

Student Research News e-bulletin

October 9, 2015

www.med.ubc.ca/srn

In this issue:

Funding Opportunities and Awards

CSNS/CNS Medical Student Summer Fellowship in Socioeconomic Research (Neurosurgery)

CurePSP Student Fellowships (For Research on Progressive Supranuclear Palsy)

Funding Reminders

Upcoming Events

2015 Marion Woodward Lecture: Nursing Leadership Roles in eHealth Technologies

Gairdner Symposium

UBC Department of Surgery Research Day

MD/PhD Building Bridges Seminar Series

Centre for Blood Research Earl W. Davie Symposium – Call For Abstracts

Event Reminders

Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

Reminders

Funding Opportunities and Awards

[CSNS/CNS Medical Student Summer Fellowship in Socioeconomic Research \(Neurosurgery\)](#)

Deadline: Dec 18, 2015

The Council of State Neurosurgical Societies (CSNS) and Congress of Neurological Surgeons (CNS) Medical Student Socioeconomic Fellowship provides \$2,500 to support a **medical student** conducting research on a socioeconomic issue impacting neurosurgical practice. The awardee will spend 8-10 weeks conducting research on a socioeconomic topic of importance to neurosurgery. This award is open to medical students in the United States and Canada. For additional information please visit the website (hyperlinked above).

[CurePSP Student Fellowships \(For Research on Progressive Supranuclear Palsy\)](#)

Deadline: Dec 31, 2015

The Urso Summer Student Program in PSP Research supports **undergraduate, graduate and medical students** to pursue research focused on progressive supranuclear palsy in the hope of making PSP a long-term area of research interest. Projects may be in basic, translational, clinical or epidemiological aspects of PSP and must be performed under the supervision of a faculty mentor with expertise in the field.

Awards of up to \$3,000 will be provided for stipend and/or research related expenses. Awardees will present the results of their research at the Annual fall CurePSP Research Symposium. CurePSP will provide awardees travel and lodging expenses for the Symposium. For application guidelines and additional information please visit the website (hyperlinked above).

Funding Reminders

[Shastri Student Internship Project in Aid](#) – Oct 15, 2015

[CHS Summer Studentships in Inherited Bleeding Disorders Research](#) – Nov 13, 2015

For additional funding opportunities visit: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/funding/>.

October 9, 2015

Upcoming Events

[2015 Marion Woodward Lecture: Nursing Leadership Roles in eHealth Technologies](#)

Date: Oct 15, 2015; 3:00-5:00 pm

Location: UBC Robson Square (800 Robson St)

For the 2015 Marion Woodward Lecture, the UBC School of Nursing is capitalizing on synergies between local researchers, healthcare leaders, front-line health care practitioners and our invited speaker, Dr. Robyn Tamblyn, to host an afternoon panel symposium titled Nursing Leadership Roles in eHealth Technologies. Panelists will share the realities of launching and sustaining health informatics initiatives in the British Columbian context. This highly anticipated afternoon symposium will provide an opportunity for dialogue about how transitioning to digital health information technologies affects point-of-care nursing, patients, and nursing management.

Register [here](#).

[Gairdner Symposium](#)

Date: Oct 26, 2015; 4:00 – 6:00 pm

Location: UBC Life Sciences Centre, LSC 2 (UBC, 2350 Health Sciences Mall)

This free event features two of the 2015 recipients of the prestigious Canada Gairdner International Award. These awards are given to biomedical scientists who have made original contributions to medicine resulting in increased understanding of human biology and disease. For more information about each speaker, please refer to their biographies hyperlinked below:

1. [Yoshinori Ohsumi](#), DSc
 - a. **Presentation Title:** Lessons from Yeast – Intracellular recycling system autophagy
2. [Michael N. Hall](#), PhD
 - a. **Presentation Title:** TOR Signalling in Growth and Metabolism

Visit the [Gardiner Foundation](#) website to learn more about the Foundation and award-winners.

[UBC Department of Surgery Research Day](#)

Date: Nov 2, 2015

Location: Paetzold Auditorium, Vancouver General Hospital

The W.B. & M.H. Chung Research Day is the annual research day of the UBC Department of Surgery.

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Garnette Sutherland; University of Calgary, Department of Clinical Neuroscience, Founder and Director of the Seaman Family MR Research Centre, Alberta Health Services.

Dr. Sutherland will be speaking on his award winning work in magnetic resonance (MR) imaging and robotic surgery as well as various research presentations by faculty and trainees. Research presentations take place in the Paetzold Auditorium at VGH. Everyone is welcome to attend.

October 9, 2015

[MD/PhD Building Bridges Seminar Series](#)

Date: Nov 16, 2015; 6:00-7:00

Location: Latham Hall, MSAC (12th Ave & Heather St); VC to KGH 228; or Phone 1-877-792-2770; ID #30313

This seminar series aims to illustrate the relationship between clinical practice and medical research, allowing students to hear about different career tracks and ways to combine clinical and research work. In addition to speaking about their research, the invited speakers discuss their experiences and training backgrounds, share advice with prospective clinician-scientists, and give their opinions on career development options for clinician-scientists. All Faculty of Medicine and UBC members and trainees are invited.

Speaker: Dr. Michael Seidman; Acting Director, Cardiovascular Tissue Registry & Research Histology; Centre for Heart Lung Innovation, Providence Health Care & UBC.

Dr. Seidman has training in vascular biology, immunology, molecular biology, genetics, and anatomic pathology. His work is an excellent example of a 50-50 career split, involving both translational and collaborative research.

[Centre for Blood Research Earl W. Davie Symposium – Call For Abstracts](#)

Date: ABSTRACT DEADLINE – Nov 6, 2015; EVENT – Nov 19, 2015; 7:15 am – 6:00 pm;

Location: SFU Harbour Centre 515 W. Hastings St; Live Webcast: <http://tinyurl.com/earldavie>

Keynote Speakers:

1. **Ken Kaushansky**, MD, Dean of Medicine, Stony Brook, NY (8:30 – 9:15 am)
2. **Bjorn Dahlback**, MD, PhD, Lund University (1:30 – 2:15 pm)

The goal of the Earl W. Davie Symposium is to communicate cutting edge advances in the broad field of hemostasis-thrombosis, as applied to medically relevant disciplines including innate immunity, infectious diseases, inflammation and cancer. Abstracts are currently being accepted until November 6. Poster sessions will be going on all day. For full program information, visit [here](#). For further information please contact Hana Kim, the CBR Office Manager, at hana.kim@ubc.ca, or visit the [CBR website](#). You can register online [here](#).

Event Reminders

[Clinical Research Ethics Board Office Drop-In Sessions](#) – Every 2nd & 4th Monday of the month

For additional event listing visit: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/events/>. Follow this [link](#) for a list of **ongoing events and seminar series** that may be of interest to MD students.

Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

Reminders

[UBC Medical Journal – Call for submissions – Deadline Oct 20, 2015](#)

Additional research and scholarship information and resources are available on the Student Research website: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/>.
