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# Rural Review

## Call for Research Poster PRESENTATIONS

### Abstracts wanted for Cabin Fever 2020

New! At Cabin Fever in February 2020 we hope to highlight rural research and scholarship. If you have research in progress or have made education innovations in your clinical setting, we invite you to submit an abstract (max 250 words) describing your project and planned poster. Deadline for submissions is November 15, 2019.

[Email us](#)



## Want to PRECEPT for Med 330?



Med 330 is a small time commitment that has a great impact on future physicians. We have found that early exposure to rural experiences in Undergrad piques interest in rural medical practice for many students and they benefit greatly through the one-on-one experience.

Med 330 students are required to attend 3 of 4 days for a minimum of 6 hours a day. Preceptors for the Clinical Experience classes

must have a **current Faculty Appointment** at the University of Calgary or be in the process of obtaining one. If you do not already have one, and would like to precept, please let us know and we can assist you through the process.

Interested in precepting? Please let us know **no later than Sept 2, 2019**. Questions? Let us know!

[Email us](#)

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## Call for Proposals EQUIPMENT AND/OR SIM FUNDING

Looking for an opportunity to build or support your rural training program?

Distributed Learning and Rural Initiatives is currently accepting requests for proposals for equipment and/or simulation funding across Alberta.



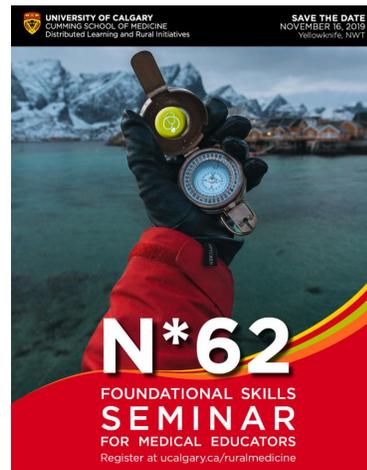
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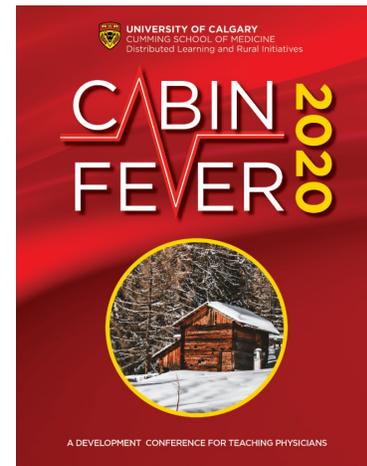
## Upcoming EVENTS



**SAPS**  
REGISTER  
**September 27-28,**  
**2019**  
Drumheller, AB



**N\*62**  
SAVE THE DATE  
**November 16, 2019**  
Yellowknife, NWT



**Cabin Fever**  
SAVE THE DATE  
**February 7-9, 2020**  
Kananaskis, AB

[More info](#)

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## Nominate NOW! Rural Recognition Awards

Do you know an outstanding rural health care practitioner? Recognize them by submitting a nomination for a Rural Recognition Award. DLRI



recognizes the work and passion that preceptors, residents, and health care professionals bring to rural communities.

Nominations are accepted until November 15, 2019. Questions? Contact us at [dlri@ucalgary.ca](mailto:dlri@ucalgary.ca).

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## Clerkship Chat with **WILLIAM KENNEDY** in Lethbridge

**Finding inspiration in rural medicine and the preceptor that influenced him**



"Over the past month, my mother had felt increasingly sick, and no one could figure out why. She had seen several specialists but continued to feel fatigued and breathless. On the day my father took her to the emergency room one of the doctors figured out she had endocarditis on her VSD and started the care that would save her life. That's one of the reasons I want to practice helping people in medicine"

[Read more](#)

## Summer in my **RURAL ALBERTA** Photo Contest

What makes summer great in rural Alberta? DLRI wants to showcase a series of photos featuring the gorgeous province where we live and work. To enter, follow us on social media, capture a rural photo, and use the hashtag #SummerinmyruralAB. Contest ends August 31st.



[More info](#)

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# In the **KNOW**: CME, BOOK SALE, and SRPC



## Accredited education for rural practitioners and residents

Learn at your own pace with these **free online modules**:

- [Alberta Opioid Dependency Virtual Training Course](#)
- [Dementia Behaviours and Appropriate Use of Anti-Psychotics](#)
- [Healthy Pregnancy Weight Gain](#)
- [Obesity Management](#)
- [PTSD and Post Disaster Population Impact](#)

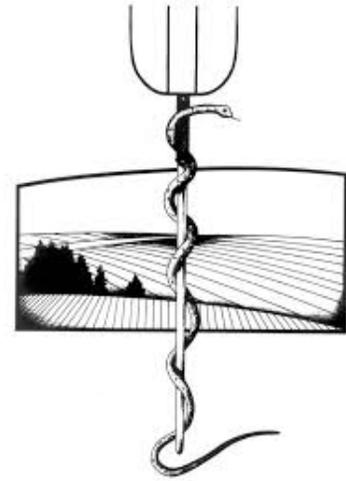
**Free weekly Rural Video Conference Series** is available through Alberta Telehealth sites.



## Book sale for residents and physicians

Until August 31st the Cumming School of Medicine's bookstore has over 60 trusted resources by medical experts at 20% off!

[See the brochure](#)



## Sponsored SRPC memberships

DLRI is kindly sponsoring annual SRPC memberships for R1 and R2 residents in the rural family medicine residency program and UCLIC class of 2020.

Check your inbox!

## Congratulations to **UME's** Rural Clerkship Preceptor Award Winners



Dr. Kristy Penner  
Dr. Alasdair Drummond  
Dr. Greg Smith  
Dr. Sarah Feaver  
Dr. Naji Saleh  
Dr. Kristen Rylance  
Dr. Davis Yawney  
Dr. Eric Leishman  
Dr. Jeffrey Hughes  
Dr. Ian Armstrong  
Dr. Wendy Fortna  
Dr. Abdelbasat Aborawi  
Dr. Jane Moran  
Dr. David Pontin  
Dr. Emma Morin  
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