



eNews

Welcome to the Society’s eNews. We are pleased to provide you with news and information from the ENT community across the country. Please let us know what you think. Send us your comments, letters and submissions for possible publication here.

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AN INVITATION

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

Winnipeg is ready to welcome you to this year’s CSO-HNS annual meeting at the RBC Convention Centre and Delta Hotel from June 6-9, 2015. The meeting will start on Saturday June 6, 2015 and features a complimentary morning program, with coffee break and lunch included, which is open to both delegates and companions. This year our guest of honour is Dr. Paul Odell. Early registration is still open. <http://www.entcanada.org/news-events/annual-meetings/early-registration-winnipeg-agm/>



The Delta Hotel rooms are newly renovated, modern, and feature complimentary Internet access. Rooms start at \$189/night; click on the following link to make your reservations. <https://www.deltahotels.com/Groups/Delta-Winnipeg-Hotel/Canadian-Society-of-Otolaryngology>

The theme of this year’s meeting is “Taking Care of Yourself and Your Patients: Work/Life Balance”. Under the direction of Dr. Fred Kozak, this year’s scientific program looks better than ever and features several innovative presentations and sessions. The workshops will use a web-based audience response system, TopHat, to enhance audience interaction. Download the Scientific program (as of April 21, 2015). <http://www.entcanada.org/wp-content/uploads/Winnipeg-2015-Scientific-Program-Program-at-a-Glance-En8Website.pdf>

Our invited guest speakers are three internationally known faculty whose presentations will inspire you both professionally and personally. Dr. Jonathan Sykes is the Director of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery at UC Davis Medical Center in Sacramento, CA and is an internationally recognized innovator in the latest techniques of minimally invasive endoscopic surgery. Dr. Paul Farnan is a partner with HealthQuest Occupational Health Corporation in Vancouver BC and is a highly regarded expert in the field of



Physician Health. Dr. Amin Kassam from Milwaukee, WI is an internationally renowned neurosurgeon and pioneer in minimally invasive approaches to complex skull base surgery.

The Sunday evening Welcoming Reception will be held at the incredible Canadian Museum of Human Rights. It is the only museum in the world solely devoted to human rights awareness and education. This amazing building is designed to resemble a mythic mountain surrounded by a massive glass cloud and includes glowing white alabaster ramps, a 100-metre shining Tower of Hope, and the Garden of Contemplation which is filled with basalt rock, water and greenery.

There are two Saturday courses being offered: a morning *Simulation Symposium for Airway Management*, which offers Section 3 MOC credits, and an all-day *Aesthetic Botulinum Toxin: A Hands-On Workshop*. Sign up early for the workshops, as spaces are limited.

Once again we are holding the President's Banquet on Monday evening. This year's special guest speaker is Canadian women's hockey player Jennifer Botterill; she is a three-time Olympic Gold Medalist, a five-time World Champion in hockey and an honours graduate of Harvard University. She has over fifteen years of experience in keynote speaking and personal development with a special interest in physician health and performance.

The companion program offers a Saturday afternoon at the luxurious Ten Spa, which occupies the entire 10th floor of the historic Fort Gary Hotel and provides a world-class spa experience. On Sunday afternoon, there is an opportunity to take the fascinating *Hermetic Code Tour* of the Manitoba Legislative Building. Hosted by author Frank Albo, the tour reveals the secrets about the building's history, a la Dan Brown and *The Da Vinci Code*. On Monday afternoon, there is an opportunity to attend the FIFA Women's World Cup soccer match between Sweden and Nigeria in the new Winnipeg Stadium.

The CSO-HNS app for your iPhone or Android will be back; thanks again to Dr. Scott Kohlert for its development and continued enhancements.

We are grateful for industry support and thank our Platinum sponsors, Karl Storz, Medtronic, Merck, Takeda, and Hoffmann La-Roche as well our Silver sponsors, Cochlear, MedEl, Olympus, Oticon, and T.B. Clift.

Finally, we would like to offer a big thank you to Donna Humphrey, whose commitment and hard work always ensure a smooth meeting.

See you in Winnipeg!

Dr. Martin Corsten, CSO-HNS President
Dr. Paul Kerr, Local Planning Co-chair
Dr. Gigi Osler, Local Planning Co-chair



CSOHNS 69th Annual Meeting

June 6 - 9, 2015

The RBC Convention Centre / Delta Hotel, WINNIPEG, MB

“Taking Care of Your Patients and Yourself – Work / Life Balance”

President

DR. MARTIN CORSTEN, Milwaukee, WI

Local Arrangements Chairs

DR. GIGI OSLER & DR. PAUL KERR, Winnipeg, MB

Scientific Program Chair

DR. FREDERICK K. KOZAK, Vancouver, BC

Invited Guests

DR. JONATHAN SYKES, Sacramento, CA

DR. AMIN KASSAM, Milwaukee, WI

DR. PAUL FARNAN, Vancouver, BC

Guest of Honour

DR. PAUL ODELL, Ottawa, ON

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

SATURDAY, JUNE 6 – TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2015

RBC Convention Centre, Winnipeg

Meeting Room 3; Meeting Room 4/5; Pan Am Room; Lecture Theatre

To view the scientific program-at-a-glance please go to the Society's website at:

<http://www.entcanada.org/news-events/annual-meetings/winnipeg-2015/>

POLIQUIN RESIDENT RESEARCH COMPETITION

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2015 13:00 – 16:30

Lecture Theatre, RBC Convention Centre, Winnipeg, MB

Running concurrently with the Poliquin Competition will be podium presentations and workshops on **Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery**.

ADDITIONAL COURSES

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2015 07:30 – 12:00

SIMULATION SYMPOSIUM FOR AIRWAY MANAGEMENT

Meeting Room 2, RBC Convention Centre, WINNIPEG

Course Coordinators:

Dr. Lily Nguyen, Brossard, QC

Dr. Adrian Gooi, Winnipeg, MB



Dr. Norbert Viallet, Winnipeg, MB
Dr. Kevin Fung, London, ON

This workshop will help participants advance and refresh their airway management decision-making and technical skills. High-fidelity simulation scenarios and guided task trainer sessions will review airway management tools including rigid bronchoscopy, flexible bronchoscopy, and other difficult airway techniques.

[Brochure](#)

[SIMS Registration Form](#)

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2015 09:00 – 17:00 **AESTHETIC BOTULINUM TOXIN: A HANDS-ON WORKSHOP**

Course Directors: Dr. Laura Chan and Dr. Victoria Taraska
Course Location: The Derm Center, 1385 Grant Avenue, Winnipeg, MB

Topics covered will include relevant anatomy, physiology, appropriate patient selection, indications, contraindications, and practice setup. All participants will have an opportunity to inject patients. This course will give you all the tools you need to begin injecting and add income to your existing practice.

Registration fee: \$2100 (participants will arrange their own transportation to and from the course)

[Botox Registration Form](#) (Please scroll down the page)

WOMEN-IN-OTOLARYNGOLOGY LUNCHEON **MONDAY, JUNE 8 @ 12:00**

Millennium Room, RBC Convention Centre. Details to follow.

EVENING SOCIAL PROGRAM

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2015

Free Evening

With the new Saturday start to the program, Saturday evening has been kept open to allow delegates time to socialize with company representatives, visit with family and friends or explore the sights of Winnipeg.

SUNDAY JUNE 7, 2015 18:30

Welcoming Reception

This year the welcoming reception will be held at the internationally celebrated **Canadian Museum of Human Rights**. The museum is located at The Forks, where the Red and Assiniboine rivers meet on Treaty One land. It is the only museum in the world solely devoted to human rights awareness and education. The amazing architecture of the building was designed by world-renowned architect Antoine Predock. It is designed to resemble a mythic mountain surrounded by a massive glass cloud and includes a kilometer of glowing white alabaster ramps, a 100-metre shining Tower of Hope and the Garden of Contemplation full of basalt rock, water and greenery. The **Bonnie and John Buhler Hall** is the largest reception space in the museum and will be the location of our event. Attendees will also be invited to visit one or two of the galleries. You can go to





<https://humanrights.ca/> for more information about this iconic institution. A buffet and bus transportation to / from the museum will be included.

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 2015 19:15

President's Banquet

Martin and Karen Corsten cordially invite you to join them for cocktails and dinner in the lovely Grand Ballroom of the Delta Hotel. Once again, the President's banquet will be held on the Monday evening for the convenience of all the attendees. This year, you will be able to get your "glam on" and walk the red carpet, complete with having a photo taken by a professional photographer. In addition, a stand-up photo booth with fun props will be available for your entertainment.

We are pleased to announce that Ms. Jennifer Botterill will be our inspirational speaker. Ms. Botterill is only one of four Canadians to take part in all four Olympic women's hockey tournaments, is a 3-time Gold Medalist and holds 5 World Titles. For more information about this remarkable Canadian please visit <http://nsb.com/speakers/jennifer-botterill/>.

Dress for the evening is formal, black tie is optional.

Should there be a demand, a supervised children's room will be available for those who require childcare for the evening. This will be suitable for children ages 3 to 12 years.

COMPANION PROGRAM

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2015 14:00

Ten Spa

TEN Spa is a beautiful spa located on the entire 10th floor of The Fort Garry Hotel in Winnipeg and offers a luxurious hamam experience for both women and men. The treatment, transportation to and from TEN Spa, taxes, gratuities and a light spa meal are all included.

Moroccan mint tea and Turkish Delight will be served to you in the warm lounge as preparation for your spa treatment. The treatment will be conducted in the inner sanctum of the spa, surrounded by heated marble and warm, ambient steam. You will be guided through a cleansing ritual designed to leave you feeling refreshed and renewed. First, a self-administered salt rub and traditional rinse will be followed by a head, scalp and foot massage on a heated marble slab.

After the spa treatment, you can unwind and relax again in the main lounge where you will be served a light spa meal, purified water and herbal tea. A second Quiet Lounge is also available if you prefer to take a nap.

Spaces are limited so sign up early! Cost: \$150/person (Price includes GST)

<http://www.tenspa.ca>

Hotel pick-up 14:00
Spa arrival 14:30
Treatment start 15:00
Treatment end 16:00
Light spa lunch 16:00
Spa pick-up 17:00
Hotel arrival 17:30



Companion's Program continued...

SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 2015 13:30

Hermetic Code Tour, Manitoba Legislative Building



This fascinating 90-minute tour opens up the mysteries of the Manitoba Legislative Building. Have you ever wondered why it has sphinxes on the roof? Do you know the true identity of the Golden Boy? Join Dr. Frank Albo, the academic inspiration behind the book *The Hermetic Code*, for an unforgettable tour of magic, mystery and architectural wonder at Canada's most unique architectural landmark. Dr. Albo will take you along step-by-step to reveal a trail of occult clues concealed in the building's architecture including hidden hieroglyphic inscriptions, numerological codes, and Freemasonic symbols so intelligently masked they have escaped historians and visitors for nearly a hundred years!

The tour, transportation to and from the Legislative Building, taxes and gratuities are all included.

Location: Manitoba Legislative Building, 450 Broadway Avenue. You will meet Dr. Albo at the main entrance of the Legislative building (450 Broadway), around the security desk.

Cost: \$50 per person (Prices includes GST)

http://www.tourismwinnipeg.com/things-to-do/historical/display_profile/01789/hermetic-code-tour-of-the-manitoba-legislative-building

<http://www.frankalbo.com>

Hotel pick-up 13:30

Tour start 14:00

Tour end 15:30

Legislative Building pick-up 15:45

Hotel arrival 16:00

SUNDAY, JUNE 7 - TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2015 08:00 to 10:00

Companions' Breakfast

Breakfast will be available each morning at the Delta Hotel's **Blaze Restaurant** for the registered companions of meeting delegates. Vouchers will be provided at the time of registration.

MEETING REGISTRATION

Early Bird Fee Deadline: May 5, 2015

For more info or to download the registration form please go to the Ottawa meeting section of the Society's website – [2015 Registration Form](#)

Important Note

Because of the Saturday morning start, the meeting's **Registration desk** will be **open** on **Saturday, June 6** between **07:30-17:00**, **RBC Convention Centre**.





CONVENTION HOTEL: THE DELTA HOTEL

Reservations Deadline: **May 5, 2015**

350 Saint Mary Avenue, WINNIPEG, MB
Tel: (204) 944-7243

Rates: Starting at \$189 per night.

Telephone reservations can be made at **1-800-937-8461**

Reservation online: [Hotel Reservations Link](#)

Please reserve before May 5, 2015 as confirmation after that date cannot be guaranteed.

PAPERLESS AGM

We are continuing with our efforts to eliminate as much of the paper associated with the conference as possible. At the Winnipeg meeting the following will apply:

- Conference flyer and early registration form will be available online at www.entcanada.org. Please call the Society's office at 800-655-9533 if you require a hardcopy.
- Your **NAME BADGE** will be your **TICKET** into the **SCIENTIFIC** and **SOCIAL PROGRAMS**. Please wear it at all times.
- The **SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM** will be available on the Society's website in a printable format should you wish a hardcopy. For those with iOS a meeting app will once again be available for download.
- You will be able to complete the session specific evaluation forms (mandatory for your Certificate of Attendance) online on the Society's website, www.entcanada.org.
- For those who pre-register, confirmation of payment will be emailed to you within 14 days of receipt. A hardcopy receipt will be available only on request.

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2015 / 2016 SOCIETY ELECTIONS

Lecture Theatre, RBC Convention Centre, WINNIPEG, MB
Tuesday, June 9 at 16:15 (Annual General Business Meeting)

Nominations are being sought for the following council and committee positions –

- 2nd Vice-President Elect
- Treasurer-elect
- Regional Representatives: Ontario and British Columbia
- Committee Chairs: Awards, Bylaws, Global Health, and Canadian Fellowship

If you wish to nominate an individual or are interested in one of the positions, please contact **Dr. Patrick Gullane** (Nominating Committee Chair) or the Society's office at csso.hns@sympatico.ca.



COUNCIL, COMMITTEE & SPECIAL INTEREST MEETINGS

COMMITTEE / GROUP	CHAIR	DELTA HOTEL	TIME
FRIDAY JUNE 5			
CPD/CME	Drs. Tan/Osler	Westminster Room	16:30-18:00
Nominating/Long Range P.	Dr. Gullane	Strathcona Room	18:00-19:30
COHNS Fund	Dr. Taylor	Cabinet Room	18:00-19:30
Executive Dinner Meeting	Dr. Corsten	Blaze Bistro Private Dining	19:30
SATURDAY JUNE 6		RBC CONVENTION CENTRE	
Council Meeting*	Dr. Corsten	Room 13	07:30-12:30
Endocrine Surgery	Dr. Payne	Room 7	16:30-17:30
Global Health	Dr. Westerberg	Room 8	16:30-17:30
Facial Plastic Reconstruction	Dr. Moore	Room 9	16:30-17:30
Rhinology/Sinus Disease	Drs. Janjua / Sommer	Room 10	16:30-17:30
Pediatric OHNS	Dr. Campisi	Room 11	16:30-17:30
Sleep	Dr. Chau/Rotenberg	Room 12	16:30-17:30
Otology/Cochlear Implants	Drs. Morris/Ho/Westerberg	Room 13	16:30-17:30
Laryngology	Dr. Kost	Room 6	16:30-17:30
SUNDAY JUNE 7			
OHNS Program Directors	Dr. Ansari	Room 13	07:00-08:00
Combined Meeting: Head & Neck Surgery Group / Cdn. Assoc. of Head & Neck Oncology	Drs. Taylor/Gilbert Drs. Seikaly/O'Connell	Room 13	12:00-13:30
MONDAY JUNE 8			
COACH	Dr. Yoo	Room 13	07:00-08:00
Women-in-Otolaryngology	Dr. Kost (lunch meeting)	Millennium	12:00-13:00
COOLS (HNC National Research Project)	Dr. S. Durham	Rooms 12 /13 (Scientists) Rooms 12 /13 (HN Members)	10:00-12:00 12:00-13:00
TUESDAY JUNE 9			
Undergraduate Education	Dr. Fung	Room 13	07:00-08:00
Collaborative Research	Dr. Nichols	Room 12	07:00-08:00
"Manuary" Planning	Dr. Sowerby	Room 11	12:00-13:00
Editorial Board	Dr. Seikaly / Wright	Room 12	12:00-13:00
Annual Business Meeting	Dr. Corsten	Lecture Theatre	16:15-17:15

*Committee Chairs are invited to present their reports between 10:30 – 11:30



CANADIAN FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE

Chair, Dr. Trina Uwiera, Edmonton, AB

As Chair of the Society's Fellowship Committee, I am very pleased to announce that **Dr. Christopher Chin** and **Dr. Trung Le** have been chosen as the 2015 / 2016 Canadian Fellowship Award recipients.



Dr. Chin is pursuing a fellowship in Rhinology, Anterior Skull Base Surgery, Head and Neck Oncology at the **University of Toronto**.

Dr. Trung Le will do a fellowship in Otolaryngology / Neurotology at the **University of British Columbia**.

We look forward to hearing from them at the annual Canadian Society of Otolaryngology Head & Neck Surgery meeting upon completion of their fellowships. Thank you to all who reviewed their applications.

This year, two fellowship grants of \$25,000 each were awarded. We wish to acknowledge **Ethicon EndoSurgery** and **Takeda Canada** for their generous sponsorship of these fellowship awards. Complete guidelines and application forms can be found on the CSOHNS website: <http://www.entcanada.org/fellowships-awards/awards-grants/canadian-fellowship-program/>

CANADIAN OTOLARYNGOLOGY HEAD AND NECK SURGERY FUND

President, Dr. S. Mark Taylor, Halifax, NS

Personalized Lab Coats



Once again we are taking orders for white lab coats which include the Society's logo with the words "Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery" embroidered over the left pocket. They can be personalized with your name and subspecialty title. Cost, including tax is **\$79.10** (with name) and **\$91.53** (with name and subspecialty title). For every coat sold, the COHNS Fund makes approximately \$25.

An order form is available on the website at <http://www.entcanada.org/cohns-fund/> Complete and return it to the Society's office with your payment. Orders received and paid for before **May 6th** will be available for pick-up at the Winnipeg AGM.



In addition to personalized lab coats, the COHNS Fund has made available for purchase beautiful pens and pen/pencil sets. These products have a great look and feel. They are black and silver with a twist mechanism to open and close. "COHNS Fund" with logo is laser engraved on the top half. The cost is \$25.00 + tax for the pen and \$45.00 + tax for the pen/pencil set. All net proceeds go to support the Fund's various activities including global outreach and fellowship awards. To order, please go to:



http://www.entcanada.org/wp-content/uploads/Fund-Pen_Pencil-Form-Feb-2015.pdf.

These items will also be available at the Winnipeg annual meeting registration desk.

Please consider donating to the Fund...

We are asking all our members to consider making a donation to the Society's Fund, whose sole mission is to promote, organize and support educational activities for residents, fellows and members. We count on members' patronage to support ongoing educational endeavours such as the Canadian fellowship and global outreach programs. Please consider giving to our "Circle of Donors". Contributions can be made at a 'Platinum', 'Gold', 'Silver', or 'Bronze' level and the amounts are cumulative. This means that your recognition level will grow each time you give. You will be recognized in various sections of our website. All contributions are entirely tax deductible and tax receipts will be issued for donations received over \$25.



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

(Apr 2015)

OTOLARYNGOLOGIST – STRATFORD, ON

The Department of Surgery at the Huron Perth Healthcare Alliance (HPHA) is seeking a full time Otolaryngologist to join our growing department. [Read More](#)

(Apr 2015)

OTOLARYNGOLOGIST – OWEN SOUND, ON

Grey Bruce Health Services is seeking an otolaryngologist to join an established team of 3 specialists at the Owen Sound Hospital. [Read More](#)

(Mar 2015)

OTOLOGY FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITY, CAMBODIA

A new 6 month paid fellowship opportunity available at the Children's Surgical Centre in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. Contact: Mr. Matthew Clark mattanna99@hotmail.com
[Read More](#)

(Mar 2015)

WOODBINE MEDICAL CENTRE SPECIALISTS CLINIC, MARKHAM, ON

Woodbine Medical Centre is currently seeking both full-time and part-time otolaryngologists to work at a busy practice.

[Read More](#)

(Mar 2015)

STANTON TERRITORIES HEALTH AUTHORITY, YELLOWKNIFE, NWT

Stanton Territories Health Authority in Yellowknife, NWT is seeking one permanent and one LOCUM otolaryngologist to start as soon as possible.

[Read More](#)

FUTURE CSOHNS ANNUAL MEETINGS

2016 – June 12 to 14 PEI Convention Centre / Delta Hotel, **CHARLOTTETOWN, PE**

2017 – Dates/Hotel TBA **SASKATOON, SK**



2018 – Dates/Hotel TBA **QUEBEC CITY, QC**

2019 – Dates/Hotel TBA **EDMONTON, AB**

2020 – Dates/Hotel TBA **HALIFAX, NS**