

Hello CMDO members,

The [2021 Scientific Meeting - The 100th anniversary of the discovery of insulin](#) takes place in 2 weeks... have you registered yet?

**10 messages:**

### General information from the CMDO

1) **This will be my last REMINDER - REGISTRATIONS:** The [Annual Scientific Meeting \(February 10 to 12 in virtual format via the ZOOM platform\)](#) – **Come and celebrate the 100th anniversary of the discovery of insulin;**

- **More than 240 registrations... and counting!!!!;**
- **Deadline for registration - February 8, 2021;**
- Thank you to the **78** poster presenters who produced short videos to introduce you their research projects;
- Congress is accredited for physicians;
- To consult the program, packages, register, etc., please contact us. - [CLICK HERE](#);
- **If you are not in the list of registrants ([CLICK HERE](#)), you are not registered for the congress!**

### General public

2) An article published in La Presse+ written by André Carpentier (Director of the CMDO): [Célébrons le 100<sup>e</sup> anniversaire de la découverte de l'insuline!](#)

3) **What does the expert say?**

- a. For our objective of exchanging with the community, the CMDO has set up the activity: What does the expert say about it? - an initiative of our student committee:
- b. We received a question **related to the glycemic index and the choice of meals and snacks:**
  - i. This question and answer session can be found by [clicking HERE](#) – “French only”;
  - ii. Thank you to Dr. Simone Lemieux (NUTRISS Centre, INAF, ULaval) who lent herself to the game;
- c. We invite you to contact us with any questions related to cardiometabolic health, diabetes, or obesity;
- d. Please send your questions, in English, to [info@rrcmdo.ca](mailto:info@rrcmdo.ca);

4) [CMDO Webinar Series](#) (**open to the public**):

- Coming soon:
  - **Spring 2021 - Series of 4 webinars on the 100th Anniversary of the Discovery of Insulin! - Info coming soon;**
    - Take a historical tour of the story of the discovery of insulin, through the elucidation of the mechanisms of action, as well as the technological development of the medication and its impact on the everyday life of millions of diabetics.
- Past Webinars:
  - **Wednesday, January 20, 2021: *Les petites poignées d'amour : Quand l'inflammation joue les trouble-fêtes* :**
    - Speakers: Dr. Catherine Martel and Kerri Delaney;
    - [Click HERE](#) to see the recording;
  - [Click HERE](#) to go to the past webinar web page and view all recordings.

## Contest

- 5) **Diabetes Quebec** Competition - **Deadline: January 29, 2021:**
  - a. [Basic, clinical, and applied research grants in diabetes](#) ;
  - b. [Summer studentships for health sciences students interested in diabetes research](#).
  
- 6) **Obesity Canada** Competition - [TOPS New Investigator Research Award 2021: Call for Nominations](#). **Deadline to apply - February 26, 2021**. Full details [HERE](#);
  
- 7) [CIHR - Health Research Training Platform Pilot Project](#) - **Application deadline April 21, 2021:**
  - a. Funding Class: Nutrition, Metabolism, and Diabetes

## Job offers and job search (Click [HERE](#) to consult all the Careers offers)

- 8) Master's or Doctorate - [DETERMINATION OF BIOMARKERS OF PREECLAMPSIA IN MOUSE MODELS AND IN WOMEN \(JULIE L LAVOIE, CRCHUM\)](#) ;

## Congresses/Symposia/Courses/Workshops

- 9) RRISIQ Webinar: [Equity, Diversity and, Inclusion](#) (January 29, 2021, from 12:00 to 1:30 pm) - [Registration HERE](#)
  
- 10) The abstract submission period for the [Canadian Obesity Summit](#) organized by Obesity Canada (May 10-13, 2021) has now begun and closes on February 18 at 5:00 pm (Eastern Time). All the information on how to submit an abstract can be found [HERE](#).

Have a good week,

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