



# 40 Years of Academic Medical Physics at McGill

*Celebrated in Conjunction with the International Day of Medical Physics*



November 7, 2019  
Auditorium ES1.1129 and Atrium  
Research Institute McGill University Health Centre

## Program

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### Symposium program (1:30 pm – 2:50 pm)

Chair: Ives Levesque, McGill University

- 1:30 pm Gino Fallone, University of Alberta  
*Towards the Linac MR*
- 1:50 pm Michael Evans, McGill University Health Centre  
*Expanding professional opportunities for medical physicists in clinical service and regulatory bodies*
- 2:10 pm Corey Zankowski, Varian Medical Systems  
*Career path of a medical physicist in leading industry*
- 2:30 pm Magdalena Bazalova-Carter, University of Victoria  
*From timid Eastern European graduate student to Canada Research Chair*
- 2:50 pm Susannah Hickling, Mayo Clinic  
*Medical physics resident perspective: combining clinical service and research*

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### Panel discussion (3:10 pm – 3:30 pm)

*(Panel topic: To be confirmed)*

Chair: Bruce Pike, University of Calgary

Wamied Abdel-Rahman (King Fahad Specialist Hospital), Shirin Enger (McGill), Francois DeBlois (CHUM), Tony Falco (Elekta), Claire Cohalan (CHUM)

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### Coffee Break (3:30 pm – 4:00 pm)

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### Ceremonial program (4:00 pm – 5:05 pm)

MC: Jan Seuntjens, McGill University

- 4:00 pm David Eidelman (Dean, Faculty of Medicine, McGill University)
- 4:05 pm Ewa Sidorowicz (Director of Professional Services, McGill University Health Centre)
- 4:10 pm Eduardo Franco (Chair, Gerald Bronfman Dept. of Oncology, McGill University)
- 4:15 pm Ervin Podgorsak (Emeritus Professor, McGill University)
- 4:30 pm André Diamant (Ph.D. graduate student, McGill University)
- 4:45 pm Jan Seuntjens (Professor, McGill University)
- 5:00 pm Presentation of the 2019 – 2020 Podgorsak Fellowship Recipient

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### Reception in Atrium RI-MUHC (5:05 pm - 8:00 pm)

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*(amendments may be posted)*