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

Upcoming Events

[Henry Fok Ying Tung SYSU-UBC Medical Research Symposium – Cancer](#)

May 8, 2019 – 9:00AM-5:30PM – Poster submissions due on April 28, 2019

Location: Blusson Spinal Cord Centre (ICORD), VGH

The Faculty of Medicine's Office of Research is hosting a medical research symposium on cancer in May. The Henry Fok Ying Tung SYSU-UBC Medical Research Symposium – Cancer is held in partnership with Sun Yat-sen University, and features 22 talks by leading researchers from both institutions. Topics include AI, immuno-oncology, resistance pathways, comparative genomics, stem cells, and more. To register, please RSVP through [this link](#). Students, postdocs and residents are all invited to submit an abstract for poster sessions. Please submit your abstract **by April 28** [here](#).

[UBC Medicine's 14th Annual Art Show](#)

April 28, 2019 – 12:00PM-7:00PM

Location: Medical Student & Alumni Centre (MSCA), 2750 Heather Street, Vancouver, BC, Canada

UBC Medicine invites you to their 14th Annual Art Show, hosted by Arts in Medicine. The show will be an exhibition of visual arts by members of UBC's medical community, including medical students, residents, alumni, and faculty members. This free event is drop-in style and will be occurring between 12PM-7PM. Participants are encouraged to visit during the reception, which will be held from 5PM-7PM. There will be wine, refreshments, and live music.

Arts Medicine is also welcoming **artwork submissions** at this time. They welcome all types of visual arts at all skill levels, including but not limited to paintings, illustrations, sketches, prints, photography, sculptures, installations, sketchbooks. To submit a piece, visit [this link](#).

[SEMINAR SERIES: Centre for Blood Research – Dr. James Johnson](#)

May 1, 2019, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: UBC Point Grey Campus, Life Sciences Centre 3

The Centre Blood Research invites you to learn about Dr. James Johnson's (University of British Columbia, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Cellular and Physiological Sciences, Co-appointed to the Department of Surgery) current research on hyperinsulinemia as a causal factor in insulin resistance, obesity, cardiovascular disease, aging, and cancer. For more information visit the website hyperlinked above.

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[SEMINAR: Work In Progress Seminar – The youth mental health crisis: Dealing with it before it starts](#)

May 8, 2019, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: Hurlburt Auditorium, St. Paul's Hospital, 1081 Burrard Street

The Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences (CHÉOS) invites you to their Work in Progress Seminar (WiP), led by **Dr. Quynh Doan**, Assistant Professor, UBC Department of Emergency Medicine Research Director, BC Children's Hospital Department of Pediatrics, Division of Emergency Medicine

The talk will present Dr. Doan's current research focused on youth mental health, and the underdiagnoses of MH problems when patients are admitted into emergency departments. The lecture will also cover a new clinical tool for youth to self-assess their MH, called MyHEARTSMAP. Visit the website hyperlinked above for more information.

Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

Medical Student Summer Research Scholarship

Deadline: May 31, 2019

The Neurologists at Royal Columbian are looking for a medical student with interest in Neurology to participate in clinical translational research with their group for the summer of 2019. Royal Columbian is the center for stroke care in Fraser Health. They will be establishing a specialized clinic for stroke in young patients (<55 years) with an interdisciplinary approach with cardiology, hematology and medical genetics. With the help of the stroke neurologists at Royal Columbian, the goal of the summer scholarship is for the medical student researcher to compile data on these patients from the past years and propose guidelines for building this clinic, such as which tests should be done, what referrals should be done and how to structure follow up. The position is open to **all medical students from all years** that have a strong interest in Neurology.

The project will be taking place at the Royal Columbian Hospital in New Westminster and is flexible allowing time for vacation. The anticipated start date is June 8th, 2019 and the estimated length is of 6-8 weeks. A full time commitment to the project is expected. The offered salary is that of \$3,000 and named award for the duration of the summer.

Some additional features of the scholarship experience are:

- Participating in weekly stroke and neurology case rounds 5-7pm Monday nights.
- Option to round with the neurologists, examine patients with dedicated bedside teaching, review imaging, review and synthesize information from tests.
- Observe acute stroke cases with TPA or endovascular therapy.
- Authorship as a result of any work from the medical student that leads to publications.

To apply, email a copy of your CV to Dr. Gregory Walker at gregorywalkerubc@gmail.com by **May 31, 2019**. Brief interviews may also be conducted depending on volume of applicants.

Reminders

Doctors of BC Student Internship Opportunities –Deadline April 26, 2019 (late applications accepted) – email application to Chris Phillip at cphillip@doctorsofbc.ca

[Incorrect Surgical Counts Working Group](#) – Deadline May 6, 2019

[Canada Diagnostic Centre's Poster Contest](#) – Deadline May 8, 2019

Volunteer Summer Research Opportunity: Use of Nabilone in Palliative Care – email Dr. Pippa Hawley at hawleyp@mail.ubc.ca

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Find additional information and resources on the Student Research website: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/>.