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DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE

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'It's leadership not administration'

As I prepare to step down from the UHN/MSH Endocrinology Division Head position after 11 years, I would like to share some thoughts about academic leadership. The following will be of particular interest to those who have recently assumed leadership positions in the Division, those who are about to do so and those who are considering doing so in the foreseeable future.

When I was appointed Division Head in 2001 I was in no way prepared for the task, did not particularly value the academic leadership role and I was concerned that the demands of the job would intrude on my main interest at the time (i.e. research). I believe that my situation reflects that of many others who assume academic leadership roles, for which a fair amount of arm twisting may be necessary before they finally agree to consider a leadership role. All of that changed within a short period of assuming the Division Head position, which I have found to be highly enjoyable, extremely rewarding and much less of an intrusion on my time than I had originally feared. By far the most rewarding part of the job is the human relationship aspect, the small positive difference one can make in guiding the career choice of a trainee, recruiting and supporting the career of new faculty, assisting mid-career faculty members with challenges they face and guiding those at the latter stage of their career towards a wind down of their activities and eventual retirement. I don't count my successes by the number of grants, publications, teaching awards, promotions, recognitions or size of the division. Rather I feel that success is best reflected by the level of work satisfaction that division members and associated allied health professionals and administrative staff experience, the high morale and collegiality that is evident in the division and the difficult-to-measure feeling of being valued and part of a highly successful, highly accomplished academic enterprise. The other more objective measures of success mentioned above naturally follow, as has been the case for our division.

Some words of advice for those considering leadership roles or assuming those roles, many of these lessons learned from my own mistakes rather than from successes:

1. Delegation is essential, particularly for activities for which others in the division have greater knowledge or skill. But delegating does not equal disinvestment; one needs to continue to take an active interest in the activity, monitor its success and assume ultimate responsibility. An ineffective or poorly functioning delegate is very problematic for a leader, much worse than no delegate at all.
2. Social events are a very useful tool to meld a diverse group of people into a tight knit, highly functional team. Meeting colleagues and their partner/spouse in a relaxed atmosphere outside the work environment can be an invaluable experience. It is a particularly effective tool in promoting collaborations between professionals of diverse backgrounds, such as PhD research scientists and clinicians.

3. Be rapidly responsive to division members' concerns and requests, even if they are not of great concern to you or appear trivial. It's your job to represent the interests of division members.
4. One of my biggest mistakes early on was to regard my boundaries of activity as those strictly defined by the hospital division for which I was responsible (ie UHN/MSH), paying scant regard to the greater university-wide division or department. U of T is a large, complex environment and every group exists within a larger group and is co-dependent on that larger ecosystem.
5. Be visible in the hospital administrative environment – if you (ie your division) are not at the table, particularly when it comes to allocation of hospital resources, your division will lose out.

Overall my experience as hospital division head has been a lot of fun, much more fun than tears, and I am indebted to my wonderful colleagues for making the experience so enjoyable and in whose glory I bask. One of the best aspects of leadership is that one can truly enjoy the success of colleagues, and there has been no shortage of brilliant accomplishments by my division members. I wish the incoming Division Head, Minna Woo, every success as she prepares to take over next January. I look forward to Minna's fresh ideas, energy and vision.

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Gary Lewis
Director, Division of Endocrinology, U of T

OTHER DIVISIONAL NEWS

Congratulations to Dr. Richard Gilbert who was appointed Head of the Division of Endocrinology at St. Michael's Hospital and to Dr. Minna Woo who was appointed Head of the Division of Endocrinology at University Health Network/Mount Sinai Hospitals

Osteoporosis Program – Director, Angela Cheung

Angela M. Cheung, MD, PhD, FRCPC, CCD
Staff General Internist,
Lillian Love Chair in Women's Health,
Director, Osteoporosis Program,
Director, Centre of Excellence in Skeletal Health Assessment,
University of Toronto / University Health Network / Toronto Rehabilitation Institute / Mount Sinai Hospital

The Osteoporosis Program at University Health Network and Mount Sinai Hospital was established in 1998 as an inter-divisional program in the Department of Medicine. Currently, we have 8 clinical faculty: Drs. Rowena Ridout (*Endo*), Heather McDonald-Blumer (*Rheum*), Lianne Tile (*GIM*), Shabbir Alibhai (*Geriatrics*), Moira Kapral (*GIM*), Savannah Cardew (*GIM*), Natasha Gakhal (*Rheum*) and myself. We work together to deliver high-quality specialized care to patients with osteoporosis and metabolic bone diseases, to conduct timely research on hot topics in bone health, and to educate medical trainees, specialists, family physicians and allied health professionals. In 2009, we joined forces with Medical Imaging to form the University of Toronto Centre of Excellence in Skeletal Health Assessment (CESHA), which is the umbrella organization for the bone density laboratories at Toronto General Hospital, Toronto Western Hospital, Princess Margaret Hospital, Mount Sinai Hospital, and more recently, Lyndhurst Hospital. The goal is to provide state-of-the-art diagnostic tests for bone strength, muscle density and body composition. In addition to top of the line densitometers, we currently have the Xtreme CT, a low-radiation high-resolution peripheral quantitative computed tomography (HRpQCT) system which can examine bone structure, as well as volumetric bone density, non-invasively. Led by Dr. Ridout, we offer weekly educational rounds for residents and trainees on the endocrine rotation. We also run annual educational outreach to hospital staff during Osteoporosis Month every November and annual CESHA educational

evenings for referring physicians every January, and bimonthly Toronto City-wide Osteoporosis Rounds (in collaboration with St. Michael's Hospital, Women's College Hospital and Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre). This past June, we ran a successful International Society of Clinical Densitometry (ISCD) certification course for both physicians and technologists in conjunction with the International Society of Radiographers and Radiological Technologists (ISRRT) meeting in Toronto.

Our group has produced more than 20 peer-reviewed publications this past year, and has also played a key role in setting the 2010 Osteoporosis Canada guidelines, the 2012 Canadian Association of Radiologists guidelines, and the 2010 and 2012 American Society of Bone and Mineral Research (ASBMR) Task for atypical femur fractures recommendations. We have also produced an Osteoporosis Exercise Guide, a validated Calcium Assessment Tool and other patient and trainee education materials (see our website).

Our faculty serve as consultants (Ridout, McDonald-Blumer, Tile) and chair (Cheung) on the Scientific Advisory Council of Osteoporosis Canada. Several have won University of Toronto awards this past year, including the Dr. Robert Volpe Undergraduate Education Award in Endocrinology and Metabolism (Ridout), the Department of Medicine Teaching Award (McDonald-Blumer), and the Institute of Health Policy, Management and Evaluation Eugenie Stuart Mentorship Award (Cheung). Dr. Cheung also won the 2012 Dr. David Sackett Lecture/Senior Investigator Award from the Canadian Society of Internal Medicine.

For more information about the Osteoporosis Program and CESHA, please go to:
http://www.uhn.ca/About_UHN/programs/osteo/index.asp
<http://cesha.ca>
 or email: angela.cheung@uhn.ca.

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HONORS AND AWARDS IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS (SINCE SPRING NEWSLETTER)

Congratulations to the following

Passed their Department of Medicine 3-year review:

Rene Wong
 Jeremy Gilbert
 Sandra Kim

Promoted to Associate Professor:

Anna Sawka
 Ravi Retnakaran

Honors and Awards

Gary Lewis, Bernie Zinman and George Fantus – Elected Fellows of the Canadian Association of Health Sciences (CAHS)

Mladen Vranic, Bernie Zinman and Paul Walfish – recipients of the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal for significant achievement and remarkable service. This award was created to mark the 60th Anniversary of her majesty's accession to the throne.

Tony Lam – Recipient of the Endocrine Society 2013 Laureate Richard E. Weitzman Memorial Award. This award is given to an exceptionally promising young clinical or basic investigator who has not reached the age of 43 by December 31 of the year in which the award is presented. The award is based on the contributions and achievements of the nominee's own independent scholarship performed after completion of formal training and on the recipient's entire body of work, rather than a single work.

Sophie Jamal – Recipient of the 2012 CSEM Young Investigator Award! The CSEM Young Investigator Award is awarded to an individual who has been a faculty member at a Canadian university for less than 10 years and has demonstrated excellence as an independent investigator. Sophie will present a lecture at the Annual CDA/CSEM meeting which will be held in Vancouver this year from Oct 10-13, 2012. Her talk is scheduled for October 13, 2012

Angela Cheung – Recipient of the 2012 Canadian Society of Internal Medicine Dr. David Sackett Senior Investigator Award, for her research in Osteoporosis. The award recognizes excellence in research by a senior Canadian general internist and will be presented in October at the CSIM annual meeting where Angela will deliver a lecture.

Dan Drucker elected to the Royal Society of Canada

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Personnel Grants

Lorraine Lipscombe – CIHR Investigator Award

Teaching Awards:

Rosario Briones - recipient of the 2011 U of T Division of Endocrinology Robert Volpe Award that 'recognizes excellence in teaching, educational leadership and educational administration at the Undergraduate level of members of the Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism at the University of Toronto.'

Rene Wong – recipient of the 2011 U of T Division of Endocrinology George From postgraduate teaching Award which 'recognize teachers in the division of endocrinology who are outstanding based on their *teaching effectiveness and role modeling of ALL the competencies of the specialist physician as outlined in the CANMEDS document.*'

RESEARCH GRANTS

CIHR Operating Grants

BRUBAKER, Patricia L	University of Toronto	Operating Grant	201203E	Interactions between glucagon-like peptide-2 and intestinal insulin-like growth factor-1 signalling in the regulation of intestinal growth and function Details...	\$570,983	\$0	4 yrs 0 mth
DRUCKER, Daniel J	Mount Sinai Hospital (Toronto)	Operating Grant	201203DOL	Enterendoctrine control of nutrient assimilation Details...	\$809,625	\$0	5 yrs 0 mth
FEIG, Denice S	Mount Sinai Hospital (Toronto)	Operating Grant	201203CIA	MiTy Kids (Metformin in Women with Type 2 Diabetes in Pregnancy Kids Trial) Details...	\$1,299,072	\$0	6 yrs 0 mth
LIPSCOMBE, Lorraine	Women's College Hospital (Toronto)	Operating Grant	201203HS2	The Influence of Diabetes on Cancer Screening and Prognosis Details...	\$215,140	\$0	3 yrs 0 mth
NG, Dominic S	St. Michael's Hospital (Toronto)	Operating Grant	201203DOL	The role of cholesterol in the modulation of ER stress and diabetogenesis Details...	\$330,059	\$0	3 yrs 0 mth
RETNAKARAN, Ravi R	Mount Sinai Hospital (Toronto)	Operating Grant	201203DOL	Postpartum Progression to Type 2 Diabetes in Women with Recent Glucose Intolerance in Pregnancy: Pathophysiology,	\$685,470	\$0	5 yrs 0 mth

Canadian Diabetes Association

Award recipient: Wheeler, Michael B., Dr.

Title of research project: Identification of novel biomarkers in the development of type 2 diabetes

Institution: University of Toronto

Province: Ontario

Duration of funding: 2012-2015

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CDA/CSEM - The 15th annual SCEM/CDA professional Conference and Annual Meeting will take place on October 10–13, 2012

<http://www.diabetes.ca/for-professionals/conference/2012-conference/>

EASD - 48th Annual Meeting September 30th – October 5th, 2012 – Berlin Germany

<http://www.easd2012.com/>

CLC - www.lipoprotein.ca/

CCS - http://www.cardiocongress.org/english/home_EN.html

DIVISION MEMBER PROFILE

Adam Millar was born and raised in Toronto, before embarking on his Eastern Ontario tour that took him to Queen's University for his undergraduate studies and then The University of Ottawa for medical school before returning to Toronto for his Internal Medicine and Endocrinology training.

Adam has recently completed a Master of Science in Community Health degree at the Dalla Lana School of Public Health, with a focus on Health Practitioner Teacher Education. He has split his last year between practicing endocrinology at Mount Sinai and Toronto General Hospitals, and carrying out electives in andrology (men's health) at different academic centres across North America. Adam has recently started in his role as a Clinician Teacher and Assistant Professor, and he is excited to share his knowledge of andrology and general endocrinology with medical trainees of all levels. His long-term goal is to help establish a multidisciplinary men's health clinic at Mount Sinai Hospital in collaboration with the Division of Urology. It is his hope that this clinic will benefit the patients who attend, and the trainees who participate in, this exciting and unique initiative.

He dedicates his andrology clinics towards management of conditions such as male hypogonadism, Klinefelter's Syndrome, sexual dysfunction and male fertility. Adam considers himself an expert in male fertility, having successfully fathered one child, with a second mini-Millar on the way in the new year!

As a Clinician Teacher, Adam is involved in teaching at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels. He teaches ASCM-1, and will be involved in teaching lectures and participating as a seminar leader for the Year 1 Metabolism and Nutrition (MNU) block. He presently teaches postgraduate trainees dynamic endocrine testing techniques in the endocrine test centre at Toronto General Hospital, and has trainees participate in his andrology clinics and general

endocrinology clinics. He is also involved in the planning and teaching of the endocrine section of the PGY2 Internal Medicine Academic Half Days. Outside of the hospital, Adam enjoys flag football, photography and swimming with his daughter Avery. He enjoys travelling with his wife Shauna, but admits that with two young children in his future his travels may be limited to short-haul flights!



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JOURNAL ARTICLES

Publications of Primary appointees. April 1st 2012 to Sept 15th 2012

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[DPP-4 inhibition attenuates cardiac dysfunction and adverse remodelling following myocardial infarction in rats with experimental diabetes.](#)

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J Clin Endocrinol Metab. 2012 Sep 4. [Epub ahead of print]

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Diabet Med. 2012 Aug 31. doi: 10.1111/dme.12004. [Epub ahead of print]

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