



SCHOOL OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PUBLIC HEALTH

ONE DAY SYMPOSIUM

PROGRESS IN HYGIENE SCIENCE AND PUBLIC HEALTH

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2012

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RYERSON UNIVERSITY
350 VICTORIA STREET
TORONTO
(Just North of Dundas Square)

The modern context of Hygiene Science has as a core purpose the protection and promotion of human health. This symposium brings together international and national experts in the field of hygiene science to explore current issues and advances in public health.

The Symposium will be of interest to all public health practitioners involved in infection control, food safety and communicable disease activities.

Confirmed speakers include:

- Prof. Eric Bolton, Manchester University & Health Protection Agency, UK
- Dr. Philip Carling, Boston University, USA
- Dr. Peter Pityn, OSHTEC, Ontario
- Dr. Sylvain Quessy, University of Montreal
- Dr. Eliane de Oliveira Ferreira, Universitas Federale de Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- Dr Scott D. Gray-Owen, University of Toronto

The Symposium will consist of sections on Methodologies (Chaired by Dr. Syed Sattar, University of Ottawa) and Infections (Chaired by Prof. Marilyn Lee, Ryerson University), with an introduction and wrap-up/analysis provided by Dr. Richard Meldrum, Ryerson University.

FEE: \$30 for practitioners; free for students; breakfast, lunch and snacks provided

REGISTRATION: See attached form

INQUIRIES Please contact the School office on Ph: 416-979-5154 or
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TIME	SPEAKER	TITLE	TOPIC
9:15 am – 9:30 am	Dr. Richard Meldrum School of Occupational & Public Health, Ryerson University	Moderator	Opening and Background Remarks
9:30 am -10:30 am	Professor Eric Bolton School of Public Health, Manchester University, and Health Protection Agency, UK	Keynote Speaker Confirmed	The Importance of Public Health Microbiology in the Control, Prevention and Epidemiology of Communicable Diseases
B R E A K			
METHODOLOGIES			
10:45 am – 11:00 am	Dr. Syed Sattar Centre for Research on Environmental Microbiology (CREM), University of Ottawa, Ottawa	Chair	Introduction and Comments - Methodologies
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Dr. Phillip Carling School of Medicine, Boston University, Boston	Speaker Confirmed	Assessing and Improving Disinfection Cleaning in Healthcare. The New Patient Safety Imperative
11:45 am -12:30 pm	Dr. Peter Pityn OSHTEC, London, Ontario	Speaker Confirmed	Assessment and Remediation Protocols: Problematic Issues in Environmental Engineering and Hygiene
L U N C H			
INFECTIONS			
1:30 pm – 1:45 pm	Professor Marilyn Lee School of Occupational & Public Health, Ryerson University	Chair	Introduction and Comments - Infections
1:45 pm – 2:30 pm	Dr. Sylvain Quessy Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, University of Montreal	Speaker Confirmed	Food Safety in Emerging Countries: Opportunities and Challenges
B R E A K			
2:45 pm – 3:30 pm	Dr. Eliane de Oliveira Ferreira Universitas Federale de Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Speaker Confirmed	Current Challenge: Clostridium difficile and Its Impact on Spread of Infection
3:30 pm –4:15 pm	Dr. Scott D. Gray-Owen University of Toronto Stanier Lecturer	Speaker Confirmed	Recent Advances in Infection Science: How the Cell Surface influences Infection
4:15 pm – 4:30 pm	Dr. Richard Meldrum School of Occupational & Public Health, Ryerson University	Analysis	Progress in Hygiene Science: A Prospective View
SYMPOSIUM COMMITTEE: Dr. Morris Goldner (Convener), Dr. Richard Meldrum, Dr. Syed Sattar, Professor Marilyn Lee			
Additional input from the Centre for Research on Environmental Microbiology (CREM) and the Stanier Institute / Institut Stanier			



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