

MIRCIM 2017 Programme

Friday, May 12

Session 1

How to avoid being misled by the medical literature	Prof. Gordon Guyatt (McMaster University, Canada)
Dual and triple antithrombotic therapies: current patterns of practice and controversies	Prof. John Eikelboom (McMaster University, Canada)
Anticoagulation after a VTE episode: when is it necessary, for how long and which drug to use	Prof. Jeffrey Weitz (McMaster University, Canada)
When to restart anticoagulants after a bleeding event	Prof. James Douketis (McMaster University, Canada)
Monoclonal gammopathies: when and how to investigate	Prof. Mark Crowther (McMaster University, Canada)

Session 2

How can we improve survival after cardiac arrest: focus on postresuscitation care	Prof. Bernd W. Böttiger (University Hospital of Cologne, Germany)
Atrial fibrillation: key decisions in everyday practice	To be announced
Management of chronic heart failure: what should we change in our practice	Prof. Piotr Ponikowski (Wroclaw Medical University, Poland)
Current treatment of dyslipidemia	To be announced

Session 3

How to treat arterial hypertension in elderly people	Prof. Franz H. Messerli (Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, USA)
New approach to perioperative cardiovascular care: a task for internists	Prof. P.J. Devereaux (McMaster University, Canada)
Cardiorenal syndrome	To be announced
Nephrotic syndrome in adults: current management	Prof. Jürgen Floege (RWTH Aachen University, Germany)

Session 4

Treatment of type 2 diabetes and shared decision making	Prof. Victor M. Montori (Mayo Clinic, Rochester, USA)
Prevention and management of diabetic foot: can we do more to limit amputations	Prof. Andrew Boulton (University of Manchester, UK)
Patient with low TSH: current management	Prof. Juan P. Brito (Mayo Clinic, Rochester, USA)
McMaster Textbook of Internal Medicine for course participants	Prof. Roman Jaeschke (McMaster University, Canada)

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Current management of dyspepsia	Prof. Peter Malfertheiner (Otto-von-Guericke University of Magdeburg, Germany)
Current management of acute nonvariceal gastrointestinal bleeding	To be announced
Approach to a patient with decompensated liver cirrhosis	To be announced
How to manage incidental pancreatic cysts in an evidence-based era	Prof. Paul Moayyedi (McMaster University, Canada)
Current management of <i>Clostridium difficile</i> infection	Prof. Christine Lee (McMaster University, Canada)

Session 2

Approach to a patient with chronic cough	Prof. Jacky Smith (University of Manchester, UK)
Current treatment of COPD	Prof. Jadwiga Wedzicha (Imperial College London, UK)
Biologics for the treatment of severe refractory asthma	Prof. Paul O'Byrne (McMaster University, Canada)
Radiological screening for pulmonary cancer: whom and how to screen	Prof. Julian Dobranowski (McMaster University, Canada)

Session 3

To be announced	Prof. Filip Van den Bosch (Ghent University, Belgium)
Current management of gout	To be announced
Giant cell arteritis and other large vessel vasculitis	Prof. Bhaskar Dasgupta (Southend University Hospital, UK)
Opioids in the treatment of chronic pain	Prof. Jenny Legassie (McMaster University, Canada)

Session 4

Choosing antibiotics wisely	Prof. Mark Loeb (McMaster University, Canada)
Update on management of septic shock	Prof. Waleed Alhazzani (McMaster University, Canada)
Neurological emergencies: not to be missed	Prof. Wieslaw Oczkowski (McMaster University, Canada)
How to approach a patient with an overdose of new designer drugs	Prof. Dan Perri (McMaster University, Canada)