

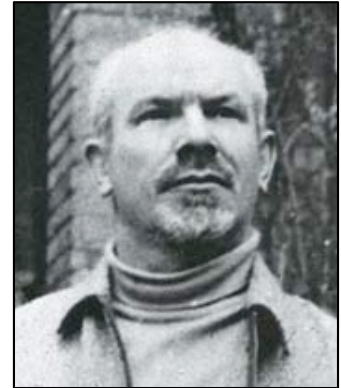
The UBC Centre for Blood Research presents
THE 9TH ANNUAL NORMAN BETHUNE SYMPOSIUM
TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2020
UBC ROBSON SQUARE, 800 ROBSON STREET, VANCOUVER, BC

Live Webcast: TBA

For registration information visit www.cbr.ubc.ca

TRAINEE TRAVEL/ACCOMMODATION AWARDS

Dr. (Henry) Norman Bethune (1890-1939) was a Canadian physician who in the 1930s spearheaded the implementation of the first practical mobile blood collection and distribution system and promoted universal access to health care. This 1-day symposium is held in his honour and will be informative and entertaining, with participation of a full range of scientists and clinicians at all levels of training, as well as patients.



The CBR will support travel and accommodation expenses for ~15 trainees (undergrads, MSc, PhD, PDF, RA, MDs-in-training, para-medical personnel) to attend the Norman Bethune Symposium on April 28, 2020.

Travel Award applicants must submit a 250 word (max) abstract for either an oral (if selected) or poster presentation relevant to the overall goal of the symposium. The application must be accompanied by an institutional letter from the PI or Dept head that confirms the training/professional status. **Deadline for receipt of applications is March 13, 2020.** Successful applicants will be notified within 10 days. The number of applications is limited to 1 trainee from each PI's group.

Expenses will be reimbursed to a maximum of **\$1,000** after the meeting upon submission of original receipts.

Registration is free. For those wishing to attend, please register at www.cbr.ubc.ca

Please send applications directly to:

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Draft Program

(order of speakers & times may change)

- 7:15 - 8:00 Registration and Breakfast
- 8:00 - 8:10 **Dana Devine and Ed Conway**, UBC, Introductory remarks
- 8:10 - 8:30 **Martin Schreiber**, Oregon Health Sciences University, Portland, "*Adjunctive therapies to transfusion for trauma-induced bleeding*"
- 8:40 - 9:00 **Karina Yazdanbakhsh**, New York Blood Center, New York "*Transfusion immunology in sickle cell disease*"
- 9:10 - 9:30 **Trainees**
- 9:40 - 10:20 Coffee break and posters
- 10:20 - 10:40 **Nareg Roubinian**, Kaiser Permanente Division of Research, "*Blood donor-component-recipient linkages and RBC transfusion efficacy outcomes*"
- 10:50 - 11:10 **Colleen Delaney**, Fred Hutch, University of Washington, Seattle "*HLA-free cell therapies in hematopoietic stem cell transplantation*"
- 11:20 - 11:40 **Trainees**
- 11:45 - 12:00 **Patient**
- 12:05 - 12:20 "**Shot-gun**" talks
- 12:20 - 1:20 Buffet lunch and posters
- 1:20 - 1:40 **Michelle Zeller**, McMaster University, Hamilton "*Association between donor age/sex and recipient mortality*"
- 1:50 - 2:10 **Karen Nelson**, Bloodworks Northwest, Seattle "*Transfusion related immunomodulation: effects of blood product irradiation and leukoreduction*"
- 2:20 - 2:50 **Trainees & Patient**
- 2:50 - 3:10 **Hongshen Ma**, CBR, UBC, "*Novel microfluidic approaches to cell separation*"
- 3:20 - 3:50 Coffee and posters
- 3:50 - 4:10 **Trainees**
- 4:20 - 4:40 **Jerry Teitel**, St Michael's Hospital, University of Toronto "*Challenges and advances in managing acquired hemophilia*"
- 4:50 - 6:30 Wrap up and social

