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SOCIÉTÉ CANADIENNE DES THÉRAPEUTES RESPIRATOIRES

## FINAL PROGRAM

### 53<sup>rd</sup> CSRT Annual Education Conference

May 11-13 mai 2017  
Halifax Marriott Harbourfront  
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## EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

### Thursday, May 11

10:15-10:45	Refreshment Break
12:15-12:45	Lunch
14:15-15:30	Refreshment Break
17:30-19:30	Welcome Reception

### Friday, May 12

7:30-8:00	Continental Breakfast
9:35-10:10	Refreshment Break
11:50-13:00	Lunch
14:20-14:45	Refreshment Break



## DELEGATE BAG INSERT QUIZ/DRAW

Many of our exhibitors and sponsors provide great content in your delegate bags to help increase your knowledge and inform you of new products and advances in the profession. For this reason, the CSRT now includes a quick quiz with these inserts. **Complete the quiz and drop it off at the registration desk by 1:00pm on Saturday May 13<sup>th</sup>, for a chance to win a \$100 pre-paid VISA card!**

# WORKSHOPS

## WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 2017

**FULL – DAY WORKSHOP** 09:00 TO 16:00 HOURS **ANNAPOLIS**

### PAEDIATRIC AND NEONATAL CARE WORKSHOP: CARING WITH CONFIDENCE

MAXIMUM: 20 PARTICIPANTS  
(7 CE / CPD Credits)

**HALF – DAY WORKSHOP** 13:00 TO 17:00 HOURS **ACADIA AB**

### PROPORTIONAL ASSIST VENTILATION: A PRACTICAL WORKSHOP FOR USING THE PAV+ SOFTWARE

MAXIMUM: 100 PARTICIPANTS  
(4 CE / CPD Credits)

**HALF – DAY WORKSHOP** 12:30 TO 16:00 HOURS **ACADIA C**

### NON-INVASIVE VENTILATION: FROM HOSPITAL TO HOME ENVIRONMENTS

MAXIMUM: 40 PARTICIPANTS  
(4 CE / CPD Credits)

## WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2017

**FULL – DAY WORKSHOP** 09:00 TO 16:30 HOURS **HALIFAX BC**

### APRV AS A THERAPEUTIC TOOL TO REDUCE ARDS INCIDENCE “NEVER LET THE LUNG COLLAPSE”

MAXIMUM: 100 PARTICIPANTS  
(8 CE / CPD Credits)

# PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 2017

	STUDENTS' FORUM <i>HALIFAX BC</i>	EDUCATORS' FORUM <i>6.5 CSRT CME/CPD CREDITS</i> <i>HALIFAX A</i>	LEADERS' FORUM <i>6 CSRT CME/CPD CREDITS</i> <i>SABLE ABC</i>
08:00 to 08:45	<b>STUDENTS' NETWORKING BREAKFAST</b>	<b>EDUCATORS' NETWORKING BREAKFAST</b>	<b>LEADERS' NETWORKING BREAKFAST</b>
08:45 to 09:30	<b>Student Perspectives on the Perceptions of Respiratory Therapy</b> Vanessa Bonomo, HBSc, SRT / Anna Enerio, SRT	<b>Tools for the Evaluation of Attitudes in Respiratory Therapy Education Programs – a Workshop</b> Jocelyn Vachon, inh., M.Ed. Seana Martin, RRT, FCSRT	<b>Adopting Positive Lifestyle Habits to Prevent Professional Burnout</b> Kelsey Thibault, RRT, Certified Exercise Physiologist, BScKIN
09:30 to 10:15	<b>COPD and AAA: Endovascular Versus Open Surgical Repair</b> Allison Denoudsten, SRT		<b>Maximizing Clinical Control of Product Procurement</b> Maurice Pitre, RRT, BHS
10:15 to 10:45	Refreshment break Visit of Exhibits	Refreshment break Visit of Exhibits	Refreshment break Visit of Exhibits
10:45 to 11:30	<b>Resulting Neurologic Effects of Hypoxemia during OSA</b> Samantha Dansereau, SRT	<b>The Student Experience of Assessment in Simulation</b> Andrew West, EdD(c), RRT, FCSRT	<b>Working with Multi-Generations in Health Care</b> Farzad Refahi, HBSc, RRT, CRE
11:30 to 12:15	<b>Debriefing for Reflective Practice in Healthcare: Impact on Morale, Performance and Patient Care</b> Lisa Pozzobon, SRT (SAIT)	<b>Comparison of SRT Pediatric Education: Study Design</b> Katherine Reise, RRT / Roger Correia, RRT	<b>Redefining Competencies in Respiratory Therapy</b> Lindsay Martinek, RRT, MHS
12:15 to 12:45	LUNCH Visit of exhibits	LUNCH 12:30 – Overview of CSRT student initiatives – Dave Sahadeo, Board of Directors	LUNCH Visit of exhibits
12:45 to 13:30	<b>New Graduate Challenges Working Exclusively in Neo/Peds</b> Nigel Siu, RRT	<b>Do E-Learning Modules Really Work?</b> Julie Brown, RRT, MASc, FCSRT	<b>Creating a Disaster Plan for RT Departments</b> Madeline Laberge, BSc, RRT, MA
13:30 to 14:15	<b>Bronchial Thermoplasty: From Patient to Respiratory Therapy Student</b> Jazmin Chase, SRT	<b>Why it Takes a Village to be Successful</b> Hillary Every, RRT / Pamela Greco, RRT	<b>Implementation of Standardized Tool for Charge RT Handover</b> Fatima Nathoo, RRT, BSc, MPH(c) / Chantha Sun, RRT, BHSc
14:15 to 15:00	<b>Adjusting from Lab Simulation Debriefing to Clinical Debriefing</b> Kris Higgs, SRT	Refreshment break Visit of Exhibits	<b>Getting your Staff's Best: Employee Engagement</b> Norm Tiffin, BSc, MSA, FCSRT
15:00 to 15:30	Refreshment break Visit of exhibits	<b>14:45 to 17:00</b> <b>Best Practices in Preceptor Training</b> Ginette Aubin, RRT – La Cité Tammie Fournier, RRT, B.Ed., FCSRT - NBCC Meredith Patey, RRT – SAIT Jennifer Stefura, MAL, BSc, RRT – SAIT	Refreshment break Visit of Exhibits
15:30 to 16:15	<b>Expanding the RT Role in Pediatric Transport</b> John Savery, RRT / Adam Shaw, RRT		<b>Taking Care of our Communication!</b> Marise Tétreault, RRT, MA
16:15 to 17:00	<b>How do I Become a Researcher? The RRT Perspective</b> Ravinder Kajla, RRT		<b>How Can Respiratory Therapists Solve Alarm Fatigue?</b> Cynthia Welton, RRT, MSc, FCSRT / Monica Baudisch, RRT
17:30 to 19:30	<b>WELCOME RECEPTION – RÉCEPTION DE BIENVENUE</b> <b>EXHIBIT HALL – SALON DES EXPOSANTS</b>		

07:30 to 08:00 CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST EXHIBIT HALL					
	CRITICAL CARE <i>SABLE ABCD</i>	NEONATAL – PEDS <i>HALIFAX A</i>	COMMUNITY AND CHRONIC CARE <i>ACADIA ABC</i>	ANESTHESIA ASSISTANTS <i>HALIFAX BC</i>	FRANCOPHONE <i>OXFORD – 3 HEURES DE FORMATION CONTINUE</i>
08:00 to 08:45 1 CPD credit	<b>Breakfast symposium Indirect Calorimetry: Taking the Guess Work out of Feeding Critically Ill Patients</b> Jennifer A. Wooley, MS, RD, CNSC Sponsor: <b>GENERAL ELECTRIC HEALTHCARE</b>	<b>Breakfast symposium A Review of the Medications from GSK's COPD Portfolio</b> Stephen Graham, BSc(Pharmacy), PhD Sponsor: <b>GLAXOSMITHKLINE</b>	<b>Breakfast symposium Understanding the Role of OPEP Therapy and Mucous Clearance in COPD Patients</b> Dr. Jason Suggett / Angela Taylor, RRT Sponsor: <b>TRUDELL MEDICAL MARKETING LTD</b>	<b>Breakfast symposium Advanced Aerosol Delivery</b> Patricia Dailey, BS, RRT Sponsor: <b>CANADIAN HOSPITAL SPECIALTIES LTD. &amp; AEROGEN</b>	
08:45 to 9:35	<b>Procedural Sedation Outside the Operating Room</b> Dr. Mark Mensour, MD CCFP, EM, ANAES, FCFP	<b>Neo/Peds Critical Care in the Air</b> Laura Betts, RRT / Alana Spicer, RRT	<b>Asthma Care Apps in the Patient's Pocket</b> Shirley Quach, SRT, HBSc	<b>Crisis Resource Management (CRM) in the OR – Human Factors</b> Liane Johnson, MDCM, FRCSC, FACS	<b>À chacun son masque</b> Nathalie Poirier, inh
09:35 to 10:10 REFRESHMENT BREAK – VISIT OF EXHIBITS					
10:10 to 11:00	<b>Cardiac Arrest Management Post Cardiac Surgery</b> Lisa Diep, RRT	<b>High Frequency Oscillation Volume Guarantee in Preterms</b> Jenny Luc, RRT	<b>Respiratory Care in Neuromuscular Disease</b> Faiza Syed, RRT John Britton, ED - Muscular Dystrophy Canada Alex Peeler - Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Warrior	<b>Sugammadex: A Revolutionary Reversal of Neuromuscular Blockade</b> Shakib Naqshbandi, RRT, AA	<b>Bouger à domicile: rêve ou réalité?</b> Cynthia Lévesque, Dt.P. Marie-Josée Rivard, inh
11:00 to 11:50	<b>Preventing Ventilator Associated Pneumonia: Where is the Benefit?</b> Thomas Piraino, RRT, FCSRT	<b>50 Years of Neonatal Care – Are We Learning from our Mistakes?</b> Don Reid, MD, FRCPC	<b>Obtaining Quality Diagnostics from a Multicultural Population</b> Micah Kooperberg, RRT, CRE	<b>Resuscitation Challenges in Obstetric Patients</b> Narendra Vakharia, MD, FRCPC	<b>L'intégration des outils de télésanté dans la pratique de l'inhalothérapeute</b> Véronique Adam, inh
11:50 to 13:00 LUNCH – VISIT OF EXHIBITS					
12:45 to 13:30 1 CPD credit	<b>Industry Education Session 2017: The Changing Landscape In the Treatment of COPD</b> Dr. Colm McParland, MCBhB, BAO, FRCPI, FRCPC <b>BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM CANADA LTD.</b>	<b>Industry Education Session A Review of the Medications from GSK's Asthma Portfolio</b> Stephen Graham, BSc(Pharmacy), PhD <b>GLAXOSMITHKLINE</b>	<b>Industry Education Session Esophageal Pressure Monitoring</b> Ray Ritz, BA, RRT, FAARC <b>BOMIMED INC.</b>	<b>Industry Education Session Shift Happens: Changing Minds and Minding Change</b> Evan Richards, BSc, RT Jeff Dmytrowich, RRT, FCSRT <b>MALLINCKRODT</b>	Workshops Available on Thursday & Saturday
13:30 to 14:20	<b>You, Me and Them – Making ECMO Interprofessional</b> Leanne Davidson, HBSc, RRT	<b>Better Together: The Power of Patient and Parent Partnerships</b> Catherine Gunn, BSc, RTR, MBA Yarrow Gillis, BSc	<b>Creating a Regionalized Lung Health Program</b> Christina Dolgowicz, BHSc, RRT, CRE Michelle Maynard, BHSc, RRT, CRE	<b>Procedural Sedation – The Why and How</b> Karine Grondin, inh	
14:20 to 14:45 REFRESHMENT BREAK – VISIT OF EXHIBITS					
14:45 to 15:35	<b>I Collaborate, Therefore I am – An RT!</b> Noel Pendergast, RRT, MPH, FCSRT	<b>Seamlessly Incorporating Bedside Data to Improve Quality</b> Brian K. Walsh, PhD, RRT-NPS, FAARC, AARC President	<b>SHISHA25: Shisha Tobacco Use in Newcomers to Canada</b> Maryam Al-Azazi, SRT, BSc	<b>Anesthetic Trace Gas Analysis</b> John Patton, RRT, CCAA	
15:35 to 16:15	<b>Withdrawal of Life Sustaining Care Post-Traumatic Brain Injuries</b> Krysta Madden, SRT	<b>Autonomy in NICU Teamwork: Why It Matters</b> Robert Graham, RRT, NRCP	<b>The Trick is to Keep Breathing</b> Kelsey Lett, Cystic Fibrosis Warrior	<b>Limitations of Video Laryngoscopes</b> Orlando Hung, MD, FRCPC	
16:15 to 18:30	RT OLYMPICS ANNAPOLIS				
19:30	CSRT/Roxon Fun Night!				

**SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2017** 6.5 CSRT CME/CPD CREDITS

07:30 to 08:00	<b>CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST - NOVA SCOTIA BALLROOM FOYER</b>
08:00 to 09:00	<b>CSRT ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING</b> <b>NOVA SCOTIA BALLROOM</b>
	<b><i>Conference door prize will be drawn sometime during the day – you have to be present to win!</i></b> <i>PRIZE: travel, accommodation and registration to 2018 CSRT Annual Education Conference in Vancouver, B.C.</i>
09:00 to 09:45	<b>The Psychologically Difficult Airway: Managing the Patient and Yourself</b> George Kovacs, MD, MHPE, FRCPC
09:45 to 10:30	<b>The Respiratory Therapist: Tales of Every Day Heroism</b> Evan Richards, BSc, RT
10:30 to 10:45	<b>REFRESHMENT BREAK</b>
10:45 to 11:30	<b>Paper to Practice: Understanding Clinical Research</b> Jeff Dmytrowich, RRT, FSCRT
11:30 to 12:30	<b>Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID): An Ethical, Spiritual and Legal Perspective</b> David Maginley, M.Div, CSPC / Jeffrey Kirby, MD, MA(Philosophy) / Jocelyn Downie, BA, MA, MLiH, LLB, LLM, SJD
12:30 to 13:00	<b>LUNCH</b>
13:00 to 13:45	<b>The RT Courtroom Survival Guide</b> Christian Soder, MD, FRCSPC
13:45 to 14:30	<b>Being Transgender</b> Hamilton Elliott and Michaelia Elliott – Amazing Race Contestants
14:30 to 14:45	<b>REFRESHMENT BREAK</b>
14:45 to 15:30	<b>Cannabis Legalization and Its Impact on Older Adults</b> Jason Nickerson, RRT, FCSRT, PhD
15:30 to 16:15	<b>The Professional Road Ahead</b> AARC President Brian K. Walsh, PhD, RRT-NPS, FAARC
16:15	<b>CLOSING REMARKS</b>
18:00 to 19:00	<b>PRESIDENTS' COCKTAIL RECEPTION – NOVA SCOTIA BALLROOM FOYER</b>
19:00	<b>PRESIDENTS' BANQUET AND AWARD CEREMONY – NOVA SCOTIA BALLROOM</b>

# INDUSTRY EDUCATION SESSIONS

**FRIDAY, MAY 12, 2017**

1 CSRT CME / CPD credit for each session

CSRT door prize at some Industry Education Sessions

## BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM A - Sable ABCD 08:00 to 08:45 hours

### INDIRECT CALORIMETRY: TAKING THE GUESS WORK OUT OF FEEDING CRITICALLY ILL PATIENTS

**Jennifer A. Wooley**, MS, RD, CNSC  
Clinical Nutrition Specialist, Respiratory Care, GE Healthcare, Madison, WI  
*Sponsored by GE Healthcare*

## BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM B - Halifax A 08:00 to 08:45 hours

### A REVIEW OF THE MEDICATIONS FROM GSK'S COPD PORTFOLIO

**Stephen Graham**, BSc(Pharmacy), PhD  
*Sponsored by GlaxoSmithKline*

## BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM C - Acadia ABC 08:00 to 08:45 hours

### UNDERSTANDING THE ROLE OF OPEP THERAPY & MUCOUS CLEARING IN COPD PATIENTS

**Angela Taylor**, RRT  
**Dr. Jason Suggett**  
*Sponsored by Trudell Medical Marketing Ltd.*

## BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM D - Halifax BC 08:00 to 08:45 hours

### ADVANCED AEROSOL DELIVERY

**Patricia Dailey**, BS, Respiratory Therapy, Medical Science Liaison, Manchester, CT  
*Sponsored by CHS Ltd. & Aerogen*

## INDUSTRY EDUCATION SESSION A - Sable ABCD 12:45 to 13:30 hours

### 2017: THE CHANGING LANDSCAPE IN THE TREATMENT OF COPD

**Dr. Colm McParland**, MCBhB, BAO, FRCPI, FRCPC  
*Sponsored by Boehringer Ingelheim Canada Ltd.*

## INDUSTRY EDUCATION SESSION B - Halifax A 12:45 to 13:30 hours

### A REVIEW OF THE MEDICATIONS FROM GSK'S ASTHMA PORTFOLIO

**Stephen Graham**, BSc(Pharmacy), PhD  
*Sponsored by GlaxoSmithKline*

## INDUSTRY EDUCATION SESSION C - Acadia ABC 12:45 to 13:30 hours

### ESOPHAGEAL PRESSURE MONITORING

**Ray Ritz**, BA, RRT, FAARC  
*Sponsored by BOMImed Inc.*

## INDUSTRY EDUCATION SESSION D - Halifax BC 12:45 to 13:30 hours

### SHIFT HAPPENS: CHANGING MINDS AND MINDING CHANGE

**Evan Richards**, BSc, RT  
Director of Education & Clinical Services, Bunnell Incorporated, Salt Lake City, UT  
**Jeff Dmytrowich**, RRT, FCSRT, Clinical Supervisor, Saskatoon, SK  
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### CONTINUING EDUCATION / PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CREDITS

The CSRT credits have been added to each daily program. The conference program also satisfies the requirements of your provincial regulatory body for quality assurance and professional development credits. A certificate of attendance can be found on the last page of the program.

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**Saturday, May 13, 2017 - 8:00-9:00 - Nova Scotia Ballroom**

The Annual General Meeting is a forum to facilitate discussion with the Board of Directors. This business meeting provides an opportunity for members to share their thoughts and concerns and to learn more about CSRT activities over the past year and to provide input on the CSRT activities and programs. Only registered members of the CSRT are eligible to vote and be entered in a draw to win a door prize.

### QUESTIONS

Contact Katherine Nollet or Nina Newman at [conference@csrt.com](mailto:conference@csrt.com)  
Phone: 1-800-267-3422 Fax: (613) 521-4314

### SOCIAL EVENTS

#### WELCOME RECEPTION – Exhibit Hall Thursday, May 11, 2017 - 17:30-19:30

##### Are you wondering who is attending this year's conference?

Come join us in the Exhibit Hall to mingle with your colleagues, enjoy a few drinks and finger foods, walk around the exhibits and talk to our industry partners. One Welcome Reception ticket is included with registration and is good for two beverages at the bar – additional tickets can be purchased for \$15 + GST.

*Casual dress attire.*

*Each delegate attending the Welcome Reception will receive a ticket to be entered in a draw for a chance to win a \$100 pre-paid VISA card! The draw will take place at 19:30 and you must be present to win.*

#### RT OLYMPICS - Annapolis Friday, May 12, 2017 16:15-18:30

##### Winning team wins a trip to the next conference!

Show off your skills and knowledge. Facilitated by Thomas Piraino and Carolyn McCoy, the RT Olympics has evolved from an intubation competition to a competition where skills in intubation are as important as your knowledge of mechanical ventilation. Register and practice for the event at the Medtronic Exhibit booth. If you prefer to be a spectator, come cheer on your colleagues, and enjoy the competition and some great snacks!

#### CSRT/Roxon Fun Night! Friday, May 12, 2017 Starts at 7:30pm

The CSRT and Roxon are hosting an event at Murphy's Cable Wharf. Come join your fellow colleagues in the heart of Halifax's waterfront, located a few minutes from the hotel down the boardwalk. Enjoy light fare of finger foods, beer and wine. Entertainment will be provided by a local band.

*Casual dress attire.*

#### Presidents' Cocktail Reception – Nova Scotia Ballroom Foyer Saturday, May 13, 2017 18:00-19:00

Join Jeff Dionne, CSRT President and Adam Buettner, CSRT President-Elect for a cocktail, greet your colleagues and get ready to party at the Presidents' Banquet.

*Business and cocktail dress attire.*

#### Presidents' Banquet and Awards Ceremony – Nova Scotia Ballroom Saturday, May 13, 2017 19:00-23:59

##### Awards, dinner and dancing ... the agenda for the night!

A perfect way to unwind, acknowledge CSRT award recipients and enjoy the last evening of the conference. This year's live entertainment is sponsored by Novus Medical. If you were at the 2016 CSRT Conference you'll remember how DJ Dan had everyone on the dance floor! A complimentary ticket is provided to anyone who has purchased a full registration. Additional tickets are \$75 plus GST.

*Business and cocktail attire – dancing shoes a must!*

#### FLASH your Badge! Things to do in Halifax...

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*This is to certify that*

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## Certificat de participation

*Ce certificat confirme que*

*a participé(e) aux activités de formation continue suivantes durant le Congrès annuel de la SCTR à Halifax, N.-É., du 11 au 13 mai 2017*

*\*One credit equals one hour of continuing professional development / continuing education*

*Christiane Ménard – CSRT Executive Director / Directrice générale*



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