



Sheraton Vancouver Wall Centre, Vancouver, BC | March 30 mars – April 2 avril

STUDENT POSTER PRESENTATION INSTRUCTIONS

STUDENT POSTER Viewing: Thursday, March 31

Posters: SP01 – SP33

Location: Grand Ballroom, Sheraton Vancouver Wall Centre

Viewing Times THURSDAY MARCH 31:

- Lunch 12:15 pm to 2:00 pm
- **Afternoon Break 3:45 – 5:00**
 - **STUDENT POSTER PRESENTERS (SP) MUST BE AT THEIR POSTERS TO ANSWERS QUESTIONS!**
- Welcome Reception 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Poster Set-Up Time for THURSDAY MARCH 31:

- Wednesday March 30 between 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm
- Thursday March 31 between 7:00 am – 11:15 am
 - Please go to the registration desk so you gain entry to the exhibit hall

Poster Removal Time:

- Thursday March 31 following the Welcome Reception and Stand Up Dinner between 8:30pm - 9:00pm

*** Should you require assistance onsite, please go to the Registration Desk.**

GENERAL INFORMATION

- **Poster Boards are 4ft high/tall x 8ft wide.**
- **A good poster size is 3ft high/tall x 6ft wide.**
- **Velcro (male side) and pin friendly.**

All presenting authors you **MUST** be registered for the annual conference, no later than **Monday February 15, 2016**. If registration is not complete by this date, the abstract will be REMOVED and will NOT be published.

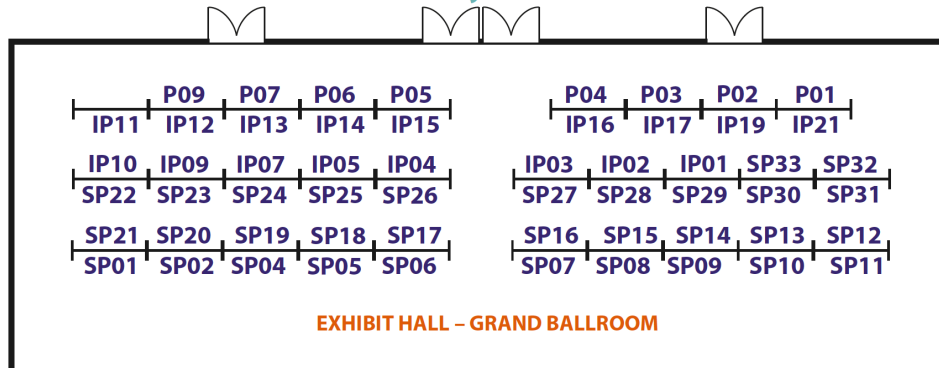
STUDENT POSTER Presenters must fill in and submit to (info@ammi.ca) the Student/Technologist/Trainee Award Competition Form, by Monday, February 15, 2016. [FORM](#)



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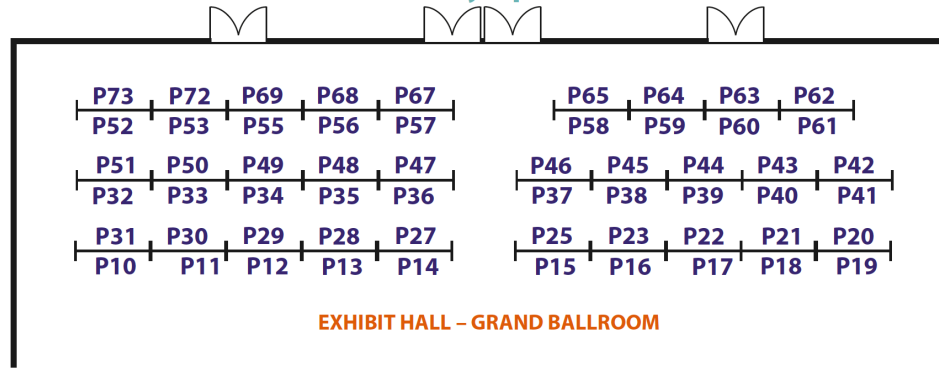
FLOOR PLAN

Thursday March 31



Student Poster Presentations (SP01 – SP33)
Incubator Poster Presentations (IP01 – IP22)
Poster Presentations (P01 – P09)

Friday April 1



Poster Presentations (P10 – P73)



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Serial No.	Prog no.	Presentation Date	Presentation Type	Presenter First Name	Presenter Last Name	Abstract Title
112	SP01	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Alon	Vaisman	Infectious Diseases Consultation at Academic Tertiary Centres in Toronto, Ontario
38	SP02	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Adam	Comerford	Enterovirus as an Emerging Respiratory Pathogen: the NL Paediatric Experience
	SP03		WITHDRAWN			
41	SP04	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Fatimah	Al Mutawa	Detection of <i>Group B Streptococci</i> (GBS) by Isothermal Amplification: An Affordable, and Rapid Point-of-Care Alternative to Expensive Commercial Molecular Diagnostic Tests
42	SP05	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Nathan	Zelyas	Verification of the Alere™ i Influenza A & B Test for the Rapid Detection of Influenza A/B from Nasopharyngeal Swabs and Aspirates
45	SP06	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Carol	Fenton	12 weeks of Sofosbuvir-Ledapasvir versus Sofosbuvir-Ledapasvir-Ribavirin in Chronic Hepatitis C, genotype 1: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis
46	SP07	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Lakshman	Vasanthamohan	A Case of Subacute Native-Valve Infective Endocarditis Caused by <i>Cardiobacterium hominis</i>
48	SP08	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Sarah	Van Gaalen	Characteristics of Pneumonia Admissions in HIV Positive Individuals: A Single Centre 10 Year Cross-sectional Retrospective Analysis
49	SP09	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Jessica	St. Pierre	First Reported Human Case of <i>Cryptococcus gattii</i> Meningoencephalitis with Local Acquisition in Eastern Canada
51	SP10	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Chelsey	Ellis	Frequency and Types of Positive Blood Culture Gram Stain Interpretation Errors – Association with Technologists' Experience



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56	SP11	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Trong Tien	Nguyen	In Vitro Susceptibility to Fosfomycin of <i>Escherichia coli</i> and <i>Enterococcus</i> Urinary Isolates from a Canadian Tertiary Care Hospital
57	SP12	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Michelle	Coombe	Binoculars to Bird Flu: Using Citizen Science to Study the Ecology of Avian Influenza in Wild Waterfowl
65	SP13	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Diana	Whellams	Group B Streptococcal Sternoclavicular Septic Arthritis and Soft Tissue Infection: A Case Report and Literature Review
81	SP14	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Hannah	Kraicer-Melamed	The Indirect Effects of Childhood Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV) Programs on Invasive Pneumococcal Disease (IPD) and Community Acquired Pneumonia (CAP) in Adults: A Systematic Review
82	SP15	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Jianbo	Zhang	The α -Hemolysin (Hla) Gene Knockout (KO) in MRSA USA300 Alters the Local Host Cytokine/Chemokine Profile to Levels Induced by MRSA Non-Dermonecrosis Strains in a Murine Dermal Necrosis Model
84	SP16	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Justin	Chen	Determination of the Volume of Distribution for Pyrazinamide and Ethambutol using Serum Drug Levels in the Treatment of <i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i>
93	SP17	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Brian	Whiteside	Close Encounters: Using Sociometric Devices to Map and Measure Network Interactions and Bacteria in a Pediatric Emergency Department
97	SP18	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Nancy	Matic	Hidden Resistance: Treatment Implications of a Possible Inducible Beta-Lactamase in <i>Pantoea agglomerans</i>



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106	SP19	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Yuhao	Shi	Incidence and Risk Factors of Infection Following Transcatheter Aortic Valve Implantation (TAVI)
117	SP20	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Gannon	Yu	Fatal Case of <i>Aspergillus fumigatus</i> Empyema Necessitans in a Patient with Cystic Fibrosis Post Double-Lung Transplant – a Case Report and Review of Literature
148	SP21	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Bandar	Albaradi	Microbiology Laboratory Technologist Clinical Review Program
149	SP22	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Jessica	Keen	The Utility of BACTEC MYCO/F and BacT/ALERT MB Fungal Blood Culture Bottles for the Detection of Invasive Fungal Infections: A 5-year Review at the McGill University Health Centre (MUHC) in Montréal, QC
199	SP23	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Shazia	Masud	Direct Cefoxitin Disk Diffusion Testing from Blood Cultures with Gram Positive Cocci in Clusters for Rapid Identification of Methicillin Susceptibility for <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
200	SP24	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Christopher	Chiang	Exploiting Peptide Mimetics as Novel Therapeutics for Respiratory Syncytial Virus
39	SP25	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Vanessa	Meier-Stephenson	Developing a Dengue Antiviral Drug via Computational-Aided Screening
104	SP26	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Ana	Cabrera	Does Molecular Testing for Influenza and <i>Clostridium difficile</i> toxin B Improve Patient Flow in the Emergency Department (ED)?
110	SP27	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Ashlesha	Sonpar	A Simple Educational Intervention Aimed at Junior Residents During a General Internal Medicine Rotation improves Hand Hygiene Compliance



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111	SP28	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Inna	Sekirov	Review of Human Parechovirus (HPeV)-Associated Central Nervous System (CNS) Infections in Infants Admitted to a Canadian Pediatric Tertiary Hospital
74	SP29	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Lynne	Li	Central Line Association Bloodstream Infections in Québec Intensive Care Units: Results from the Provincial Healthcare-Associated Infections Surveillance Program (SPIN)
30	SP30	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Roshan	Priyantha	A Study of Clinical <i>Staphylococcus pseudintermedius</i> Isolated from 24 Patients
87	SP31	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Mark	Elliott	Multiple Cerebral Abscesses in an Immunocompromised Patient
90	SP32	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Richard	Medford	SMARTenAPP: The Development of a Web-Based Application as an Antimicrobial Stewardship Intervention: A Pilot Project
202	SP33	Thurs March 31	Student Poster	Nancy	Nashid	Evaluation of the Matrix-Assisted Laser Desorption Ionization- Time of Flight Mass Spectrometry (MALDI-TOF MS) for the Identification of Cystic Fibrosis Pathogens