur le vieillissement (RQRV) and the 10th Annual Research Day Conference of the McGill Division of Geriatric Medicine presented in conjunction with the Société québécoise de gériatrie (SQG) and the Université de Montréal. In this program you will find a general agenda for the conference as well as abstracts relating to the podium and poster presentations. We are pleased that you were able to join us on this occasion and we hope that you come away with an instructive experience.

José A. Morais, MD
Gustavo Duque, MD, PhD
Guylaine Ferland, PhD

Remerciements :

Howard Bergman, MD
Isabelle Girard
Johanne Monette, MD
Ayanna Roberts
Centre Mont-Royal, Montréal, Québec, Canada

Horaire • Schedule

8h15 - 9h15 Conférence conjointe FRSQ-SQG: Dr. José Morais
Auditorium Le Grand Salon (1er étage / 1er floor)

9h30 - 9h45 Ouverture et accueil
Salons International I et II (3e étage / 3rd floor)

Dr. Howard Bergman
Directeur scientifique
Réseau Québécois de recherche sur le vieillissement

Dr. Anne Martin Matthews
Directeur scientifique
Institut du vieillissement du IRSC

Dr. Alain Beaudet
Président-directeur général
Fonds de la recherche en santé (FRSQ)

9h45 - 10h30 Conférence: La rédaction de la demande de subventions
Dr. Jacques Galipeau
Professeur agrégé en médecine et oncologie de l’Université McGill
Salons International I et II (3e étage / 3rd floor)

10h30 - 11h30 Session des communications par affiche / Pause café
Foyer Mont-Royal I et II (4e étage / 4th floor)

11h30 - 12h30 Session des communications orales 1
Salons International I et II (3e étage / 3rd floor)

12h30 - 14h30 Assemblée générale annuelle pour les membres du Réseau Québécois de recherche sur le vieillissement
Mont-Royal I (4e étage / 4th floor)

Dîner
Mont-Royal I (4e étage / 4th floor)

Visite des communications par affiche
Foyer Mont-Royal I-II (4e étage / 4th floor)

14h30 - 17h00 Session des communications orales 2
Salons International I et II (3e étage / 3rd floor)
Pause café (15h30 – 15h45)

17h00 - 18h00 Cocktails et présentations des prix (conjointe avec la Société québécoise de gériatrie)
Décision des jurés
Foyer Mont-Royal (4e étage / 4th floor)
Programme détaillé des présentations • Detailed Presentation Schedule

Session des communications par affiche / Poster Session
Foyer Mont-Royal I et II (4e étage)
10h30 - 11h30
Résumés / Abstracts P6 – P49

Session des communications orales 1
Salon International I (3e étage)
Résumés / Abstracts O1 – O4

11h30 – 11h45
O1–Stimulation of cutaneous mechanoreceptors from foot plantar surface boundaries improves old adults’ postural responses to continuous perturbations
Nicoleta Bugnariu

11h45 – 12h00
O2–Interactive case design: teaching basic hospital skills to 2nd year medical students
Ayanna Roberts

12h00 – 12h15
O3– Typologie des réseaux d’aide et personnes âgées
Claude Galand

12h15 – 12h30
O4–Protein arginine methylation and its role in myelination and multiple sclerosis
C.A. Chénard

Session des communications orales 1
Salon International II (3e étage)
Résumés / Abstracts O5 – O8

11h30 – 11h45
O5–Predicting MCI progression to AD via automated analysis of T1-weighted MR image intensity
Simon Duchesne

11h45 – 12h00
O6–The influence of genetic polymorphism on neuroendocrine, cognitive, and personality factors in an aged population.
A. J. Fiocco

12h00 – 12h15
O7–Factors regulating resting energy expenditure and thermic effect of food in elderly persons
Zareen Khursigara

12h15 – 12h30
O8–Coping with a first stroke
Annie Rochette
Session des communications orales 2

Session des communications orales

14h30 – 14h45
O9–Changes in lamin A expression correlate with the adipogenic/osteogenic differentiation of mesenchymal stem cells: are lamins the link between aging and senile osteoporosis?
Daniel Rivas

14h45 – 15h00
O10–Aging affects coordination of body and eye movements in the maintenance of upright stance
C. Paquette

15h00 – 15h15
O11–Étude de l’utilisation des centres de jour par les personnes âgées en perte d’autonomie
Jacinthe Savard

15h15 – 15h30
O12–Human heme oxygenase-1 (HHO-1) downregulates expression of endogenous alpha-synuclein in human neuroblastoma cells: insights into Parkinson’s Disease
Amar Patel

Pause café

15h30 – 15h45
15h45 – 16h00
O13–Does the addition of functional status indicators to case-mix adjustment indices improve prediction of hospitalization, institutionalization and death among Canadian elderly
Linda Lévesque

16h00 – 16h15
O14–Identification of quaking protein complex
G. Lacroix

16h15 – 16h30
O15–Statut vitaminique K dans la maladie d’alzheimer : une étude pilote
N. Presse

16h30 – 16h45
O16–Modulation of membrane lipid rafts: therapeutic targets in age-related diseases
Anis Larbi

14h45 – 15h00
O17–Mobility profile as a predictor of adverse events in community frail elderly
Manuel Montero Odasso

14h45 – 15h00
O18–Chronic hypercalcemia as a reversible cause of cognitive impairment: improvement after a single administration of pamidronate
Robert Segal

15h00 – 15h15
O19–Recognition of depression in elderly medical inpatients
M. Cepoiu

15h15 – 15h30
O20–Entrainer l’attention partagée des personnes âgées : l’influence du niveau de scolarité
Marie-Christine LaFerrière-Simard

Pause café

15h30 – 15h45
15h45 – 16h00
O21–Dynamique des incapacités chez les personnes âgées françaises vivant à domicile : analyse de l’enquête handicap-incapacité-dépendance (HID)
Louise Lafortune

16h00 – 16h15
O22–Statins in the elderly for secondary prevention of coronary disease: a meta-analysis of randomized control trials
J. Afilalo

16h15 – 16h30
O23–Making the brain work more efficiently in Alzheimer disease: studies with repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation
Anh Duong

16h30 – 16h45
O24–La participation sociale des personnes âgées avec incapacités physiques
Mélanie Levasseur

16h45 – 17h00
O25–Prévention et delirium: l'expérience du CHUM
Thien Tuong Minh Vu
APPENDIX VIII

GERIATRIC MEDICINE CLERKSHIP

2004 - 2005

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Clerkship in Geriatric Medicine

Annual Report – Executive Summary
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August 27, 2004
Executive Summary

This executive summary features highlights of the Annual Report of the Clerkship for Geriatric Medicine. The full report contains important detailed information about new developments related to the Clerkship and data about student knowledge in and attitudes towards Geriatric Medicine. Please direct any inquiries to undergraduate.geriatrics@mcgill.ca. To download the full report, please visit www.med.mcgill.ca/geriatrics/education/clerkship/AnnualReport/AnnualReport.htm.

Introduction to Geriatric Medicine

Dr. Wendy Chiu, MD.CM, FRCPC and Dr. Gustavo Duque, MD, PhD are developing the “Introduction to Geriatric Medicine” course to be given on September 13th and 14th, 2004 as a part of the Introduction to Hospital Practice unit preparing medical school students for the Practice of Medicine.

The course is being developed in conjunction with Ayanna Roberts, the Student Affairs and Administrative Coordinator for the Clerkship in Geriatric Medicine and the McGill Molson Medical Informatics Project, who are responsible for the development of computer enhanced learning and teaching methodologies.

The course will feature a flash presentation delivered by Dr. Chiu, a web-based practice case for students authored by Dr. Duque, and a webpage portal for students: http://www.med.mcgill.ca/geriatrics/education/Clerkship/IntroPOM/IntroPOM.htm.

Attitudes Survey

A new attitudes survey was implemented in the Winter 2004 semester. This new survey is a validated survey designed by Timothy J. Wilkinson, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Medical Education, University of Otago, Christchurch School of Medicine & Health Sciences1. It collects a wealth of data concerning student attitudes towards aging in general and Geriatric Medicine as a specific discipline. A discussion and presentation of results related to the Attitudes Survey can be found in Section 2.

New Webpage for the McGill Electronic Evaluation Portfolio (MEEP©)

A new webpage (http://www.med.mcgill.ca/geriatrics/education/Clerkship/MEEP/MEEP.htm) was created to support student and staff questions about the McGill Electronic Evaluation Portfolio (MEEP©). The new webpage features detailed explanations of the evaluation categories, information about how to complete and evaluate the portfolio and a sample student portfolio.

Gauging Interest in Geriatric Medicine

We are in the process of gathering information from students interested in a career in Geriatric Medicine so as to support their aspirations throughout their academic careers and beyond. In the Attitudes Survey and Final Survey, students now have the option of entering their email address if they are interested in a career in Geriatric Medicine. We will forward those email addresses for inclusion in the Geriatrics listserv and to the Coordinator of Teaching Programs, Dr. Susan

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Gold, for consideration. A program of mentorship is being implemented for these and future students.

Institutional Interest in McGill’s Clerkship in Geriatric Medicine
We have been invited to present our clerkship to several different academic institutions.

- Quebec City – l’Université Laval (Education Retreat)
- Montreal – Division of Geriatric Medicine, l’Université de Montreal
- Montreal – Centre for Medical Education, McGill University (Medical Education Grand Rounds)
- New York – Division of Geriatric Medicine, Mount Sinai School of Medicine

We continue to receive inquiries about the McGill Electronic Evaluation Portfolio from within McGill, both from other clerkships and most notably the Faculty of Dentistry, with whom we are exploring collaborative development opportunities.

How They Came: Attitudes Survey
In the Winter 2004 semester, we implemented a new Attitudes Survey allowing us to more comprehensively assess student attitudes and knowledge with respect to Aging and Geriatrics. The data collected from the Attitudes Survey and a copy of the Attitudes Survey can be found in Appendix A of the full report. An example of the data collected is presented below:

Legend:
1-Strongly Agree; 2-Somewhat Agree; 3-Neither Agree nor Disagree; 4-Somewhat Disagree; 5-Strongly Disagree

"Age I do abhor thee, youth I do adore thee"

Geriatrics was more than adequately covered in my medical school curriculum

2 Original survey design by Timothy J. Wilkinson, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Medical Education, University of Otago, Christchurch School of Medicine & Health Sciences.
How They Left: Final Survey
At the end of the rotation, students complete a Final Survey designed to assess the students’ progress in their knowledge and attitudes towards Aging and Geriatrics following a month of exposure to Geriatric Medicine as well as to assess the success of each element of the rotation as perceived by the students. The complete data and charts are presented in the Full report.

Clinical Experience and Teaching
The number of students who rated their tutors Very Good or Excellent increased in 2003-2004. Furthermore, a greater percentage of students felt the clinical work and activities were academically challenging. This data shows that the Geriatric Medicine clerkship continues to be an academically robust rotation.

Multidisciplinary Team Experience
A focus of this rotation is a strong multidisciplinary team experience. Students continued to perceive sufficient contact with the team and a greater percentage felt they had greater contact with the community in 2003-2004.

Electronic Portfolio
The MEEP© continues to be accepted and validated as a new method of evaluation. Dr. Duque was awarded the 2004 John Ruedy Award for Innovation in Medical Education by the ACMC for the design and implementation of the MEEP©. We recently assessed the reliability of the MEEP©, the results of which can be found in Section 4.

The addition of the orientation session for all students and the MEEP© website provided more support for students using the portfolio. This may account for the increasing acceptance of this new and unfamiliar evaluation method by students. This year, we see a shift in all “curves” from strongly disagree to strongly agree. We expect to see this trend continue as the general student population becomes more familiar with the portfolio in this and potentially other rotations.

WebCT Modules
As in 2002-2003, students continued to express their comfort with using WebCT. We also see a slight shift on the scale towards strongly disagree when students were asked whether the modules and pre/post-tests were useful and instructional. Furthermore, the number of the students who felt the modules were academically challenging remained positively stable.

This year we received numerous strong comments in support of WebCT. Major suggestions include adding new lectures and adding forward/rewind buttons to the Flash presentations.

Attitudes towards Aging and Geriatric Medicine
One of the goals of the Geriatrics rotation is to emphasize the basis of Geriatric Medicine and the differences in medical care for older patients. Cumulative in this goal is to positively educate and affect student attitudes towards aging and Geriatrics. This year we see a greater number of students declaring their openness to Geriatric Medicine as a subspecialty and who are willing to devote some of their future training to Geriatrics, including becoming a geriatrician. Student comments showed an appreciation for Geriatric Medicine as a unique subspecialty with a different and interesting approach to medicine.
Overall Impressions of the Clerkship
Student comments showed an appreciation for Geriatric Medicine as a unique subspecialty with a different and interesting approach to medicine. Again, there was a distinct trend showing a shift away from strongly disagree and towards strongly agree in the ratings scale for all categories. Most notably, there was marked improvement in student understanding of the evaluation system. Overall, students rated the Geriatric Medicine clerkship a success.

Evaluation & Reliability Data and Publications
We recently assessed the reliability of the MEEP© for a forthcoming publication submitted to the journal Academic Medicine titled “Learning while evaluating: a successful model of the use of electronic evaluation portfolios in clinical settings.” The text of the abstract, featuring the results, can be found in the full report.

In addition to the paper referenced above, four abstracts were submitted to different academic conferences: two to the 2004 Annual Meeting of the American Geriatrics Society, one to the CAPTIC Conference – Université Laval and one to the meeting of the Association of Canadian Medical Colleges (ACMC).

Special Thanks
We would like to thank all the members of the Geriatric Medicine clerkship team for their hard work in making the 2003-2004 clerkship a success, including:

- The Division of Geriatric Medicine
- The Faculty of Medicine
- The Instructional Communications Centre
- The Office of the Deputy Provost and CIO
- The McGill Molson Medical Informatics Project
- The McCall Hutchinson Foundation
- And all the team members and tutors and community sites.
APPENDIX IX

GERIATRIC MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS

2004 - 2005

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November 9 novembre, 2004
Dr. Peter McCracken, MD, FRCP(C)
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Professor of Medicine, Division of Geriatric Medicine, Department of Medicine, University of Alberta
Profoundor de médecine, Division de gériatrie, Université de l’Alberta
“Tele-Medicine and Tele-Geriatrics: Hype or Hope for the Future?”

November 30 novembre, 2004
Dr. Cara Tannenbaum MDCM, FRCP(C)
Block Amphitheatre / Jewish General Hospital • Amphithéâtre block / Hôpital Général Juif
Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Montreal. Director, Division of Health Services Research, Centre de recherche de l’Institut universitaire de gériatrie de Montréal
Professeure adjointe de médecine, Université de Montréal; directrice, Division de la recherche sur les services de santé, Centre de recherche de l’Institut universitaire de gériatrie de Montréal
“Health Promotion for Older Women: What Are We Doing and How Can We Do Better?”

January 18 janvier, 2005
Dr. Robert Bailey, M.D, FRCP
Livingston Hall / Montreal General Hospital • Hall Livingston / Hôpital Général de Montréal
Assistant Professor of Medicine, Department of Internal Medicine, McGill University. Director, Division of Geriatric Medicine, St. Mary’s Hospital
Professeur adjoint de médecine, Département de médecine interne, Université McGill; directeur, Division de la gériatrie, Hôpital St. Mary’s
“Driving and Dementia: An Approach for the Practicing Physician”

February 15 février, 2005
Mr. David Levine
Dr. Howard Bergman
Livingston Hall / Montreal General Hospital • Hall Livingston / Hôpital Général de Montréal
President and Executive Director, Agence de développement de réseaux locaux de services de santé et de services sociaux de Montréal
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Professeur titulaire, Chaire Dr. Joseph Kaufmann; directeur, Division de gériatrie, Université McGill et l’hôpital général juif.
“The Recent Health Care Reform: Impact on Care for the Elderly”

March 15 mars, 2005
Dr. Thomas M. Gill
Livingston Hall / Montreal General Hospital • Hall Livingston / Hôpital Général de Montréal
Associate Professor of Medicine, Department of Internal Medicine, University of Pennsylvania. Director, Division of Geriatric Medicine, St. Mary’s Hospital
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“Disentangling the Disabling Process: Insights from the Yale PEP Study”

April 19 avril, 2005
Dr. Murray Grossman, MD, EdD
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Professor of medicine, Université Stanford, Palo Alto, CA
“Semantic Loss and Frontotemporal Dementia”

May 4 mai, 2005
Dr. James F. Fries, M.D.
Block Amphitheatre / Jewish General Hospital • Amphithéâtre block / Hôpital Général Juif
Professor of Medicine, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA
“Aging, Frailty, Disability and the Compression of Morbidity”

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NOUS TENONS À REMERCIER LES SOCIÉTÉS SUIVANTES POUR LEUR GÉNÉROUSE CONTRIBUTION:

Wine and cheese following the lecture
Vous êtes invité(e) à un vin et fromage après les conférences
Ce programme a été révisé et accrédité par la RAND0040, centre de l’Université de Californie à Berkeley, en collaboration avec le Directeur des Pêches et des Services de la santé du Québec (FMOQ). Cette activité est une session de certification continue comme définie par le Ministère de la Santé et des Services sociaux du Québec. Ce programme a été révisé et approuvé pour une crédibilité MAINPRO-M1 par le Collège des Médecins de l’Alberta et des Services de la santé de l’Alberta, le Collège des médecins du Québec (FMOQ) et le Collège des médecins de la santé du Canada. Ce programme est accordé un crédit MAINPRO-M1 par le Collège des médecins du Québec.

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