



**MYELOMA  
CANADA**  
MAKING MYELOMA MATTER

# NATIONAL CONFERENCE 2018

**Radisson Hotel Vancouver Airport**  
8181 Cambie Road, Richmond, BC V6X 3X9

## AGENDA

<b>Saturday, May 12</b> <i>President Ballroom</i>		
<b>TIME</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>SPEAKER</b>
7:00 – 8:00 am	<b>Registration &amp; Breakfast</b>	
8:00 – 8:10 am	<b>Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks</b>	Mr Keith Taylor & Mr Aldo Del Col
8:10 – 8:40 am	<b>Myeloma 101: The Basics</b>	Dr Debra Bergstrom
8:40 – 9:00 am	<b>The Role of Imaging in the Diagnosis of Myeloma</b>	Dr Jens Hillengaß
9:00 – 9:15 am	<b>Treatment &amp; Management of Newly Diagnosed Myeloma</b>	Dr Debra Bergstrom
9:15 – 9:40 am	<b>Treatment &amp; Management of Relapsed/Refractory Myeloma</b>	Dr Joseph Mikhael
9:40 – 10:00 am	<b>The Role of Imaging in the Management of Myeloma</b>	Dr Jens Hillengaß
10:00 – 10:30 am	<b>Break</b>	
10:30 – 11:15 am	<b>Marijuana for Pain &amp; Neuropathy</b>	Ms Fonda Betts
11:15 – 12:00 pm	<b>Ask the Experts: Q&amp;A Panel Discussion</b>	Moderated by Dr Kevin Song
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch &amp; Presentation: Myeloma Canada Patient Advisory Council</b>	Ms Lorelei Dalrymple & Mr Keith Taylor
1:00 – 2:30 pm	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>	
<i>President Ballroom</i>	<b>Exercise Strategies &amp; Techniques for Well-being &amp; Managing Pain</b>	Ms Kelly Wanless
<i>Richmond Room</i>	<b>Being a Caregiver: Facing Challenges &amp; Practical Advice</b>	Ms Emma James
<i>Plaza Room</i>	<b>Amyloidosis</b>	Dr Joseph Mikhael & Dr Chris Venner
2:30 – 3:00 pm	<b>Break</b>	
3:00 – 3:20 pm	<b>Myeloma Canada Research Network (MCRN)</b>	Dr Michael Sebag
3:20 – 3:40 pm	<b>MCRN National Multiple Myeloma Database</b>	Dr Chris Venner
3:40 – 4:30 pm	<b>Side Effect Management, Health Maintenance &amp; Supportive Care</b>	Ms Teresa Miceli
4:30 pm	<b>Concluding Remarks &amp; Adjournment of Day 1</b>	Mr Keith Taylor



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**Sunday, May 13**  
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TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
7:00 – 8:00 am	<b>Breakfast</b>	
8:00 – 8:05 am	<b>Introductory Remarks for Day 2</b>	Mr Keith Taylor
8:05 – 8:45 am	<b>New Research in Immuno-oncology</b>	Dr Marie-Claude Bourgeois-Daigneault
8:45 – 9:10 am	<b>CAR T-Cell Therapy &amp; Conjugated BCMA Monoclonal Antibodies</b>	Dr Michael Sebag
9:10 – 9:40 am	<b>Updates on New &amp; Emerging Therapies: Carfilzomib, Daratumumab, Ixazomib, Isatuximab, Oprozomib and Selinexor</b>	Dr Jesse Shustik & Dr Chris Venner
9:40 – 10:15 am	<b>Understanding Clinical Trials</b>	Ms Cindy Manchulenko
10:15 – 10:30 am	<b>Myeloma Canada's Personal Clinical Trial Finder</b>	Ms Michelle Oana & Mr Aldo Del Col
10:30 – 11:00 am	<b>Break</b>	
<b>11:00 – 11:45 am</b>	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>	
<i>President Ballroom</i>	<b>Maintenance Therapy</b>	Dr Chris Venner
<i>Plaza Room</i>	<b>MGUS &amp; Smouldering Myeloma</b>	Dr Jesse Shustik
<i>Richmond Room</i>	<b>Understanding &amp; Following Your Serum Free Light Chain Numbers</b>	Binding Site
<b>11:45 – 12:30 pm</b>	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>	
<i>President Ballroom</i>	<b>Nutrition</b>	Dietician
<i>Richmond Room</i>	<b>Newly Diagnosed: What to Expect</b>	Dr Kevin Song
12:30 – 1:30 pm	<b>Lunch &amp; Presentation of the TEAM Award</b>	Ms Martine Elias
<b>1:30 – 2:15 pm</b>	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>	
<i>President Ballroom</i>	<b>Cancer has Redefined My Life: How can I Make the Best of it?</b>	Dr Janice Wright
<i>Richmond Room</i>	<b>Coping with the Fear of Relapse/Recurrence</b>	Ms Emma James
2:15 – 2:25 pm	<b>Break: Proceed to <i>President Ballroom</i></b>	
2:25 – 3:15 pm	<b>The Role of an Oncology Nurse</b>	Ms Kim Burney
3:15 – 3:30 pm	<b>Why the Fight Was Worth It</b>	Ms Megan Williams
3:30 pm	<b>Concluding Remarks &amp; Meeting Adjournment</b>	Mr Keith Taylor & Mr Aldo Del Col