



## CSVS E-NEWSLETTER - Fall 2014

### CSVS President's Message

Dear Colleagues,

It was great to see many of you at the 2014 Annual Meeting in Toronto last month. I was impressed by the enthusiasm and engagement of all of our members who attended. The large number of medical students, residents and fellows at the meeting reflects favorably on the vibrancy and exciting future for our specialty and our society.

Your executive is engaged in a number of exciting initiatives including national research initiatives, under the charge of our Research Chair, Graham Roche-Nagle, and updating and redesigning our website. The CSVS is reaching out to other societies and is partnering with the Society for Vascular Surgery, the European Society for Vascular Surgery and the World Federation of Vascular Societies in the Global Vascular Guidelines initiative and with the Canadian Cardiovascular Society and the Canadian Society for Cardiac Surgeons in a position statement on thoracic aortic disease interventions. We plan on building on the momentum of the Toronto meeting with these and other initiatives leading up to the meeting in Victoria next September.

There are numerous opportunities for members to become involved in the society, so if you have an idea or wish to become involved please contact myself or any member of the executive. In the meantime I hope you have a happy and productive fall and winter season.

Sincerely,

Thomas L. Forbes, MD, FRCS(C), FACS

## 2014 Annual Meeting - Highlights

Over 300 delegates attended the CSVS Annual Scientific Meeting in Toronto. The theme – “ Aneurysm Treatment – Bedside to Bench.....provided invited guest speaker – Professor Janet Powell the opportunity to present two talks and to participate as a moderator for various sessions in Toronto. CSVS Jeopardy – Always a popular event the jeopardy session in Edmonton had the East winning it in 2014.

### **Congratulations to the 2014 award recipients: [CSVS Awards](#)**

Cook Research Award	Dr. Soheil Jamshidi & Cherrie Abraham
Gore Research Award	Dr. Stephen Hanley & Dr. Rafik Ghali
Provan Award	Dr. Douglas Wooster
Josephus Luke Award	Dr. Stephen Hanley
Sigvaris President’s Award	Ms. Elizabeth Wooster

## Welcome our new CSVS Members

### **Candidate Members**

Lukasz Boba	Toronto ON
Laura Drudi	Montreal QC
Trisha Roy	Toronto ON
Konrad Salata	Toronto ON

### **Full Members**

Kwame Amankwah	Syracuse NY
Gustavo Azoubel	Scarborough ON
Ivica Vucemilo	Mississauga ON

## Upcoming Events

Visit the [CSVS website](#) for updates on the 2015 Call for Abstracts, Awards and Annual Scientific Meeting in Victoria, BC.

### **Winnipeg Vascular & Endovascular Symposium**

12<sup>th</sup> Annual Winnipeg Vascular & Endovascular Symposium April 23 - 25, 2015  
combined with Advances in Vascular Nursing Symposium, April 24, 2015  
The Fairmont Hotel, Winnipeg  
For more Information contact Suzanne Morgan-Gravel  
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### **Charing Cross Symposium 2015**

**28 April – 1 May 2015**

Olympia Grand, London  
Tel: +44 (0) 20 7736 8788  
Fax: +44 (0) 20 7736 8283  
[info@cxsymposium.com](mailto:info@cxsymposium.com) / [www.cxsymposium.com](http://www.cxsymposium.com)

## **Job Postings**

**Western University, London Health Sciences Centre  
& St. Joseph's Health Care London**

Academic Vascular Surgeon, Department of Surgery  
Click [here](#) for details on this employment opportunity.

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