

Department Council Meeting

November 4, 2016



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Department Head Report

Dr. Brenda Hemmelgarn



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Better teachers, better learners, better doctors

Rachel Ellaway

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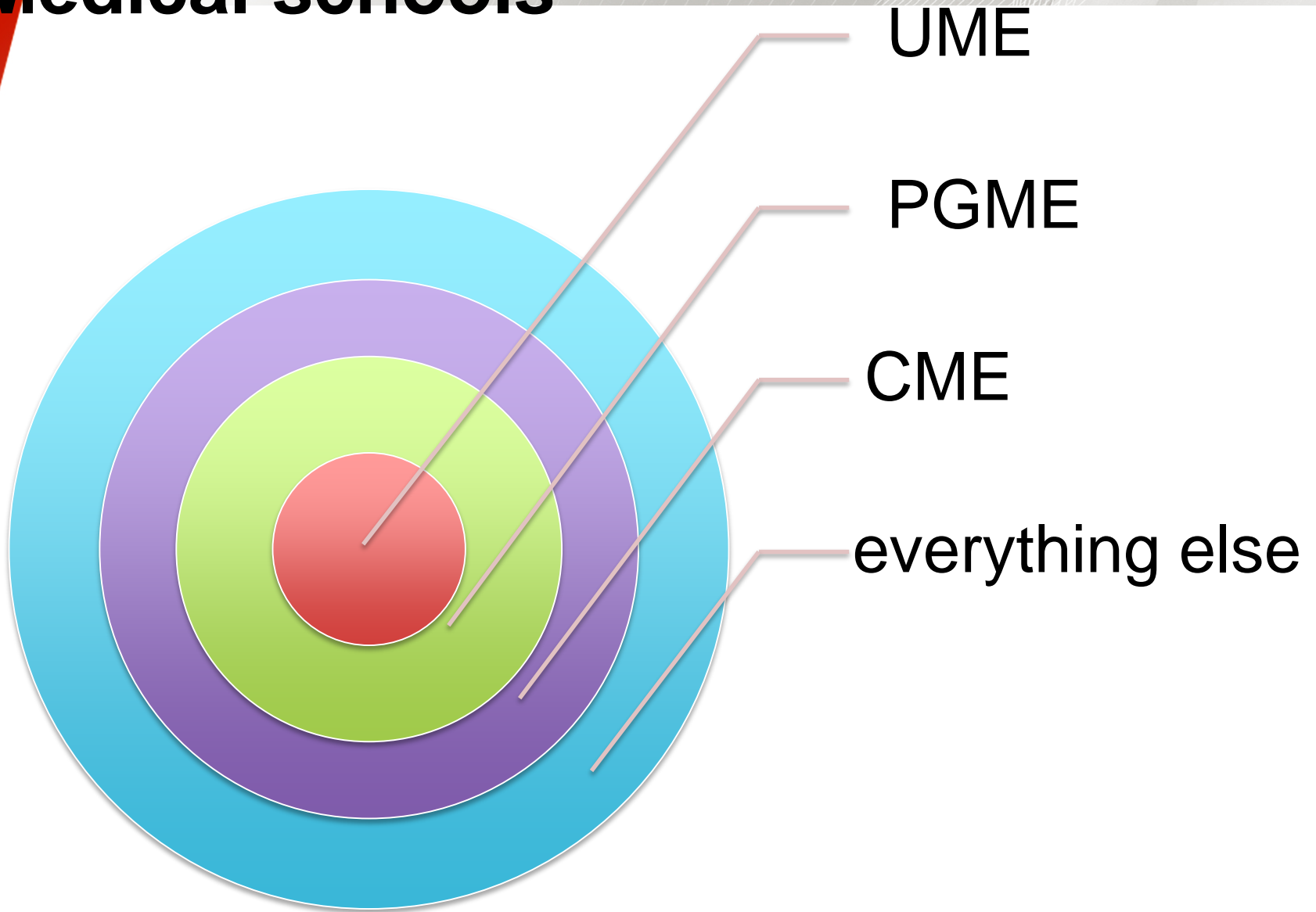
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Where Are You?



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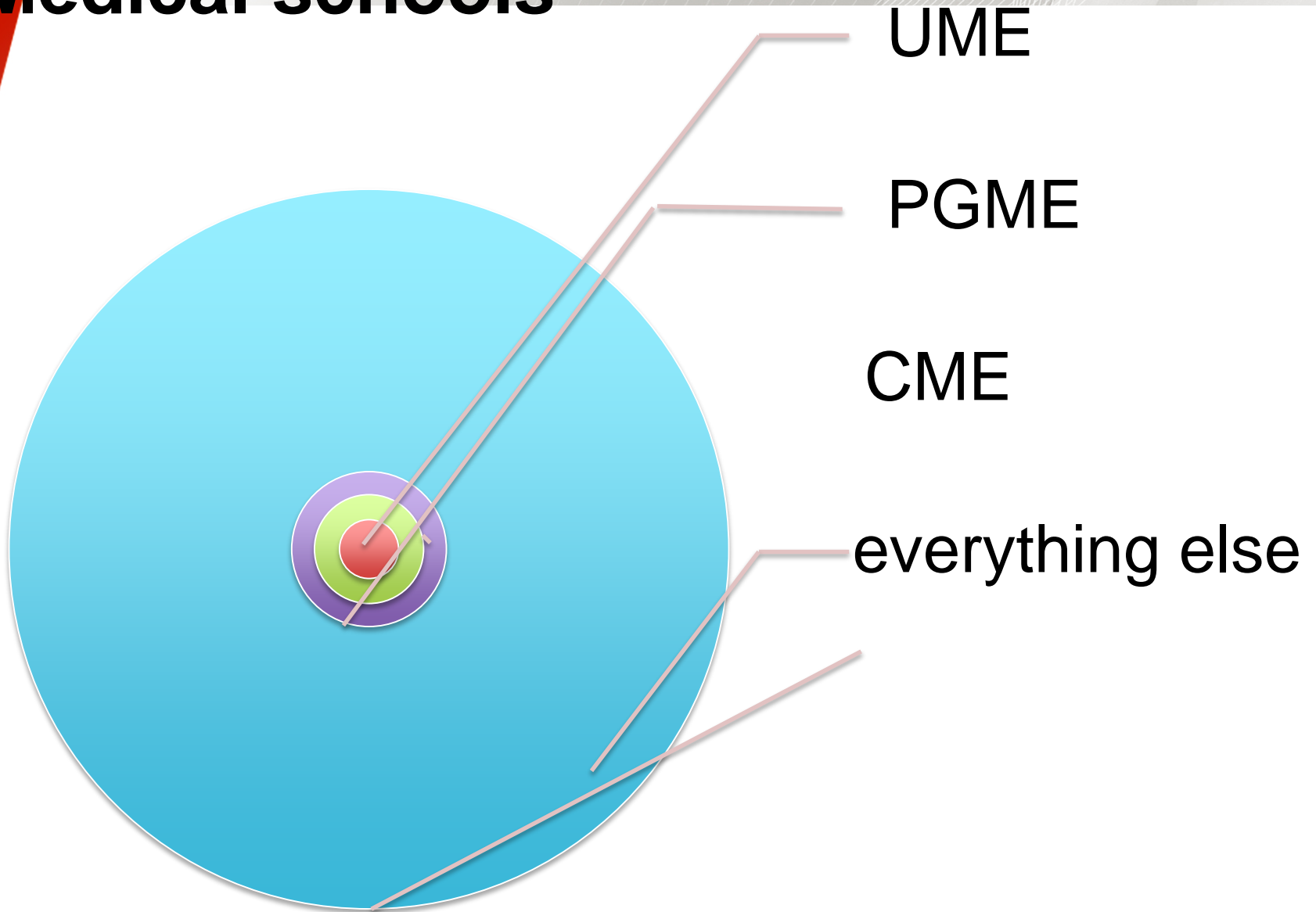
Medical schools





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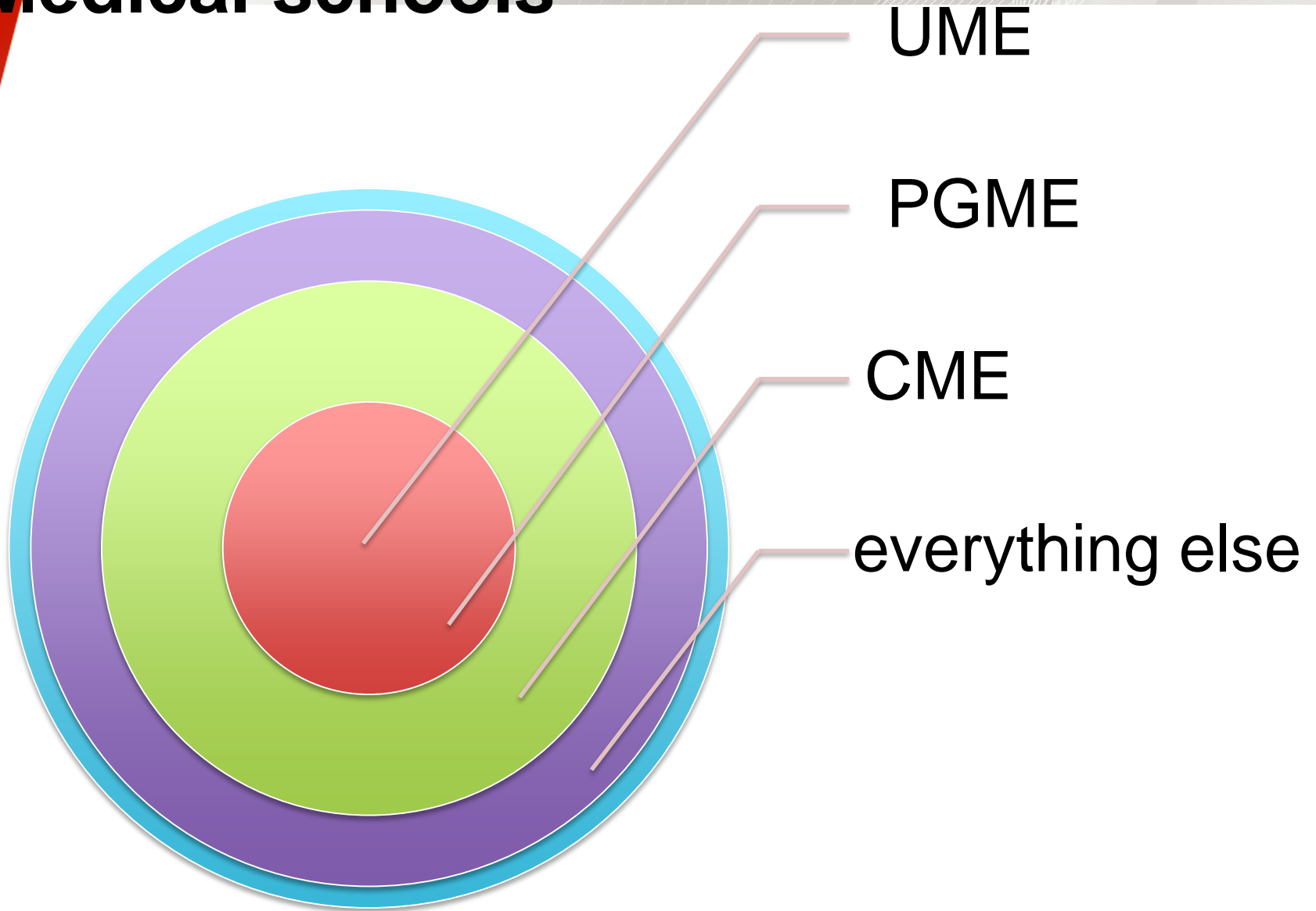
Medical schools





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Medical schools



- 17 schools + NGOs
- Premed, recruitment, admissions
- Undergrad >> residency
- CME, MOC, FD
- Sustaining a profession
- Meeting workforce needs
- Social contract, social accountability
- Foundational: no med-ed = no medicine



CANMEDS

- Physicians
- Nurses
- Paraclinical professionals
- Educators and trainers
- Other professionals in the healthcare system
- Anyone looking to orientation, ability, behaviour, performance in healthcare ...

- Cognition, neurosciences
- Behavioural, performance
- Social/group, collaboration
- Instruction, teaching
- Admissions, equity
- Assessment – psychometrics
- Systems, governance, frameworks
- Impact, outcomes
- Social value, responsiveness – social contract

- HP education a field rather than a discipline
- No one shared model, theory, method, philosophy, value system
- A nexus of conflicting and contrasting methodologies, ideologies
- A confluence of disciplines, perspectives
- Paradigms and tribes
- Heterogeneity a strength and a weakness

M metascholarship

E evaluation

T translation

R research

I innovation

C conceptual

S synthesis

- Much activity
- Bibliometrics 5th or 6th in Canada
- Simulation: ATSSL, ACH, W21C
- Education deans academically active
- PhD and Masters specialization in CHS
- OHMES

- Founded 2014
- Virtual organization
 - Research Director: Rachel Ellaway
 - Clinical Director: David Topps
 - Administrator: Gretchen Greer
- Consultants and volunteers:
 - Nishan Sharma, Aliya Kassam, Maria Palacios McKay, Elizabeth Oddone Paolucci, Sylvain Coderre, Kevin McLaughlin, Alyshah Kabba, Jennifer Hatfield, Ian Mitchell, Martina Kelly, Jocelyn Lockyer, Sarah Anderson, Nicole Delaloye, Kent Hecker - and many more ...

Scholarly work in and around education in the CSM:

- Funding competition
- Annual symposium
- Courses and workshops - SHERI
- Rounds and lectures
- Webinars
- Travel fund
- Consultancy
- Membership



The Office of Health and Medical Education Scholarship presents the:

MEDICAL EDUCATION LEADERSHIP LECTURE

DR. DOUG MYHRE

**“Lost in the Woods”:
reflections on an academic journey**

**Thursday
3 November 2016**

11:30am - 1:00pm

**Theatre 3
Health Sciences Centre**

Reception to follow

RSVP to ohmes@ucalgary.ca

The Office of Health and Medical Education Scholarship (OHMES) champions new and emerging education scholars as well as those who are academic educational leaders. The OHMES Medical Education Leadership Lecture recognizes those who have made a significant contribution to health and medical education in the Cumming School of Medicine.

We are delighted that Dr. Doug Myhre is giving the inaugural OHMES Medical Education Leadership Lecture “Lost in the Woods”: reflections on an academic journey.

Dr. Myhre is a born and raised Albertan, family doctor, and a long-time member of the University of Calgary medical education community. He is currently Associate Dean Distributed Learning and Rural Initiatives (DLRI), the Chair of Admissions at the Cumming School of Medicine and continues his teaching practice in family medicine at the Sheldon Chumir Health Centre.



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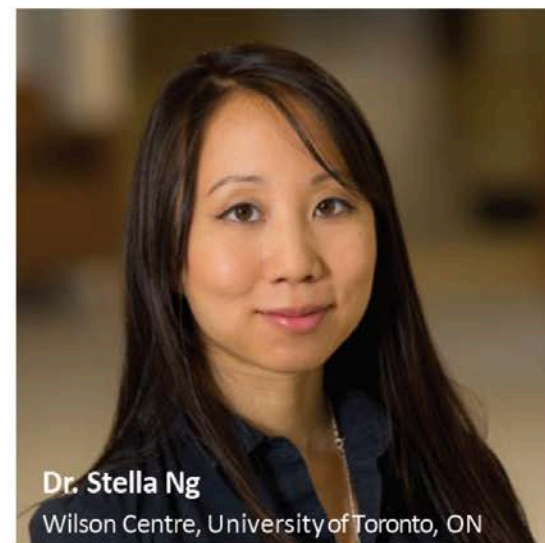
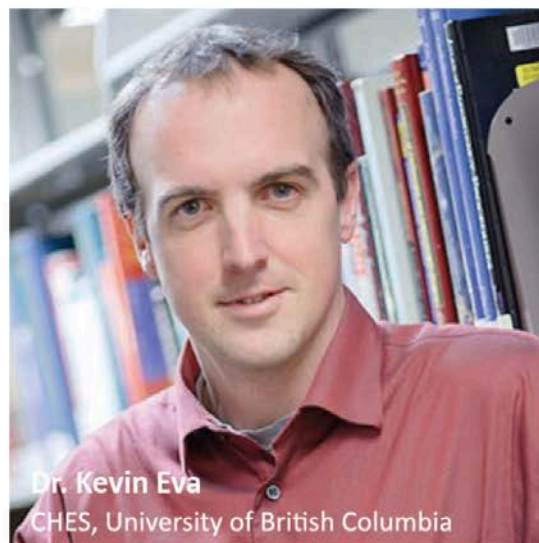
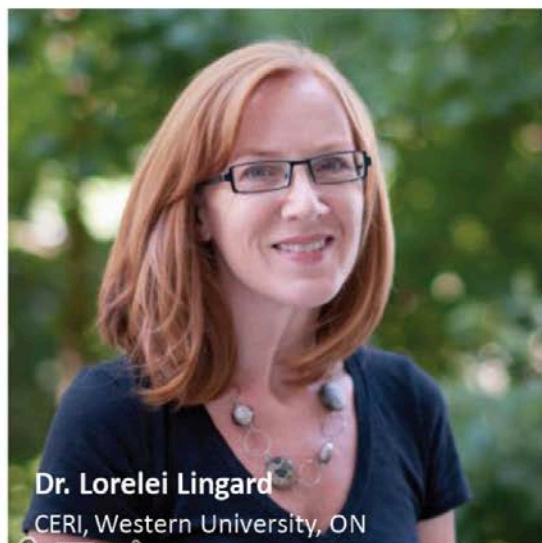


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The Office of Health and Medical Education Scholarship (OHMES)

Health and Medical Education Scholarship Symposium

February 22-23, 2017



- Education scholars
- Clinical teachers
- Educational leaders
- Students – medical, grad
- Residents
- Education scholars – Canada a world leader
- Medical schools, teachers, medical profession
- Patients, society

- Health professional education a fundamental part of the healthcare system
- Scholarship in this field – growing, maturing
- Struggles with resources, legitimacy
- In the CSM: OHMES a catalyst and broker
- Connecting all three pillars of Eyes High
- A resource for all

Q & A

Thank you!

Rachel Ellaway

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Assistant Professor

Health Policy Research and Patient
Engagement

– secondment to School of Public Policy

Search and Selection Committee members

Brenda Hemmelgarn (Chair), Fiona Clement,
Ronald Kneebone, Hude Quan, Scott Patten,
Leslie Soril (student representative), Tom
Stelfox, Jenifer Winter.



Dr. Myles Leslie

Start Date: Dec 1, 2016

Assistant Professor
Population/Public Health
(CSM Precision Medicine Strategy)

Search and Selection Committee members
Brenda Hemmelgarn (Chair), Karen Benzies
(external), Bill Ghali, Eddy Lang, Rebecca
Saah, Ann Toohey (student representative),
Suzanne Tough.



Dr. Dana Olstad
Start date: May 1, 2017

Assistant Professor

Healthcare Policy / Health Economics (CSM Precision Medicine Strategy)

Timelines

Nov 30	Advertisement closing
Dec	Shortlisting of Candidates
Jan	Site visits

Search and Selection Committee members

Brenda Hemmelgarn (Chair), Fiona Clement, William Ghali, Jennifer Hatfield, Aidan Hollis, Jenine Leal, Braden Manns, Tom Noseworthy.

Catch the News: Students!

Congratulations! 2016 Top 40 Under 40



November 1, 2016
Dr. Derek
Roberts, CHS
alumn, received
the recognition
for expanding the
scope of surgical
training
worldwide
through KT.

[Read More](#)

Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarship



October 5, 2016
Congratulation to
Jenine Leal for
receiving the
Vanier Canada
Graduate
Scholarship!

Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarship



October 5, 2016
Congratulation to
Erin
Heatherington for
receiving the
Vanier Canada
Graduate
Scholarship!

Catch the News: Faculty!

AMA Medal of Honor



October 4, 2016
Congratulations to Dr Jocelyn Lockyer for receiving the AMA Medal of Honor for extraordinary contributions by a non-physician to Albertans in medical/health research or education, health care organization or promotion.

Congratulations Dr Hude Quan



October 4, 2016
Dr Hude Quan has recently been elected to the Fellowship in the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences

2016 GREAT Supervisor Award



October 4, 2016
Congratulations to Dr Brenda Hemmelgarn and Dr Hude Quan who are both recipients of the 2016

GREAT Supervisor Awards!

AMA Medal for Distinguished Service



October 4, 2016
Congratulations to Dr Chip Doig who received the AMA Medal for Distinguished Service for his outstanding personal contributions to the medical profession and to Albertans who have contributed to the art

and science of medicine and raised the standards of medical practice.

Congratulations! 2016 Top 40 Under 40



November 1, 2016
Dr. Gabriel Fabreau received the recognition for his extensive contributions researching, teaching and "doctoring" with a focus on helping Calgary's most

vulnerable populations. [Read More](#)

Chair in Health Promotion and Disease Prevention



November 2, 2016
Congratulations to Dr. Hude Quan who was appointed inaugural holder of the Chiu Family/AstraZeneca Chair in Health Promotion and Disease Prevention at the Libin Institute.

Strategic Planning Retreat 2016

AGENDA

Community Health Sciences Departmental Retreat
November 23, 2016 (4 – 8 pm)
Valley Ridge Golf Club
11618 Valley Ridge Park NW, Calgary Ph. (403) 221-9682

- Objective 1:** To understand the CSM Precision Medicine / Precision Public Health Strategy;
- Objective 2:** To define Precision Public Health within the context of the CSM Precision Medicine Strategy and its relevance to the Department of Community Health Sciences;
- Objective 3:** To identify gaps in the curriculum related to Precision Public Health.

PROGRAM

4:00 – 4:05	Welcome Remarks	Dr. Brenda Hemmelgarn
4:05 – 4:40	Overview of Provincial and CSM Precision Medicine Strategy	Dr. Jon Meddings
4:40 – 5:00	Can the Vision of Precision Medicine be Applied to PPH?	Dr. Matthew James
5:00 – 5:15	Q & A and Discussion	Dr. Brenda Hemmelgarn
5:15 – 5:45	Panel Discussion: Challenges and Opportunities	Dr. Tom Feasby
	Dr. Melanie Rock Dr. Tom Noseworthy	
	Dr. Fiona Clement Dr. Doreen Rabi	
5:45 – 6:00	Body Break + Working Dinner	
6:00 – 6:15	Pulling it All Together	Dr. William Ghali
6:15 – 6:45	Breakout Discussion	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Defining precision public health Relevance of precision medicine concepts to CHS Curriculum gaps 	
6:45 – 7:15	Report Back	Dr. Gail MacKean
7:15 – 7:30	Body Break + Grab your Wine!	
7:30 – 8:00	TED-Style Profile of Junior Faculty	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> My first year as faculty – Three Big Things Learning about Learning: Developing Critical Thinking Skills in the Undergraduate Classroom The First Year in the Life of a Health Economist 	Dr. Rebecca Saah
		Dr. Joanna Rankin
		Dr. Eldon Spackman

Location:
Edmonton

Potential Dates:
September 1 – 3
September 8 - 10



**Looking for student
volunteers for Steering
Committee:**

**Please encourage your
students to apply!**

Engagement



**October 24, 2016
Coffee Hour**



Engagement

Take a Colleague for Coffee

September 28

Dr. Suzanne Goopy, Nursing

October 11

N. Chalmers/J. Heller, CSM Comms, Media & Mktg

October 19

Al-Karim Walli, Libin Institute

November 1

E. Saquibal/C. MacDonald, Snyder Institute



Engagement

**The O'Brien Institute for Public Health &
the Department of Community Health Sciences present:**

Research in Progress Showcase

Speaker: Jesse Hendrikse, Amy Metcalfe, Eldon Spackman, and Joanna Rankin

Friday, October 28th, 2016 - 12:00 to 12:50 p.m.

G500 – Health Sciences Centre, 3330 Hospital Drive NW, Calgary

Engagement

October 31 Halloween Dress Up



Engagement

TODAY !

Celebrate Engagement at TGIF !

Dear Students, Faculty and Staff:

Please join us for light appetizers this Friday at TGIF starting at 4:00 pm at the HRIC Atrium. If you can, please come early and take part in the “Live Chef” session at the TRV3 Kitchen at 3:30 pm and learn how to prepare an authentic Mexican guacamole.

We very much look forward to seeing you there!

Sincerely,

The Engagement Committee
Department of Community Health Sciences



Occupational Health and Safety-

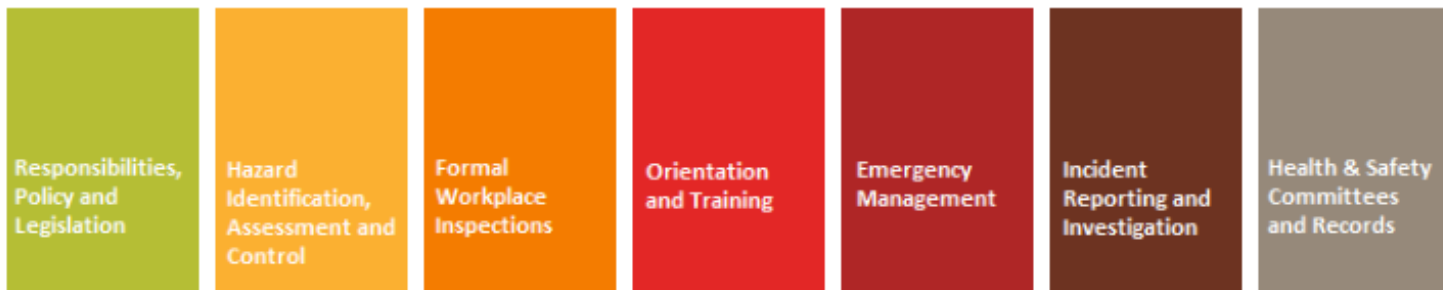
External Audit in May 2017 (3 year cycle)

Training is mandatory for All UC Employees: **58 Sessions Completed**

1. Occupational Health & Safety Orientation – 35 min. online module
2. Hazard Assessment Training – 45 min. online module
3. Incident Reporting and Investigation Training – 35 min. online module

For additional information please visit: www.ucalgary.ca/safety

Occupational Health and Safety Management System (OHSMS)




SAFETY MOMENT



O'Brien Institute Update

- Development in theme areas
- Upcoming activities
- Administration



O'Brien Institute for Public Health

Institute again on world stage as one of our own named to lead global organization

Mentorship Update

- Successful “Speed Dating” event held on Sept 30th following seminar on Mentorship
- 19 members originally registered however 8 attended including 1 senior faculty member
- Next event will be scheduled for Spring 2017

Opportunity for
Senior Faculty
To Register!



Mentorship Update

- *“Getting to meet others in the department, new institute members and established members.”*
- *“The informal pleasant nature that still had some structure.”*
- *“A great opportunity to network.”*

Senior Faculty:
Please share your
wisdom by
becoming a mentor!



Important 2016 – 2017 Dates

Nov. 23	Departmental Retreat “ <i>Precision Medicine</i> ”
Dec. 12	Coffee Hour
Dec. 16	Xmas Celebration
Jan. 20	Departmental Council
Feb./TBA	Retirement Celebration
Mar. 31	Departmental Council
Jun. 9	Departmental Council

Public Health and Preventive Medicine

Dr. Richard Musto, AHS Calgary Zone Lead Medical Officer of Health, will be retiring in December. In addition to his other roles with AHS and the University of Calgary, he has long supervised PHPM field rotations. PHPM would like to thank both Dr. Musto for his many contributions to the residency training program over the course of his career, and Dr. Laura McDougall (Medical Director of PPH Strategic Clinical Network and Alberta Cancer Prevention Legacy Fund) who has agreed to now serve as a core preceptor for the program.

PGME hosted a retreat for program directors in October at Hotel Alma. Speakers presented on change management, quality improvement, and coaching (Dr. Jocelyn Lockyear) in residency education.

Several residents have completed out of province electives this fall, including with the World Health Organization Strategic Advisory Group of Experts on Immunization (SAGE) secretariat, the Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC) Global Health Division, and the Northwest Territories Office of the Chief Public Health Officer.

Four residents will be completing training in 2017 and writing PHPM Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons Exam in May/June. In preparation, the program supported these residents in attending the National PHPM Review Course hosted by Queen's University.

GRADUATE EDUCATION PROGRAM



- **to our NEW Graduate Program Administrator (GPA)!**

On October 19th Darlene Sibilleau joined the Graduate Science Education (GSE) team and took on the role of GPA for MDCH. Darlene comes to us with extensive experience in customer service and legal, accounting, and research administration. Please introduce yourself and welcome Darlene to this important position.

- **MDCH Proposed Use of Faculty of Graduate Studies Funding Allocation**

Every year the University Budget Committee allocates funding to the Faculty of Graduate Studies (FGS) to distribute to graduate programs. These funds are intended to allow programs to attract and support excellent graduate students by providing them with scholarship funding. Although MDCH has not deliberately done so, other programs within Graduate Science Education (GSE) have specific awards that they allocate money to from this funding. On October 18, 2016 the MDCH Graduate Education Committee voted in favor of the following funding structure:

ALLOCATION	% OF ALLOCATION	MAXIMUM AWARD
Graduate Student Travel Support	25%	\$1,500 per student
Graduate Teaching Assistantships (GATs)	20%	(FGS Approved)
Graduate Student Research Scholarship	20%	\$2,000 per student
Graduate Student General Support (special needs)	30%	\$5,000
Graduate Student 1 st Author Publishing Award	5%	\$500

GRADUATE EDUCATION PROGRAM

- **2016-2017 Graduate Science Education (GSE) Curricular and Unit Review**

Along with all other graduate programs in the Cumming School of Medicine, MDCH will be undergoing a program (i.e., unit) and curricular (i.e., courses) review. A Taskforce led by Francine Smith will be gathering and analyzing data from multiple sources from the last 5 years. The last GSE review occurred in 2009, chaired by Randy Johnston. It is expected that a self-summary report be produced, including recommendations for the future. This will be followed by an external review team visit. Chairs from each of the Specializations, as well as MDCH course instructors may be called upon to help facilitate the review. In advance, we thank you for your assistance and collaboration.

- **MDCH Auditing Policy**

Adopting the auditing regulations delineated within the UC Undergraduate and Graduate Calendars (2016-2017), please note the approved auditing policy within MDCH.

- (1) Auditing is not permitted by any student of any MDCH core required courses (i.e., MDCH 600, 610, 640, & 681).
- (2) Permission to audit cannot officially be granted until the number of students registered for credit is known. Therefore, students will not be allowed to register for audit until after the classes close for registration for credit. At this time, course audit form must be signed by the student's supervisor, the course instructor, and the Graduate Program Director, and then submitted to the Faculty of Graduate Studies for approval and processing.

- **MDCH Auditing Policy (Cont.)**

(3) Audited courses will not be considered as meeting prerequisite, admission, or course requirements for MDCH. Transfer credit will not be granted for audited courses. Moreover, the student's record will indicate the courses audited, but will not count towards the MDCH degree.

(4) Change of course registration from "audit" to "credit" or "credit" to "audit" will not be permitted after the change deadline of the beginning of the term in which the course begins.

(5) Auditing students may participate in coursework activities, but may not complete lab or tutorial components of the course, nor can they receive a grade for any part of the course, course assignments, or exams.

(6) With approvals from the supervisor, course instructor, and Graduate Program Director, students may audit a course they previously successfully completed, and/or they may take for credit a course which they previously audited.

(7) Any student seeking to audit a course must meet all admission, registration, and fee deadlines. *[Approved at the MDCH GEC, October 18, 2016]*

- **Specialization Graduate Education Advisory Committees – Terms of Reference**

A special thanks to the MDCH Graduate Education Committee for helping develop terms of reference for its advisory committees. All specializations will form advisory committees (if they don't already have them in place), comprised of the Specialization Chair, faculty members identified as content-experts in the specialization and/or who teach and/or supervise in MDCH, and a minimum of one master's and doctoral student within the specialization. It is expected that a minimum of 2 meetings in the fall and 2 in the winter/spring academic terms be held in order to keep members current and seek counsel on policies and guidelines in MDCH and FGS.

Current Specialization/Residency Chairs include:

- Tolu Sajobi (*Biostatistics*)
- Katrina Milaney (*Community Rehabilitation and Disabilities Studies*)
- Tanis Fenton (*Epidemiology*)
- Eldon Spackman (*Health Economics*)
- Amy Metcalfe (*Health Services Research*)
- Jocelyn Lockyer (*Medical Education*)
- Gavin McCormack (*Population Public Health*)
- Jason Cabaj (*Public Health and Preventive Medicine*)

Community Rehabilitation and Disability Studies

Student Updates:

BCR Winter 2017 – 17 January admissions competing degree via distance

Fall Convocation: 1 PhD

17 BCR, two with Distinction.

CRDS Program updates:

Faculty reviewing undergraduate and graduate programs and developing an action plan to address teaching requirements for 2017/18.

Bachelor of Health Sciences Health & Society Program

Discovery Days

The University of Calgary and the Canadian Medical Hall of Fame hosted Discovery Days on October 14th, 2016 at the Cumming School of Medicine. Discovery days are attended by high schools students (primarily Grade 11) who have an interest in medicine and health sciences. Anika Winn and Erika Friebe, both senior Health & Society students, hosted a half day Global Health workshop that highlighted the Health & Society program and global health opportunities at CSM. The workshops were very successful. We would like to thank Anika and Erika for being such great ambassadors for the program.

Student summer research

Undergraduate summer research funding deadlines fall in late January to mid-February of 2016/17 so many Health & Society students will be looking for summer research opportunities during the next couple of months. If you have a potential summer student project or are interested in further details, please contact Fabiola Aparicio-Ting (feaparic@ucalgary.ca). We are grateful to those in the Department who have extended research opportunities to our students in the past and look forward to forging even more research relationships with CHS faculty members. Funding for summer research is available through a number of avenues, including:

- Program for Undergraduate Research Experience (PURE)
<http://www.ucalgary.ca/provost/TLFC/awards/undergrad>
- Markin Undergraduate Summer Research Program (USRP)
<https://www.ucalgary.ca/usrp/>
- O'Brien Centre Summer Studentships (OCSS)
<http://cumming.ucalgary.ca/bhsc/research/summer-studentships>

Bachelor of Health Sciences Health & Society Program

Education

We are pleased to welcome Aliya Kassam to the HSOC teaching team. Aliya will be co-coordinating HSOC 311- Health Systems with Melissa Potestio (AHS) in the Winter 2017 semester. Tanya Beran has also joined our ranks and is currently co-instructing HSOC 408 with Bonnie Lashewicz; this course is off to a wonderful start.

As always, our need for additional CHS faculty teaching contributions to the HSOC program continues. This is a wonderful opportunity to make an educational contribution to the Department through a rewarding experience. Involvement may include guest lectures, co-instructing a course, or even creating a new course within the HSOC curriculum. We are actively seeking one or two additional co-instructors with an expertise in social determinants of health. Please contact Fabiola Aparicio-Ting (feaparic@ucalgary.ca) if you are interested in further details.