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[Have a Heart Bursary Program](#)

Deadline: May 2, 2017

The Have a Heart Bursary Program is for **medical students** interested in cardiovascular sciences. Awardees are invited to participate in the annual Canadian Cardiovascular Congress (CCC) which draws physicians, researchers, trainees, and other cardiovascular professionals from around the globe. Awardees will receive roundtrip air or ground travel to Vancouver to attend the CCC on Oct 21-24, 2017, up to 4 nights of hotel accommodation in Vancouver, and complementary registration to the CCC 2017. **Please note that you must create an account in order to apply.** Visit the website for more information.

Funding Reminders

[BC Children's Hospital Research Institute Summer Student Research Program](#) – Deadline: Mar 15, 2017

[UBC Centre for Blood Research Summer Studentship Program](#) – Mar 15 (general application); Apr 1, 2017 (with supervisor)

[Canadian Liver Foundation Summer Studentship](#) – Deadline: Mar 31, 2017

[Mitacs Globalink Research Award](#) – Mar 31, 2017

[Child Neurology Foundation Neurodevelopmental Disabilities Summer Research Scholarship](#) – Apr 1, 2017

[Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation Pediatric Oncology Student Training Program](#) – May 1, 2017

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

Upcoming Events

[The 13th D. Harold Copp Lecture](#)

Date: Mar 14, 2017; 3:00-4:00pm

Location: Room 1, Life Sciences Centre, 2350 Health Sciences Mall, Vancouver

Title: Towards A Molecular Logic of Synaptic Connections: Neurexins and Their Ligands

The Department of Cellular and Physiological Sciences and Canadian Institute of Health Research are hosting their annual D. Harold Copp lecture. Join 2013 Nobel Prize recipient **Dr. Thomas Südhof** as he delivers his lecture on his laboratory's efforts to understand the molecular code determining the formation and specification of synapses in neural circuits. For more information, please contact Dr. Ivan Robert Navi via email at irnabi@mail.ubc.ca.

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[Brain Awareness Week – Annual Distinguished Neuroethics Lecture](#)

Date: Mar 14, 2017; 5:30-7:00pm

Location: Queen Elizabeth Theatre (Salons), 650 Hamilton Street, Vancouver

Title: The lights are off; is anyone home? The ethics of hidden consciousness

The National Core for Neuroethics invites the public to their Annual Distinguished Neuroethics Lecture featuring **Dr. Thomas Cochrane**, the Director of Neuroethics at the Harvard Medical School's Center for Bioethics. The lecture will be followed by a Meet the Speaker at the reception. This event is free to attend and requires [registration in advance](#).

[Celebrate Research Public Lecture 2017](#)

Date: Mar 30, 2017; 6:30-8:00pm

Location: Cullen Family Lecture Theatre, St. Paul's Hospital, 1081 Burrard Street, Vancouver

Title: Genetics and Your Health: How genes determine your chances for heart, lipid and undiagnosed diseases

Hosted by Providence Health Care Research Institute, Vancouver Coastal Health Research Institute, and the BC Children's Hospital Research Institute, the annual Celebrate Research Public Lecture features speakers who are leaders in genetic research. The talks will discuss the determinants of dyslipidemia, arrhythmia, and in some cases of undiagnosed diseases among children. Light refreshments will be served. This event is free to attend but requires [registration in advance](#).

Event Reminders

[Engage Heart + Lung Health FEST 2017](#) – Mar 15-18, 2017

[UBC Centre for Blood Research 2017 Norman Bethune Symposium](#) – Apr 6, 2017

[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

[University of British Columbia Medical Journal – Call for Submissions](#) – March 11, 2017

[University of Toronto Medical Journal – Call for Submissions](#) – Apr 1, 2017

Additional research and scholarship information and resources are available on the Student Research website:

<http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/>.
