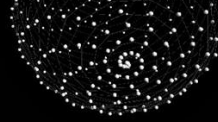


# *2016 PAIN RETREAT*

## *Program of events*



*Chateau Bromont Hotel, Bromont*  
*April 1-3, 2016*



## Friday April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016

**17:30-18:15** Cocktail

**18:15-18:30** Welcoming remarks by the directors

Dr Philippe Sarret – Update on the FRQ-S

Dr Mark Ware – Update from the clinic

**18:30-19:15** Pilot projects' results (2013-2014 competition) (10 min + 5 min)

Dre Anaïs Lacasse

*Connaissances, croyances et attitudes de la population générale envers la douleur chronique, ses impacts et son traitement*

Dr Yannick Tousignant-Laflamme

*Investigation of the Efficacy of tDCS in the Treatment of CRPS*

Dr Serge Marchand

*Œstrogène et douleur chronique: rôle du système inhibiteur opioïdérique central dans la sensibilité à la douleur arthrosique à l'aide d'une mesure in vivo par tomographie d'émission par positrons*

**19:15-20:00** Data Blit Session #1- New QPRN Members (10min + 5min)

Dre Lynn Gauthier

Dr Alain Frigon

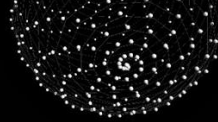
Dr Jordi Perez

**20:00-22:00** 4 course dinner



## Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016

- 7:30-8:15**      **Welcome and poster set-up**
- 8:15-8:20**      **Presentation of the North American Pain School (NAPS)**
- 8:20-8:25**      **Presentation of the Quebec Network of Junior Pain Investigators (QNJPI)**
- 8:30-9:30**      **Dr Didier Bouhassira – Plenary Conference joint with the QPRN**  
*Mise à jour sur les avancées cliniques et en recherche sur la douleur neuropathique*
- 9:30-10:20**    **Blitz session from QNJPI Members (7min + 3 min)**
- Jérôme Côté, Université de Sherbrooke**  
*Creation of a brain-penetrant peptide-neurotensin(8-13) conjugate exerting analgesic activities after systemic administration*
- Louis-Etienne Lorenzo, Université Laval**  
*An  $\alpha 2,3$  GABA(A) receptor synaptic switch is associated with the KCC2 deficit in neuropathic pain: therapeutic implications.*
- Stéphanie Grégoire, McGill University**  
*Changes in DNA methylation in the prefrontal cortex in chronic neuropathic pain: effect of S-Adenosylmethionine (SAM) on pain behaviors and co-morbidities*
- Marc-André Dansereau, Université de Sherbrooke**  
*Figuring out how CCL2 and CCR2 contribute to chronic pain by using RNAi technology.*
- Hélène Beaudry, McGill University**  
*Interrogating the role of peripheral opioid receptors using an optogenetic approach*
- 10:20-10:50**    **Coffee Break and Poster Session**



## Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016

**10:50-12:30 Oral Presentations (10min + 4min)**

**Diana-Luk Ye, McGill University**

*Assessment of Postoperative Movement-Evoked Pain After Spinal Fusion Surgery in Adolescents during Hospitalization: Preliminary Results*

**Olivier Lam, Université de Sherbrooke**

*Etude descriptive des caractéristiques cliniques des cervicalgies chroniques*

**Francis Houde, Université de Sherbrooke**

*Remembering pain: when the superior temporal gyrus clouds the past*

**Scott Thompson, McGill University**

*Decreased opioid receptor availability in rat brain three months after peripheral nerve injury*

**Marie-Pierre Cyr, Université de Sherbrooke**

*La morphologie et la fonction des muscles du plancher pelvien chez les femmes survivantes d'un cancer de l'endomètre souffrant de dyspareunie*

**Sarah Rosen, McGill University**

*T-cell dependent reversal of allodynia in pregnant mice*

**12:30-13:30 Lunch**

**13:30-14:00 Poster Session**

**14:00-14:45 Caroline Arbour, PhD**

*The post-doc to PI transition: The truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the (ugly) truth*



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## Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016

**14:45-15:00 Coffee Break**

**15:00-15:50 QNJPI Workshop**

**Élizabeth Douville PhD, vice president of GeneChem**

*AmorChem, a unique translational venture fund*

**15:50-16:40 QNJPI Workshop**

**Michael Shapiro Ing., project management consultant**

*Large-Scale Research Grant Development and Post-Award Plan*

**16:40-17:15 Cocktail**

**17:15-17:30 Student best presentation awards**

**18:30-19:30 Data Blitz for new QPRN members (10min + 5min)**

Dr Mathieu Roy

Dr Timothy Wideman

Dr Anne-Marie Pinard

**19:30-21:30 Dinner at Les Quatre Canards**



## Sunday April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016

- 7:00-8:30**      **Breakfast**
- 8:30-9:30**      **Blitz session- New QPRN members (10min + 5min)**  
Dre Sara Ahmed  
Dre Catherine Ferland  
Dre Émilie Paul-Savoie  
Dre Aline Boulanger  
Dr Léon Tourian  
Dre Stéphanie Cormier
- 9:30-9:45**      **Coffee Break**
- 9:45-11:00**     **Discussion group on QPRN's renewal application**
- 11:00-12:00**   **QPRN General Assembly**
- 12:00-13:00**   **Special meeting of the steering committee for the low back pain clinical project**