



Pre-course - Research Workshop | Preliminary Agenda

An event sponsored by the Society for Perioperative Research and Care and the Perioperative Care Research Network

Friday November 7, 2025

08:30-08:35 Opening Remarks: Dr. Flavia Kessler Borges, MD PhD

Session 1 David Braley Auditorium

Moderators: Drs. Flavia Kessler Borges, MD PhD and Maura Marcucci, MD PhD

08:35-09:05 Keynote lecture: How to write a good grant proposal

Shrikant I Bangdiwala, PhD, Statistic Director, Population Health Research Institute. Professor, Department of Health Research Methods, Evidence, and

Impact, McMaster University

09:05-09:15 Questions

09:15-09:30 Time management in clinical research

Dr. Emilie Belley-Côté, MD PhD

09:30-09:40 Questions

Session 2 Breakout room sessions

09:50-10:50 Breakout room presentations and discussion (New research ideas)

BREAKOUT ROOM 2018	
Francesca Mulazzani	Impact of Minimally Invasive Surgery on Surgical Eligibility and Perioperative Outcomes - University of Milano-Bicocca, Milan, Italy
Shannon Ruzycki	Continuous glucose monitoring in the postoperative period for people with prediabetes - University of Calgary

BREAKOUT ROOM 2019	
Silvia Maiorano	Prognostic role of a preoperative troponin elevation in patients undergoing noncardiac urgent or emergency surgery: a pooled analysis - Population Health Research Institute
Ana Claudia Tonelli	Cardiac Biomarkers and Perioperative Outcomes in Heart Failure Patients Undergoing Noncardiac Surgery: A Secondary Analysis of the VISION Study -Hospital de Clinicas de Porto Alegre, Brazil

BREAKOUT ROOM 2023	
Jianguo Xu	Bleeding Definitions in Open-Heart Surgery: The Need for Standardization - Population Health Research Institute
Maram Khaled	Pain, cognition and biophysical changes after non-cardiac surgery McMaster University





10:50-11:20 Break

Session 3 David Braley Auditorium

Moderators: Drs. Flavia Kessler Borges, MD PhD and Maura Marcucci, MD PhD

11:20-11:40 Keynote lecture: How to become a successful researcher

Dr. Mohit Bhandari, MD PhD, Distinguished Professor of Surgery, Chair of Surgery, McMaster University

11:40-11:50 Questions

11:50-12:00 **Closing remarks**

Maura Marcucci, MD PhD

12:00-13:00 **Lunch**

Session 4 David Braley Auditorium

Moderators : Drs. Emmanuelle Duceppe, MD PhD and Manoj Lalu, MD PhD

13:00-13:20 Update from the Perioperative Care Research Network (PCRN)

Drs. Emmanuelle Duceppe, MD PhD and Manoj Lalu MD PhD

13:20-13:30 Questions

13:30-13:50 Keynote lecture: Waived consent

Dr. Jessica Spence, MD PhD

13:50-14:00 Questions

14:00-14:45 Trials presentation

PREVENT (PeRiopEratiVE smokiNg CessaTion) RCT

Sandra Ofori, McMaster University

Rivaroxaban plus ASA Versus Standard of Care for Arterial and Venous

Cardiovascular Prevention After Hip Fracture Surgery (HIPSTER)

Frederico Germini, McMaster University

Enhanced DETECTion of PeriOperative Atrial Fibrillation after noncardiac surgery with

continuous electrocardiographic monitoring (DETECT-POAF)

Michael Wang, McMaster University

14:45-14:55 **Closing remarks**

Drs. Emmanuelle Duceppe, MD PhD and Manoj Lalu MD PhD

Break and PCC start at 15:45