

*The University of British Columbia*  
*Department of Anesthesiology, Pharmacology and Therapeutics*

## **RESIDENTS' WEEKLY ACADEMIC SCHEDULE**

### ***Tuesday February 24, 2015***

**0700 – 0730 INTERESTING CASE ROUNDS at RCH**  
RCH Anesthesia Office

### ***Wednesday February 25, 2015***

**0700 – 0800 GRAND ROUNDS at VGH**  
**No rounds until March 11**  
Round Room – Sassafras Cafeteria

**0715 – 0815 GRAND ROUNDS at SPH**  
**Effectiveness of the 2014-15 influenza vaccine against the H3N2 epidemic strain: what happened?**  
Danuta Skowronski MD, FRCPC, Epidemiology Lead, Influenza & Emerging Respiratory Pathogens, BC Centre for Disease Control  
Providence Level 1, Cullen Family Lecture Theatre

### ***ACADEMIC DAY at BC Children's Hospital***

**All sessions will be held at Shaughnessy D308**

No academic day this week.

### **R5 SEMINAR SERIES**

**1600 – 1800** Group 1 (Dr. Sukh Brar)  
RCH 04

**1600 – 1800** Group 2 (Dr. Gord Finlayson)  
VGH, Conference Room 3307, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, JPPN (inside UBC Anesthesia office)

### ***Thursday February 26, 2015***

**0645 – 0720 SPH Thursday Morning Case-Based Teaching Rounds**  
Staff supervisor: Dr. Bobby Lee / Resident: Dr. Sandy Kisilevsky  
Location: SPH OR classroom

**0730 – 0830 Surgical Grand Rounds at RCH**  
Location: RCH Sherbrooke Centre Lecture Room 1  
Topic: TBA  
Presenter: TBA  
*Only for residents doing Anesthesia rotations at RCH.*

**0800 – 1500 SIMULATOR**  
Location: VGH, CESEI, Room 3602  
**Next session – March 5**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### RCPSC Examinations

Written Examinations: March 31 & April 1, 2015 in Vancouver

Oral Examinations: May 26 – 28, 2015 in Ottawa

**Examination dates are subject to change without notice. Confirmation will be provided in your appointment letter, approximately 1 month before the examination.**

### Pediatric Anesthesia Refresher Conference, BCCH, Vancouver, BC, April 18, 2015

For event and registration information please contact: Zena Davidson at: [zena.davidson@vch.ca](mailto:zena.davidson@vch.ca) or 604-834-9362. A brochure will be posted on the bulletin board in the residents' mailroom.

### Research Competition, Tues. May 5, 2015 and Awards Night Banquet, Thurs. June 11, 2015

Abstracts must be submitted through the website: <http://apt.med.ubc.ca/2015-research-day/>. Deadline is **March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2015**.

### 2015 Anesthesia for Global Outreach Course, May 28-31, 2015, Halifax, NS

Hosted by Dalhousie University. The first of its kind in North America (and one of only three offered worldwide), the *Anesthesia for Global Outreach Course* is an annual four-day course that focuses on novel techniques and equipment for delivering anesthesia care in underserved environments – the conditions under which 80% of the world's anesthesia care is delivered. The course also boasts a cadre of world-renowned experts in global health and anesthesia.

By the end of the course, *Anesthesia for Global Outreach* participants can expect to:

- Recognize and demonstrate the knowledge of anesthetic techniques likely to be encountered in low resource settings
- Learn the preparations needed to safely work in austere conditions specific to the practice of anesthesia including intellectual, technical, ethical, and attitudinal factors
- Discuss and demonstrate various means of delivering educational programs in resource-poor environments such as the use of simulation to practice clinical and technical skills and care delivery
- Discuss the psychological and ethical adaptations that occur when working in an austere practice environment

For more information and to register, please visit: <http://anesthesia.medicine.dal.ca/global-health/global-outreach-course.php>.

### IWA-2015, International Workshop on Anesthesiology July 21-22, 2015, Istanbul, Turkey

Important Dates: Full Paper Submission Due March 30, 2015 Acceptance Notification Due April 30, 2015 Registration Due May 15, 2015. For more information about the conference, organizing committee, submission instructions, and venue please see the conference website: <http://med-scoop.org/iwa>

## LOCUMS AVAILABLE

Nanaimo Regional General Hospital posted: 17 Feb 2015	Long term locum available at Nanaimo Regional General Hospital for one year, starting July 1 2015.	If interested, please contact Dr. Sarah Hall - <a href="mailto:halljonson@gmail.com">halljonson@gmail.com</a>
Burnaby Hospital posted: 10 Dec 2014	Looking for short and long term Anesthesia locums, with a view to hiring into 1 or 2 permanent active staff positions in the near future. An interest in Regional Anesthesia would be an asset. <b>Facility Details:</b> <a href="#">Burnaby Hospital</a> is a 286-bed hospital offering medical, surgical, tertiary palliative care, psychiatry, as well as 24/7 emergency services with 70,000 visits annually. <b>Status:</b> Full Time, <b>Qualifications:</b> FRCPC / ACLS	Please contact: Alex Bouzane, Dept. Head Burnaby Anesthesia <a href="mailto:ambouzane@gmail.com">ambouzane@gmail.com</a>
Royal Columbian Hospital posted: 4 Nov 2014	Two long-term locums available at Royal Columbian Hospital beginning July 2015 for 6 months and 1 year. As a locum you will gain equal access to a wide range of work including neuro, trauma, obstetrics, and other interesting cases. Shorter periods to fit your schedule may be negotiated. Permanent positions will also be available.	Contact <a href="mailto:cedric.ho@fraserhealth.ca">cedric.ho@fraserhealth.ca</a>

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS AND NOTICES**

### **Position & Locums Available: Anesthesiologists, Royal Inland Hospital, Kamloops, BC**

The Department of Anesthesia at the Royal Inland Hospital is seeking to hire a full time anesthesiologist. In addition, locum positions are available.

Eligible applicants must hold Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada certification in Anesthesiology and be eligible for full licensure with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of B.C.

Please contact Dr. John Guy [johnlyneguy1@yahoo.com](mailto:johnlyneguy1@yahoo.com)

Posted: 18 Dec 2014

### ***A Message from The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada: Royal College Examination – Application Deadlines for Assessment of Training***

**Registration for the certification examinations is a three-step process**

#### **Step 1**

Applicants must complete and submit the application for assessment of training

[http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/common/documents/credentials/preliminary\\_assessment\\_application.pdf](http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/common/documents/credentials/preliminary_assessment_application.pdf)).

The application is not considered complete unless the assessment fee is submitted with the completed application. The deadline for the application for assessment of training is April 30<sup>th</sup> the year before you wish to take the certification examinations.

#### **Step 2**

Applicants will receive a letter regarding eligibility for the certification examinations from the Credentials Unit in December of the year the application is submitted.

#### **Step 3**

Applicants must complete and submit the examination registration forms, which are mailed with the letter of eligibility, by February 1 of the examination year. The registration is not considered complete unless the examination fee is submitted with the examination registration forms.

See Policies and Procedures for Certification and Fellowship

[http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/common/documents/credentials/policy\\_procedures\\_e.pdf](http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/common/documents/credentials/policy_procedures_e.pdf));

[http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/credentials/start/routes/traditional\\_route](http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/credentials/start/routes/traditional_route)) and Frequently Asked Questions

[http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/credentials/start/routes/traditional\\_route/faq\\_credentials](http://www.royalcollege.ca/portal/page/portal/rc/credentials/start/routes/traditional_route/faq_credentials)) for more

information, or contact the Credentials Unit ([credentials@rcpsc.edu](mailto:credentials@rcpsc.edu)) or by telephone at 1-800-668-3740 / 613-730-8191.

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