Faculty Updates

World's Challenge Challenge: Open to All Students

The World’s Challenge Challenge is back for another year and we invite undergraduate and graduate students to form teams of three to come up with a creative solution to a problem that the world is facing and present their solutions to a panel of judges.

For more information, please go to globaled.ualberta.ca/wcc

Read More

5th International Congress on Cardiac Problems in Pregnancy (CPP2018)

When: February 22-25, 2017
Where: Bologna, Italy

The 5th International congress on Cardiac Problems in Pregnancy (CPP2018) is now scheduled on February 22-25, 2018 in Bologna, Italy. The program features a large number of world-renowned faculties of cardiologists, obstetricians and anesthesiologists with a long-standing experience in the management of pregnancy associated cardiovascular conditions. During two and a half days a wide spectrum of topics will be covered with a focus on multi-disciplinary management of pregnant women with congenital and acquired cardiac disease. In addition to didactic reviews, experts will discuss a large real world cases with audience participation.

Please submit your abstract or difficult cases or just join us for this exiting conference here. The CPP is excited to announce that this will be the first year they are offering their Young Investigators award.

Register here.

For information, please contact em@r.emtact.com

Events

Sunday, November 5th
17:00 MSA Winter Concert Auditions

Monday, November 6th
12:00 Global Health Rounds
17:00 Jazz Band Practice

Tuesday, November 7th
12:00 Community Engagement International Summer Engagement Talk
16:00 Celebration of Teaching & Learning & Poster Presentation
17:00 ACFP Small Group Info Dinner with Family Docs
17:00 Courtyard Choir Practice

Wednesday, November 8th
12:00 AMA/CMA Benefits Talk
17:00 MSA Orchestra Practice

Thursday, November 9th
17:00 Smash Club

Friday, November 10th
9:00 Calgary- World Health Organization Simulation

Saturday, November 11th
Student Updates

**Order Your Copy of The Artery**

**Who:** all Meds and Dents  
**What:** purchase a book filled with your classmates' beautiful artwork!  
**When:** ASAP. We need 100 orders in order to print the book!  
**Where:** Find the order form [here](#).  
**How:** pick up books between Dec-Feb

See The Artery logo [here](#). For more information, please contact Kate at faulder@ualberta.ca

**Opioid Crisis Response Talk**

**When:** 5:00-6:00, November 15th, 2017  
**Where:** Katz 1080

Come to Katz 1080 on November 15th to learn about the opioid crisis, the Albertan government's response to address it, and how to administer naloxone and where to find naloxone kits.

This talk is part of SHINE Education lecture series. Our presenters will be Chris Sargent, the Director of the Opioid Implementation team with Alberta Health, and John Taplin, an Advanced Care Paramedic with Alberta Health Services - Calgary Zone.

If you would like free pizza please RSVP [here](#).

For more information, please contact awong2@ualberta.ca

**Foundations Final Review**

**When:** November 16, 2017, 17:00 - 19:00 PM  
**Where:** Katz 1080

Come join us for an exhilarating evening full of practice questions, exam tips, and super fun 2020s! The Exam Review Club is partnering with the Infectious Disease Club to offer you the review session of a lifetime. See you there!

For more information, please contact fric@ualberta.ca

**AHS Antimicrobial Stewardship Film Competition**

**What:** Film/animation contest hosted by Alberta Health Services, Pharmacy Services, to raise awareness and understanding of Antimicrobial Stewardship. The winning video will be showcased on the AHS website and receive an award.  
**Submissions Due:** January 12, 2018

Contest website [here](#) and poster for competition [here](#). (Note: open to 3rd and 4th year students)

For more information, please contact vanherk@ualberta.ca
Calgary World Health Organization Simulation 2017
Theme: Climate Change

**When:** Nov 10-12, 2017  
**Where:** University of Calgary Health Sciences Centre

WHO simulation to address international healthcare issues bringing in a diversity of student viewpoints to discuss effective, long-lasting solutions to various global problems.

1) Register as a country delegate ($75)  
2) Present at Global Health Fair  
3) Both

Call for GHF Abstracts (Research or Extracurricular): Please see call for abstracts [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyquf7).  
1) Climate Change  
2) Global Health

For more information, please contact www.CalWHO.org

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Affair of the Heart 2017

**When:** November 18, 2017, 17:30 PM  
**Where:** Edmonton Inn and Conference Centre

The 10th annual Affair of the Heart gala will be hosted at the Edmonton Inn and Conference Centre on November 18, 2017. This year’s event will support Crystal Kids. Tickets are $65 for students and can be purchased [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyquf7). See the official AOTH logo [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyquf7).

For more information, contact aoth@ualberta.ca

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Dinner with Family Docs!

**When:** 5:15-7:00pm, November 7th, 2017  
**Where:** Katz DL rooms.

Please join us for a dinner with Family Medicine Docs. They hope to share their passion for Family Medicine with you and this is your opportunity to ask them all things Family Medicine! The Alberta College of Family Physicians (ACFP) will be catering the dinner.

All are welcome! Come and learn more about why Family is so awesome!

Please RSVP by Tuesday, October 31st [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyquf7).

For more information, contact Tanya Chernezky, tchernez@ualberta.ca

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Winter Concert

**When:** December 5th, 2017, 19:00-21:30  
**Where:** Myer Horowitz Theatre

Please join us for a fun night of music, dance, and more!

For more information, contact mlbreto@ualberta.ca

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AMA Advocacy Night Abstract Submission Deadline

**When:** December 16, 2017 (11:59PM)

Hi Everyone! We are hosting our annual AMA Advocacy Night in January 2018. If you are interested in presenting a poster during this event, please submit an abstract for any advocacy projects in progress or completed.

**Read More**

Submit [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyqfu7)

For more information contact: Keon Ma (keon@ualberta.ca) or Zohaib Siddiqi (anwer@ualberta.ca)

AMA/ CMA Insurance and Benefits Talk

**When:** 12:00-1:00PM, November 8th, 2017

**Where:** Katz 1080

We will be having two speakers from the AMA and MD Financial come and give a talk on what benefits/insurance you are eligible for and how you can apply for them. Food (not pizza) will be provided! Register and attend have a chance to win a draw!

For more information contact: Zohaib Siddiqi (anwer@ualberta.ca)

Orthopedics Mission to Ecuador

**When:** February-March

The Canadian Association of Medical Teams Abroad (CAMTA) provide orthopedic surgeries for pediatric and adult patients and provide continuing education on detection and treatment practices for medical personnel in Ecuador. Medical students in their third or fourth years are needed to fill spots for both missions. This is a great learning opportunity for orthopedic medicine, surgical practice, as well as pre- and post-operative ward care!

To learn more about the mission please visit [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyqfu7).

For more information contact: barbmorea@hotmail.com

LIVERight Health Forum

**When:** 9:00-16:00

**Where:** ECHA 2-190

The LIVERight Health Forum is a FREE educational event for people who are living with liver disease, their family and care - givers,, and those who are at risk of liver disease.. Medical professionals and students are also welcome.

See Poster [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyqfu7)

Science In The Cinema presents "The Madness of King George"

**When:** 18:30-21:00, November 16, 2017

**Where:** Metro Cinema at the Garneau Theater

For more information, see poster [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csbi/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyqfu7).
CFMS Updates

CFMS Membership

Welcome to the new medical students! Please ensure to sign up for your CFMS membership using this code: MyCFMS_1977 (website [here](https://secure.campaigner.com/csb/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyquf7)). We encourage all students to sign up for the website as it’s the only way you can access all of the services, discounts, and resources that we offer, and they we to make sure that you are getting the most out of your membership. Be sure to also follow us on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com) as well!

For additional information, please contact: msvpext@ualberta.ca

CFMS Communiqué

In This Communiqué...

1. Get involved with the CFMS! Fall Call for Nominations
   Deadline: September 29, 2017

2. Call for Nominations: CFMS 2017-2018 Executive
   Deadline: September 22, 2017

3. CMA 150th Bursaries and Awards Program

4. CFMS Phlebotomy Bowl

5. Call for Submissions: UBCMJ "Medicine of Youth"
   Deadline: October 14, 2017

6. Global Health: Students and Young Professionals Summit
   October 28, 2017 in Ottawa, ON

7. CaRMS: By the Numbers - Highlights of the R-1 Match

8. Zebra: Be a Part of Global Medical Innovation

For more information, contact msvpexternal@ualberta.ca

Submitting an Article

Listserv and Steth Submission Instructions

Please use [this document](https://secure.campaigner.com/csb/Public/show/krax8--dwp6l-5knyquf7) as your guide for MSA Communication. It has the details on sending an email to the listserv or submitting an article to The Steth. There is updated information so make sure you take a look!

If you have any questions about communication, please e-mail msvpadm@ualberta.ca.

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