National New Investigators

Competition Results: 2018/2019

The Personnel Award program of the Heart & Stroke Foundation provides salary support for Canada's best young researchers. These individuals are pursuing research at universities, hospitals and institutes across Canada and abroad.

Arcand, JoAnne (Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Ontario Institute Technology)
*Studies on the implementation of dietary recommendations for hypertension*

Barnett Scholarship
Field, Thalia* (Department of Medicine, University of British Columbia)
*SECRET: Safety of rivaroxaban for CeREbral venous Thrombosis*

Kienesberger, Petra (Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Dalhousie University)
*The role of autotaxin-lysophosphatidic acid signaling in obesity-related heart disease*

Murias, Juan** (Faculty of Kinesiology, University of Calgary)
*Healthy vasculature for successful aging: the optimal prescription of exercise as medicine*

Roifman, Idan*** (Department of Medicine, Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre)
*Harnessing cardiovascular imaging to improve patient outcomes*

Shamy, Michel* (Department of Clinical Epidemiology, Ottawa Hospital Research Institute)
*When are RCTs necessary and ethical in stroke research*

Singh, Krishna, K. (Department of Medical Biophysics, University of Western Ontario)
*Novel mechanisms in cardiac fibrosis and heart failure*

Steinback, Craig* & ** (Faculty of Physical Education and Recreation, University of Alberta)
*Neural control of blood pressure in healthy and complex pregnancies*

McDonald Scholarship
Sutendra, Gopinath** (Department of Medicine, University of Alberta)
*Metabolic modulation as a novel therapy for chemotherapy-induced cardiotoxicity*

* Joint title National New Investigator and Improving Heart and Brain Health for Women: Seed/Catalyst Grant recipient
** Joint title National New Investigator and Alberta New Investigator
*** Joint title National New Investigator and Ontario Clinician Scientist Phase I