March, 2022

Rounds:

**DOS City Wide Rounds**: Friday March 4, 2022 Dr. Nivez Rasic, Dr. Hance Clarke, Kayla Denness

A Balancing Act: Improving Pain and Opioid Prescribing for Surgical Patients in Alberta

**Evidence Based Rounds**: Tuesday March 15, 2022 Dr. Erika Friebe

Rounds are up to date on the webpage including the joint rounds presented by the U of A January 7, 2022

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**March 8, 2022 International Women’s Day**

Mar. 8, 12:00 – 1:30pm: The University of Calgary marks International Women’s Day with a free webinar on **Gender Justice at the Intersections**. The session will examine persistent gender gaps and collective actions needed to #BreakTheBias and effect sustainable change. Some of the speakers include Dr. OmiSoore H. Dryden, Dr. Irene Shankar, Jennifer Koshan and Jonnette Watson Hamilton. Information and registration [here](#)

**Clara Christie Research Day – May 13, 2022**

Planned in person event.

- Invited speaker: Dr. Andrea Simpson

Dr. Simpson is an obstetrician and minimally invasive gynaecologic surgeon at St. Michael’s Hospital. She is an assistant professor at the University of Toronto and completed an MSc in Health Services Research at the Institute for Health Policy, Management and Evaluation. She is an Adjunct Scientist at ICES. Her research interests include access to health services, improving clinical care pathways, early endometrial cancer/endometrial hyperplasia and obesity, as well as issues pertaining to physician health and wellness. She is active in both postgraduate and undergraduate medical education and has won a number of teaching awards, including the St. Michael’s Hospital Student Experience Award in recognition of an exemplary effort and ongoing commitment to supporting a superior student experience, Dr. Frederick R. Papsin Award in recognition of outstanding contributions to teaching, leadership and mentoring to the residency program, and the Anthony Cecutti Award for most outstanding chief resident at St. Michael’s Hospital. She holds a Physicians’ Services Incorporated New Investigator Grant and a CIHR Early Career Investigator Grant.
Department Retreat – April 22, 2022

Focus of this year’s retreat will be on the future of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology and the creation of a strategic plan.

- Invited Speaker: Dr. Lisa Petermann

Dr. Petermann has a PhD in medical history, and has been actively engaged in health-based research and education for nearly 15 years. She is published in the areas of medical history, knowledge exchange, cancer prevention and screening, and gambling studies. Over the past 10 years, she has held progressive leadership positions in both government and not-for-profit organizations, at the provincial and national levels. Her previous work has included a strong focus on organizational design, relationship building, and stakeholder engagement. Working in management positions Lisa has also accrued extensive experience in coaching and mentoring, HR practices, strategic planning and change management.

Clerkship Class of 2023

Clerks will begin the 4 and 2 block rotations this year. They will also be returning to clinics. Clerkship electives will be heavy through August.

Pharma Presentation

Lifebank presentation: Umbilical Cord Blood Cellular therapy for Brain Injury

March 10, 2022 @ 1830

Murrieta’s West Coast Bar and Grill

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Department Positions