

Canadian Cardiac Oncology Network Symposium

November 20-21, 2025 | In-person event

Vantage Venues | Toronto, Ontario

Join leading experts at the **Canadian Cardiac Oncology Network Symposium**, a fully accredited event focused on the latest evidence, clinical guidelines, and multidisciplinary strategies for managing cardiac complications of cancer treatment.

Designed for oncologists, cardiologists, and healthcare professionals involved in cancer care, this symposium will deliver up-to-date insights on prevention, monitoring, and treatment in cardio-oncology.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Gain a better understanding of cardiac complications of oncology treatments.
2. Develop early detection and intervention strategies to optimize cardiac health.
3. Optimize patient outcomes by collaborating with allied healthcare professionals.

Registration

Physicians

2025 Rates (CAD)

\$249

Nurses/Pharmacists/
Allied Healthcare Providers/
Residents/Trainees

\$169

Residents, Students & Fellows

\$99

REGISTER

Conference Chairs



**Dr. Dinesh
Thavendiranathan**
MD, SM



**Dr. Christine
Brezden-Masley**
MD, PhD, FRCPC

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Thursday, November 20, 2025

11:30 AM - 12:00 PM **REGISTRATION & LUNCH (PROVIDED)**

12:00 PM - 12:10 PM **CCON Welcome & Introduction by Conference Chairs** Dr. Dinesh Thavendiranathan & Dr. Christine Brezden-Masley

12:10 PM - 12:55 PM **Lunch Symposium:**

SESSION 1

12:55 PM - 1:10 PM **Patient Voice**

1:10 PM - 1:35 PM **Past, Present and Future of Cardio Oncology - Where Were We and Where are We Going?** Dr. Dinesh Thavendiranathan

1:35 PM - 1:45 PM **Panel Q&A**

1:45 PM - 2:05 PM **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

SESSION 2: CANADIAN CARDIO-ONCOLOGY PROGRAMS

2:05 PM - 2:15 PM **A Pharmacist's Perspective** Dr. Sheri Koshman

2:15 PM - 2:25 PM **A Nurse's Perspective**

2:25 PM - 2:35 PM **A Clinician's Perspective** Dr. Som Mukherjee

2:35 PM - 2:50 PM **How to Build a Cardio Oncology Program at Your Institution**

2:50 PM - 3:00 PM **Panel Q&A**

3:00 PM - 3:15 PM **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

SESSION 3: FOCUS ON CANADIAN CARDIO-ONCOLOGY RESEARCH

3:15 PM - 3:30 PM **Population Based and Cohort Studies Impacting Clinical Care** Dr. Husam Abdel Qadir

3:30 PM - 3:45 PM **Randomized Controlled Trials** Dr. Darryl Leong

3:45 PM - 4:00 PM **Cardiovascular Trials in Oncology - How Do We Do Better?**

4:00 PM - 4:10 PM **Panel Q&A**

SESSION 4: CLINICAL CASE CHALLENGES

4:10 PM - 4:25 PM **Anticoagulation Management in Hematological Malignancies**

4:25 PM - 4:40 PM **Mild LV Dysfunction During Cancer Therapy**

4:40 PM - 4:55 PM **5-FU / Capecitabine - Rechallenging after Toxicity** Dr. Amna Zafar

4:55 PM - 5:05 PM **Panel Q&A**

5:05 PM - 6:05 PM **OPENING RECEPTION WINE & LIGHT APPETIZERS**

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7:30 AM - 8:00 AM **BREAKFAST BUFFET (PROVIDED) AND NETWORKING**

8:00 AM - 8:15 AM **Opening Remarks & Day 1 Overview** Dr. Dinesh Thavendiranathan & Dr. Christine Brezden-Masley

8:15 AM - 9:00 AM **Breakfast Symposium:**

SESSION 5: RISK ASSESSMENT PREVENTION

9:00 AM - 9:15 AM **Cardiovascular Toxicity Risk Assessment - What Tools Do We Have? Are they Sufficient?**
Dr. Isabelle Sénéchal-Dumais

9:15 AM - 9:30 AM **Is There a Role of Cardiovascular Biomarkers in Toxicity Surveillance - What Cancer Therapies, Which Biomarkers, What Frequency?**

9:30 AM - 9:45 AM **Do We Have Effective Primary Prevention Against Cardiovascular Disease - Cancer Therapy Choices? Exercise? Cardiovascular Drugs?**

9:45 AM - 10:00 AM **Feasibility of Current Guidelines and Techniques** Dr. Michael Luong

10:00 AM - 10:10 AM **Panel Q & A**

10:10 AM - 10:30 AM **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

SESSION 6: BREAST CANCER

10:30 AM - 10:45 AM **Breast Cancer Therapies and Cardiotoxicity** Dr. Michelle Nadler

10:45 AM - 11:00 AM **Exercise/Cardiac Rehab in Cardio Oncology**

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM **Debate: There Is an Ongoing Role for Imaging Surveillance and Biomarkers in Asymptomatic Patients?**

11:30 AM - 11:40 AM **Panel Q&A**

11:40 AM - 12:10 PM **LUNCH BREAK**

12:10 PM - 12:55 PM **Lunch Symposium**

SESSION 7: SOLID TUMOURS

12:55 PM - 1:10 PM **Prostate Cancer - Cardiovascular Considerations and Mitigation Strategies**
Dr. Darryl Leong

1:10 PM - 1:25 PM **Lung Cancer - Are Cardiovascular Toxicities Underrecognized?**

1:25 PM - 1:40 PM **GI Malignancies - A Great Example of Multimodality Therapy and Cardiovascular Complications** Dr. Christine Brezden-Masley

1:40 PM - 1:50 PM **Panel Q&A**

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SESSION 8: HEMATOLOGICAL MALIGNANCIES

- 1:50 PM - 2:05 PM **Contemporary Knowledge and Updates in AL Amyloidosis**
- 2:05 PM - 2:20 PM **Hematological Malignancies and CV Disease - Who's at Risk? Who Should be Referred?**
- 2:20 PM - 2:35 PM **Stem Cell Transplant**
- 2:35 PM - 2:45 PM **Panel Q&A**
- 2:45 PM - 3:05 PM **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

SESSION 9: IMMUNO-ONCOLOGY (CASE FOCUSED)

- 3:05 PM - 3:20 PM **Early and Late Cardiovascular Toxicities with Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors**
- 3:20 PM - 3:35 PM **Case 1 - Myocarditis** Dr. Parneet Cheema
- 3:35 PM - 3:50 PM **Case 2 - Myasthenia** Dr. Negareh Mousavi
- 3:50 PM - 4:00 PM **Panel Q&A**

SESSION 10: SURVIVORSHIP

- 4:00 PM - 4:15 PM **Pediatric Cancer Survivors: Who to Follow? How Frequently? What Testing? When Can I Discharge? Include Radiation**
- 4:15 PM - 4:30 PM **Adult Cancer Survivors: Who to Follow? How Frequently? What Testing? When Can I Discharge?**
- 4:30 PM - 4:45 PM **Accelerated Aging in Patients Receiving Breast Cancer Therapy?** Dr. Mark Haykowsky
- 4:45 PM - 4:55 PM **Panel Q&A**
- 4:55 PM - 5:00 PM **Day 2 Closing Remarks** Dr. Dinesh Thavendiranathan & Dr. Christine Brezden-Masley