



ANNUAL
SCIENTIFIC MEETING
2024



PROGRAM
May 23-25, 2024
Calgary, Alberta

LEARNING OBJECTIVES FOR THE MEETING

- Analyze the latest advancements and evidence-based practices in interventional radiology (IR), including updates in vascular, oncological, and musculoskeletal interventions.
- Discuss the technical nuances, procedural strategies, and innovations in IR treatments, with a focus on optimizing patient outcomes and minimizing complications.
- Evaluate the role of multidisciplinary collaboration in the management of complex cases, emphasizing the integration of IR within the broader healthcare team.
- Review and apply the principles of patient safety, quality improvement, and ethical considerations in the practice of interventional radiology.
- Identify strategies for addressing common challenges in IR, including difficult anatomical considerations, patient selection, and post-procedural care.
- Explore the impact of technological advancements, including imaging and device innovations, on the practice and outcomes of IR procedures.
- Discuss the management of specific conditions such as arteriovenous malformations (AVMs), hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC), and pulmonary embolism (PE), incorporating the latest guidelines and research findings.
- Examine the importance of professional development, wellness, and resilience in maintaining a sustainable and fulfilling career in interventional radiology.
- Analyze case studies and morbidity and mortality (M & M) cases to extract lessons learned and best practices for clinical decision-making and procedural execution.
- Engage in interactive learning sessions, including debates, panel discussions, and case reviews, to foster critical thinking and collaborative problem-solving in IR.

CME Credits

The CAIR Annual Scientific Meeting 2024 is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and has been approved by the Canadian Association of Radiologists (CAR) for a maximum of 14.75 credit hours.

Participants completing the activities associated with the Wellness Symposium are eligible to claim a maximum of 1 hour (3 credits, credits are calculated automatically) under Section 3 (Self-Assessment Program) of the MOC Program of the Royal College.

CAMRT Credits

This group learning activity will apply for Category A Credits within the continuing Education Credit Approval Program (CECAP) of the Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists (CAMRT).

Target Audience

This CME event will be of great interest to Interventional Radiologists, Radiology Residents, Interventional Radiology Fellows as well as Technologists and Nurses working in Interventional Radiology and any other healthcare provider with an interest in Interventional Radiology.

Needs Assessment

This program was developed based on feedback received from the evaluation forms collected during the SIR, CIRSE and CAIR Annual Meetings.

PROGRAM

THURSDAY, MAY 23

07:00 - 08:00
Mayfair/Endrooms &
West Foyer

Breakfast

08:00 - 08:55

My Best and Worst Days in the Angio Suite: Lessons Learned in the Trenches

08:00 - 08:05
Britannia/Belaire

Welcome

Dr. Alessandra Cassano-Bailey | Dr. Gerald Gahide

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the accomplishments of CAIR in the previous year
- Summarize the direction of the organization for 2024 and beyond
- Discuss how members can become more involved

08:05 - 08:20
Britannia/Belaire

Guest Speaker

Dr. Alda Tam, SIR

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Recognize and avoid invisible hazards caused by carelessness or ignorance.
- Identify how to obtain the best results through their long experience and careful planning of individual treatment procedures.
- Apply knowledge gained to carry out better procedures with a minimum of risk.

08:20 - 08:35
Britannia/Belaire

Guest Speaker

Dr. Jean Pierre Pelage

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Recognize opportunities to take control of situations to avoid bad outcomes
- Create opportunities to guide care through creative solutions
- Identify learning opportunities from experiences and apply learning to practice

08:35 - 08:50
Britannia/Belaire

Guest Speaker

Dr. Julien Garnon

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Identify errors in judgement that lead to patient complications
- Describe how to manage difficult cases in the endovascular suite
- Identify key decisions that allow for optimal patient outcome

08:50 - 08:55
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

08:55 - 10:00

Debates

08:55 - 09:15
Britannia/Belaire

Is TACE Dead ? TUse of Transarterial Chemoembolization (TACE) vs. Transarterial Radioembolization (TARE) for Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC)

Dr. Louis-Martin Boucher | Dr. Amol Mujoomdar

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Compare the mechanisms of action of TACE and TARE
- Analyze the suitability of each procedure based on tumor characteristics
- Evaluate the potential complications and outcomes of TACE and TARE

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THURSDAY, MAY 23 (CONTINUED)

09:15 - 09:35
Britannia/Belaire

If I Only Had One Closure Devices: Mynx vs Perclose vs Angioseal

Dr. Darren Ferguson | Dr. Richard Owen | Dr. Gerald Gahide

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the principles behind the different closure devices
- Discuss the advantages and challenges of each device
- Evaluate the advantages and potential complications of each device

09:35 - 09:55
Britannia/Belaire

Iliocaval Stenting: IVUS or DSA?

Dr. Jeff Jaskolka | Dr. Veronique Cathy

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the technical aspects of DSA and IVUS for the placement ilio caval stents
- Compare the respective advantages of both techniques
- Discuss the potential drawbacks of each approach

09:55 - 10:00
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

10:00 - 10:30

Break

10:30 - 11:45

Clinical Interventional Radiology – Acute Pulmonary Embolism

10:30 - 10:40
Britannia/Belaire

A Patient Perspective

Mrs. Brenda Crowell

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the difficulties faced by patients during the acute phase of pulmonary embolism
- List the approaches available to improve patient experience

10:40 - 10:55
Britannia/Belaire

Pulmonary Embolism Management in the ICU

Dr. Paul Boiteau

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the multidisciplinary approach for the treatment of acute pulmonary embolism
- Know the respective roles of each team for the management of acute pulmonary embolism
- Discuss the specific role of ICU team for the coordination of management

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THURSDAY, MAY 23 (CONTINUED)

10:55 - 11:10
Britannia/Belaire

Pulmonary Embolism Management: Scientific Update

Dr. Eric Herget

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the latest clinical trial results for the management of pulmonary embolism
- Describe the respective roles, risks and benefits of each treatment
- Offer a risk-adapted treatment and follow-up that contribute to a favorable outcome

11:10 - 11:15
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

11:15 - 11:35
Britannia/Belaire

Taste of Grand Slams

Dr. Jason Wong | Dr. Adnan Hadziomerovic

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss the technical nuances, procedural strategies, and innovations in IR treatments, with a focus on optimizing patient outcomes and minimizing complications
- Analyze case studies and morbidity and mortality (M & M) cases to extract lessons learned and best practices for clinical decision-making and procedural execution

11:35 - 11:55
Britannia/Belaire

Trainee Day – Best Cases

Dr. Anastasia Hadjivassiliou | Dr. Nevin de Korompay

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Identify strategies for addressing common challenges in IR, including difficult anatomical considerations, patient selection, and post-procedural care
- Discuss the technical nuances, procedural strategies, and innovations in IR treatments, with a focus on optimizing patient outcomes and minimizing complications

12:00 - 13:00

Lunch Symposia

13:30 - 15:00

Clinical Interventional Radiology – Keynote Spotlight Series

13:30 - 13:50
Britannia/Belaire

Ablative Therapy in Cholangiocarcinoma

Dr. Alda Tam

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the histology and classification of cholangiocarcinomas
- Describe the expanding role of interventional radiology and liver-directed therapies in the treatment of intrahepatic cholangiocarcinomas
- Discuss the effectiveness of percutaneous ablation in intrahepatic cholangiocarcinomas

13:50 - 14:10
Britannia/Belaire

Embolization in MSK: How has it started and where are we going? Evidence-based Review

Dr. Jean Pierre Pelage

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the recent history of arterial embolization of chronic joint pain
- Describe the physiopathology of osteoarthritis related pain and the potential role of embolization
- Analyze the medical evidences available that support those techniques

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THURSDAY, MAY 23 (CONTINUED)

14:10 - 14:30
Britannia/Belaire

IR Goes Orthopedic

Dr. Julien Garnon

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss the different percutaneous approaches available to treat symptomatic bone lesions
- Compare the respective risks and benefits of the different approaches
- Know the tools and techniques available to avoid complications

14:30 - 14:40
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

14:40 - 14:50
Britannia/Belaire

CAIR Award: Dr. Josée Dubois , M.D.

14:50 - 15:00
Britannia/Belaire

CAIR AGM

15:00 - 15:30

Break

15:30 - 16:30

Masterclass 1 (concurrent session)

15:30 - 16:30
Bonavista

Above the Neck (Non Stroke)

Dr. Nevin De Korompay | Dr. Jeff Jaskolka

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review updated evidence and techniques for carotid stenting
- Describe the recent advances in subdural hematoma management
- Discuss the technique of middle meningeal embolization

15:30 - 16:30
Eau Claire
(North/South)

The Complex/Unusual UFE

Dr. Jean Pierre Pelage

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Recognize complex UFE cases
- Review through cases avenues to manage complicated UFE cases
- Review the results and potential complications of the procedure

15:30 - 16:30
Bow Valley

IR Fellowship Program Directors Meeting (by invitation only)

Dr. Anastasia Hadjivassiliou

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss the latest trends, challenges, and opportunities in IR fellowship training
- Explore strategies for enhancing the educational experience of IR fellows
- Facilitate collaboration and exchange of best practices among program directors to continuously improve the quality of IR fellowship training

18:00 - 20:00
Conference Level

Opening Reception & Networking

PROGRAM

FRIDAY, MAY 24

08:00 - 09:00 **Masterclass 2** (concurrent session)

08:00 - 09:00
Bonavista

No Fail Today! How to Win the SFA?

Dr. Andrew Benko | Dr. Adnan Hadziomerovic

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the different indications for SFA recanalization
- Review the technical approaches available for SFA recanalization
- Discuss how to preserve SFA patency after its recanalization

08:00 - 09:00
Eau Claire
(North/South)

Complex Biliary Interventions

Dr. Cori Caughlin | Dr. Gillian Shiau

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the recent advancements in biliary interventions devices and techniques
- Describe the indications and contraindications of biliary interventions
- Discuss the criteria for patient selection and the expected clinical outcomes

08:00 - 09:00
Bow Valley

Bone Consolidation: from Cementing to Screw Fixation

Dr. Julien Garnon | Dr. Peter Munk

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Evaluate the criteria for bone consolidation, including both its indications and contraindications
- Explain the fundamental principles and methodologies underlying each technique employed in bone consolidation
- Examine the possible complications associated with bone consolidation procedures and outline strategies for their mitigation and resolution

09:00 - 09:30

Break

09:30 - 10:30

Embolization

09:30 - 09:45
Britannia/Belaire

Emorrhoid: Endovascular Management of Emorrhoids

Dr. Gilles Soulez

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the anatomy and pathophysiology of hemorrhoidal bleeding
- Discuss the approaches available for treating severe hemorrhoidal bleeding
- Discuss the emborhoid technique for severe hemorrhoidal bleeding

09:45 - 10:00
Britannia/Belaire

Portal and Suprahepatic Vein Embolization for Increasing Liver Remnant

Dr. Anastasia Hadjivassiliou

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss the role of curative hepatic resection for the treatment of liver tumors and the importance of future liver remnant (FLR)
- Evaluate technique and evidence for FLR hypertrophy using portal vein embolization and hepatic deprivation
- Present the advantages and limitations of portal vein embolization and hepatic deprivation

PROGRAM

FRIDAY, MAY 24 (CONTINUED)

10:00 - 10:15
Britannia/Belaire

CARTO/PARTO/BRT0/BATO: Can I Buy a Transvenous Obliteration Vowel?

Dr. Amol Mujoomdar

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss the physiology of variceal bleeding
- Present the different endovascular approaches available to treat porto-systemic shunts
- Discuss the relative risks and benefits of each technique

10:15 - 10:30
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

10:30 - 10:45

Break

10:45 - 11:45

MSK Gone Crazy

10:45 - 11:00
Britannia/Belaire

Non Lung/Kidney/Liver Ablation: What IR Can Offer

Dr. Julien Garnon

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the anatomical and technical requirements to use ablation in the MSK system
- Discuss the risks and benefits of MSK treatments by ablation
- Describe safe procedural techniques to lower the risk of adverse events

11:00 - 11:15
Britannia/Belaire

Cryoneurolysis – A Systematic Review

Dr. Neil Resnick

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the indications and contraindications for cryoneurolysis
- Demonstrate proficiency in the technical aspects of performing cryoneurolysis
- Discuss the potential risks and complications of cryoneurolysis and describe strategies for mitigating and managing these complications

11:15 - 11:30
Britannia/Belaire

Cementoplasty: Why, When, How ?

Dr. Peter Munk

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss the role of bone strengthening by cementoplasty in clinical practice
- Review the technical strategies required to perform cementoplasty
- Describe the outcomes and benefits of cementoplasty

11:30 - 11:45
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

12:00 - 13:00

Lunch Symposia

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FRIDAY, MAY 24 (CONTINUED)

13:30 - 14:10

HCC Management

13:30 - 13:45

Britannia/Belaire

Guidelines CAIR

Dr. Jason Wong

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Distinguish the different stages of hepatocellular carcinoma
- Establish the roles of local, locoregional and systemic therapies for each stage in Canada
- Discuss the secondary surveillance following potentially curative therapy of HCC

13:45 - 14:15

Britannia/Belaire

HCC Lesions Management, a Panel Discussion

Dr. Jason Wong | Dr. Alda Tam | Dr. Anastasia Hadjivassiliou | Dr. Robert Abraham
Dr. Amol Mujoomdar

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the different approaches available to treat HCC
- Discuss the benefits and limitations of each technique
- Understand the role of each technique according to the stage of the disease

14:15 - 14:25

Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

14:25 - 14:40

Break

14:40 - 15:50

CAIR Initiative "Ask for Ablation"

14:40 - 14:50

Britannia/Belaire

Current State of Tumor Ablation in Canada

Dr. Alessandra Cassano-Bailey | Dr. Gerald Gahide

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the different ablation programs currently offered in Canada
- Describe the potential reasons for discrepancies across Canada
- Discuss the past, current and future actions taken to improve ablation offer

14:50 - 15:00

Britannia/Belaire

Building an Ablation Program

Dr. Stefan Przybojewski

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the different steps required to build an ablation program
- Review the main drawbacks encountered in practice
- Discuss the different approaches and collaborations helpful to a successful program

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FRIDAY, MAY 24 (CONTINUED)

15:00 - 15:15
Britannia/Belaire

Tips and Tricks: Soft Tissue Tumor Ablation

Dr. Peter Munk

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the role of Soft Tissue Tumor Ablation
- Discuss the techniques, including imaging guidance and probe placement
- Review the results, including benefits, risks and limitations

15:15 - 15:30
Britannia/Belaire

Tips and Tricks: Lung Ablation

Dr. Gerald Gahide

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the principles of lung tumor ablation
- Discuss the different techniques, including imaging guidance and probe placement
- Review the patient selection criteria, especially focusing on tumor size and location

15:30 - 15:45
Britannia/Belaire

Tips and Tricks: Kidney Ablation

Dr. Maxime Noel-Lamy

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the basic principles of renal tumor ablation
- Review the current techniques, including imaging guidance and probe placement
- Discuss the patient selection criteria, especially focusing on tumor size and location

15:45 - 16:00
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

16:00 - 16:30

Break

16:30 - 17:30

Masterclass 3 – Jeopardy Film Panel, A brief history of Interventional Radiology

16:30 - 17:30
Britannia/Belaire

Dr. Jason Wong | Dr. Nevin De Korompay | Dr. Stefan Przybojewski

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Review the milestones of IR history
- Describe important IR devices
- Test the IR knowledge in a Jeopardy Film Panel setting

18:00 - 19:00
Nakiska

Women in IR – Cocktails & Networking

PROGRAM

SATURDAY, MAY 25

08:00 - 09:00
Britannia/Belaire

Wellness Symposium – SAM Session

08:00 - 08:30
Britannia/Belaire

Failing Better

Dr. Sara Gray

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss the perfection myth. If we study long enough, try hard enough, or are just really smart can we achieve perfection
- Review how shame, resilience and connection intersect with our mental health
- Develop strategies for recovery after making a mistake, in medicine, or elsewhere
- Identify common issues faced by interventional radiologists
- Develop coping mechanisms and strategies to handle challenging scenarios without compromising mental well-being
- Foster a supportive environment through peer discussions, debriefing sessions, and mental health resources

08:30 - 08:50
Britannia/Belaire

Moral Injury

Dr. Cori Caughlin | Dr. Alessandra Cassano-Bailey

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Define and identify the signs and symptoms of moral injury to interventional radiologists
- Describe the systemic and individual factors contributing to moral injury
- Implement self-care strategies and establish boundaries to maintain emotional and mental well-being

08:50 - 09:00
Britannia/Belaire

Discussions

09:00 - 09:15

Break

09:15 - 10:15

Masterclass 4 (concurrent session)

09:15 - 10:15
Bonavista

ArterioVenous Malformations: What You've Always Wanted to Know

Dr. Josée Dubois | Dr. Gerald Leighen

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Investigate recent advancements in the treatment of ArterioVenous Malformations
- Gain insight into the complexities involved in managing ArterioVenous Malformations
- Utilize case studies to analyze indications, complications, and clinical results associated with the management of AVMs

09:15 - 10:15
Eau Claire
(North/South)

Trainee Session: What You Need to Know Before You Enter Practice

Dr. Tara Graham | Dr. Cori Caughlin

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Identify the key skills, both clinical and non-clinical, that are essential for a successful transition to IR practice
- Discuss the common challenges and opportunities new IRs face in the early stages of their careers
- Provide guidance on maintaining work-life balance, continuing professional development, and navigating the complexities of healthcare systems to ensure a fulfilling and sustainable career in IR

PROGRAM

SATURDAY, MAY 25 (CONTINUED)

09:15 - 10:15
Bow Valley

Nurses and Techs Related Session (Techs M&M)

Dr. Gillian Shiau | Dr. Laurent Bilodeau

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Assess how to effectively handle complications
- Utilize case studies to explore complications and extract best practices through debriefing
- Describe common errors encountered and provide strategies for their prevention

10:15 - 10:30

Break

10:30 - 12:00

Young Guns Forever

10:30 - 10:50
Britannia/Belaire

Top Interventional Oncology (IO) Papers of 2023

Dr. John Kachura

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Identify the latest evidence-based advances in interventional radiology, as presented in the top papers of 2023.
- List changes to the clinical practice to be made or maintained based on most current data presented
- Identify areas of further needed research and technical advancement in the field of IR

10:50 - 11:10
Britannia/Belaire

A Brief History of ArterioVenous Malformations

Dr. Josee Dubois

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe history of AVM and evolution of classification through the years
- Comment on treatment evolution through the years
- Review the different therapeutic approaches available to treat AVMs and treatment evolution throughout the years

11:10 - 11:30
Britannia/Belaire

A Journey in innovation

Dr. Robert Abraham

At the end of this session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe the distinct stages required for the development of innovative interventional devices
- Establish a comprehensive methodology from laboratory testing to clinical application for crafting novel devices
- Identify the primary challenges encountered in the process of creating cutting-edge devices

11:30 - 11:45

Discussions

11:45 - 12:00
Britannia/Belaire

Closing Remarks

Dr. Alessandra Cassano-Bailey | Dr. Gerald Gahide

ONSITE INFORMATION

REGISTRATION DESK HOURS

Tuesday May 21	16:00 – 18:00
Wednesday May 22	16:00 – 18:00
Thursday May 23	07:00 – 17:00
Friday May 24	07:00 – 17:00

EXHIBIT HOURS

Thursday May 23	07:00 – 17:00
Friday May 24	07:00 – 17:00
Saturday May 25	07:00 – 12:00

OPENING RECEPTION & NETWORKING

Thursday May 23	18:00 - 21:00
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Location: Conference level

WOMEN IN IR - COCKTAILS & NETWORKING

Friday May 24	18:00 - 19:30
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Location: Eau Clair

EVALUATION FORM

In order to produce a successful meeting each year, the organizing committee needs your help. Please note that the sessions' evaluations and the general event survey are now available via the event app.

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CAIR AWARD WINNER



DR. JOSÉE DUBOIS
M.D.

As a Professor of Radiology at the Université de Montréal, former Vice Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, and Director of the Diagnostic Radiology Program, Professor Dubois has consistently demonstrated exemplary leadership and expertise in the realms of interventional radiology, particularly in the diagnosis and treatment of vascular anomalies.

Internationally recognized for her significant achievements, Professor Dubois has amassed a remarkable body of work, comprising over 244 scientific publications and collaborations on various chapters in esteemed medical textbooks. Her scholarly contributions have not only expanded the horizons of medical knowledge but have also played a pivotal role in advancing the understanding and treatment of vascular anomalies, establishing her as a respected authority in the global medical community.

Beyond her academic prowess, Professor Dubois has exhibited an extraordinary dedication to the field of interventional pediatric radiology at Hôpital Ste-Justine. Her commitment to this specialized area underscores her passion for improving healthcare outcomes for pediatric patients, reflecting a profound sense of responsibility towards the well-being of the younger population.

A trailblazer in the domain of interventional radiology, Professor Dubois has been a pioneer for women in the field, breaking barriers and serving as an inspiring role model for aspiring female radiologists. Her mentoring efforts, spanning over 25 years, have cultivated the talents of numerous students, instilling in them not only technical proficiency but also the values of dedication and perseverance.

In addition to her professional accomplishments, Professor Dubois leads a fulfilling personal life as a devoted mother of two children and a supportive spouse. Her ability to balance the demands of a successful career with her responsibilities as a parent and partner is truly commendable, reflecting her exceptional organizational skills and capacity to excel in multiple domains.

Professor Dubois is characterized by her determination, hard work, and unwavering dedication to her students, colleagues, and patients. Her availability and willingness to contribute to the advancement of medical knowledge are traits that have consistently set her apart as a leader in the field.

GUEST SPEAKERS



DR. ALDA TAM
MD, MBA, FRCPC, FSIR, FACR

Alda Tam is a tenured Professor in the Department of Interventional Radiology at the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center. She received a BSc with Honors from Brown University and her MD from the University of British Columbia. She completed a diagnostic radiology residency at the University of Southern California, MBA at the University of California Irvine, and a fellowship in Vascular and Interventional Radiology at the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center. She is an active interventional oncologist with involvement in both translational research and clinical trials. Her clinical interests include the treatment of bone and lung metastases, minimally invasive palliative therapies, and optimizing biopsy yield for clinical trials. Her translational research interests include

exploring novel ablative technologies in combination with nanotechnology for the treatment of bone metastases and studying the synergies of using interventional radiology techniques in conjunction with immunotherapy. She serves as the Executive Director of Diagnostic Imaging for the MDA Anderson Cancer Network. Dr. Tam is a Fellow of the American College of Radiology, a Fellow of the Society of Interventional Radiology (SIR) and the current President of SIR.



DR. JULIEN GARNON

Pr Julien GARNON is an interventional radiologist at the university hospital of Strasbourg, France. He is specialised in interventional oncology, especially in thermal ablation procedures and bone stabilization interventions. He has contributed to several publications in the field and presents on a regular basis in international conferences.



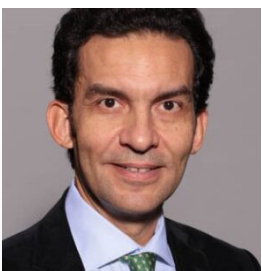
DR. SARA GRAY
BSc MD FRCPC MPH, Emergency Medicine & Critical Care Physician,
ICF Certified Coach, Public Speaker

Sara Gray, MD, is an Emergency Medicine and Critical Care Physician at Cleveland Clinic Canada. Dr. Gray obtained her Doctor of Medicine from the University of Western Ontario, before going on to complete Fellowships in both Emergency Medicine and Critical Care Medicine through the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. A strong interest in public health and policy led her to complete a Masters of Public Health, Patient Safety and Quality of Care at the Yale University School of Public Health and Epidemiology.

Actively involved in the educational field, Dr. Gray holds numerous roles including Associate Professor in the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Toronto, Examiner for the Emergency Medicine Examination Board at the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, and Adjunct Scientist at the Li Ka Shing Knowledge Institute at St. Michael's Hospital. She has a strong interest in team performance, resuscitation science and wellness.

Dr. Gray is a member of the International Coaching Federation and holds certification as an Accredited Certified Coach. A dedicated researcher, her work has been published in over 25 peer-reviewed medical journals, including the Journal of Intensive Care Medicine, the Canadian Journal of Emergency Medicine, the Best Evidence in Emergency Medicine, the Canadian Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology and the Scandinavian Journal of Trauma, Resuscitation and Emergency Medicine.

When she's not treating patients, Dr. Gray enjoys running, kayaking, camping, reading, dining out with friends and doing puzzles.



DR. JEAN-PIERRE PELAGE
MD, PhD

Biography to come.

SPEAKERS

Dr. Robert Abraham, MD, FSIR, FCIRSE, FRCPC

- Clinical Professor

Dr. Andrew Benko, MD, FRCPC

Dr. Laurent Bilodeau, MD

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- Interventional Radiologist Health Sciences Centre

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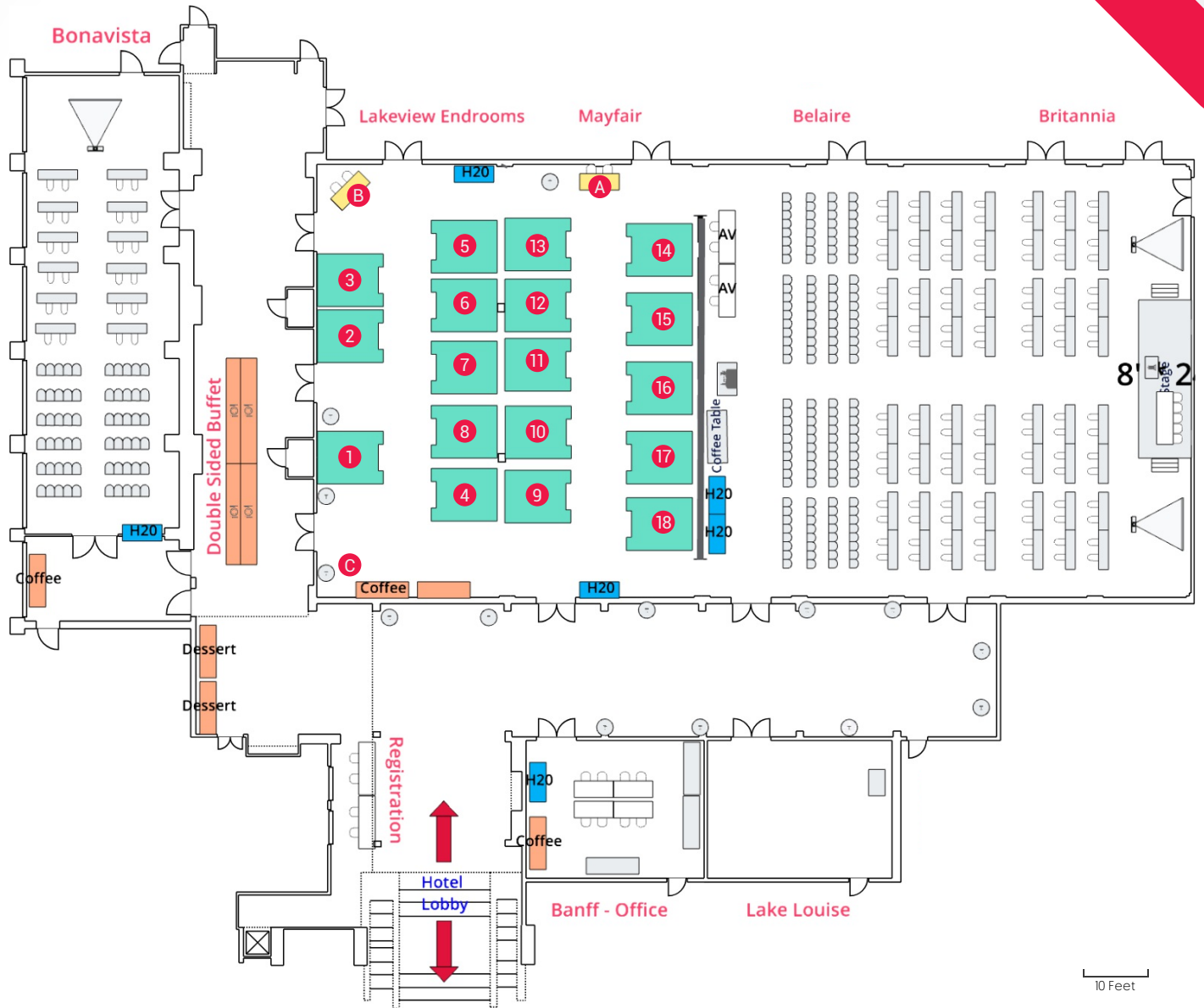
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