

**8th Annual Canadian Cancer Immunotherapy Consortium  
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**Wednesday, May 20, 2015**

<b>17:00 - 18:30</b>	Registration and poster set-up	<i>Pinnacle Foyer &amp; Shaughnessy Salon</i>
<b>18:30 - 19:00</b>	Banquet and opening address	<i>Pinnacle Ballrooms</i>
<b>19:00 - 20:00</b>	<p><b>Keynote Lecture</b>  <i>Chair: Dr. Brad Nelson, BC Cancer Agency</i></p> <p><b>Dr. Cliona M. Rooney</b>, Baylor College of Medicine:  <i>Signaling through the TCR to enhance CAR-T cell therapy for cancer</i></p>	<i>Pinnacle Ballrooms</i>
<b>20:00 - 20:30</b>	<p><b>Speed poster session 1</b> (oral presentations)  <i>Chair: Dr. Brad Nelson, BC Cancer Agency</i>  Abstract Numbers: <i>P2, P4, P14, P23, P24, P44, P48 and P49</i></p>	<i>Pinnacle Ballrooms</i>
<b>20:30 - 23:00</b>	<p>Opening night reception  Meet with delegates, browse sponsor exhibits and <b>Poster Session 1: Odd numbered posters</b></p>	<i>Shaughnessy Salon</i>

**Thursday, May 21, 2015**

7:30 - 8:30	Breakfast	Pinnacle Foyer
8:30 - 10:00	<b>Session 1: New approaches to adoptive T cell transfer</b> <i>Chair: Dr. Jonathan Bramson, McMaster University</i> <b>Dr. Renier J. Brentjens</b> , Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center: <i>Adoptive T cell Therapy of Cancer: CARs and Armored CARs.</i>	Pinnacle Ballrooms
	<b>Dr. Eric Tran</b> , National Cancer Institute: <i>Cell transfer therapy against somatic mutations in human gastrointestinal cancers .</i>	
	<b>Dr. Laszlo Radvanyi</b> , Moffitt Cancer Center and Lion Biotechnologies: <i>Adoptive Cell Therapy with Tumor-Infiltrating Lymphocytes: Realizing an Academic Dream</i>	
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee break	Pinnacle Foyer
10:30 - 11:00	<b>Speed poster session 2</b> (oral presentations) <i>Chair: Dr. Réjean Lapointe, Université de Montréal</i> Abstract Numbers: <i>P1, P9, P10, P25, P26, P31, P32 and P59</i>	Pinnacle Ballrooms
11:00 - 12:00	<b>Session 2: Immune modulation</b> <i>Chair: Dr. Réjean Lapointe, Université de Montréal</i> <b>Dr. Andrew Weinberg</b> , Oregon Health and Science University <i>Stimulating tumor immunity through the OX40 pathway.</i>	Pinnacle Ballrooms
	<b>Dr. Paul Tumeah</b> , UCLA Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center <i>**PD-1 blockade and adaptive immune resistance.</i>	
12:00 - 13:30	Lunch	Pinnacle foyer and ballrooms
13:30 - 15:30	<b>Poster session 2: Even numbered posters</b> Beverages and light snack	Shaughnessy Salon
15:30 - 17:00	<b>Session 3: Profiling the immune response to cancer</b> <i>Chair: Dr. Brad Nelson, BC Cancer Agency</i> <b>Dr. Wolf Fridman</b> , INSERM: <i>Cancer subtypes and their immune microenvironments.</i>	Pinnacle Ballrooms
	<b>Dr. Sohrab Shah</b> , BC Cancer Agency: <i>**How does the immune system contend with intratumoral heterogeneity?</i>	
	<b>Dr. Harlan Robins</b> , Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center: <i>Quantifying the body's immune response to tumors.</i>	
17:00 - 18:00	<b>Keynote Lecture</b> <i>Chair: Dr. Brad Nelson, BC Cancer Agency</i>  <b>Dr. Philip D. Greenberg</b> , Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center: <i>**Engineering T cells for adoptive immunotherapy of leukemia.</i>	Pinnacle Ballrooms
18:00 - 19:30	Dinner	Pinnacle foyer and ballrooms

**Friday, May 22, 2015**

7:30 - 8:30	Breakfast	<i>Pinnacle Foyer</i>
8:30 - 10:00	<b>Session 4: Genomic approaches to personalized immunotherapy</b> <i>Chair: Dr. Rob Holt, Genome Sciences Centre, BC Cancer Agency</i>	<i>Pinnacle Ballrooms</i>
	<b>Dr. Marco Marra</b> , Genome Sciences Centre, BC Cancer Agency: <i>Personalized Oncogenomic .</i>	
	<b>Dr. Kai Wucherpennig</b> , Dana Farber Cancer Institute: <i>In vivo discovery of targets for cancer immunotherapy.</i>	
	<b>Dr. Christian Steidl</b> , BC Cancer Agency: <i>**Genomic rearrangements involving programmed death ligands.</i>	
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee break	<i>Pinnacle Foyer</i>
10:30 - 11:00	<b>Speed poster session 3</b> (oral presentations) <i>Chair: Dr. Pamela Ohashi, Princess Margaret Cancer Centre</i> Abstract Numbers: <i>P29, P30, P34, P37, P41, P53, P54 and P60</i>	<i>Pinnacle Ballrooms</i>
11:00 - 12:00	<b>Keynote Lecture</b> <i>Chair: Dr. Pamela Ohashi, Princess Margaret Cancer Centre</i>  <b>Dr. Ron Levy</b> , Stanford University: <i>Treating the tumor and treating the host.</i>	<i>Pinnacle Ballrooms</i>
12:00 - 12:15	Poster prizes	<i>Pinnacle Ballrooms</i>
12:15	Meeting adjourns	

\*\* NB: Titles of talks are not final