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Dr. Garner completed her PhD at King's College London under the supervision of Prof. Frederic Geissmann before moving to Amsterdam to continue her research as a postdoctoral fellow in the lab of Prof. Karin de Visser at the Netherlands Cancer Institute (NKI) studying how mammary tumours change haematopoiesis to drive chronic, systemic inflammation. Dr. Garner joined McGill in August 2024 to start her lab continuing to research and understand how different pro-inflammatory signals change haematopoiesis at a molecular, cellular

and spatial level and how bone marrow education can change the functionality of myeloid cells in the periphery.

TITLE: Breast cancer as a systemic inflammatory disease

TIME: October 8, 2026, 3:00 PM EDT

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HOST: Dr. Heather Melichar, *McGill University*



The Michael Gold Webinar Series has been established by the Canadian Society for Immunology (CSI) to honor a current or past CSI member who has made lasting contributions to the mentoring of early career investigators and postdoctoral scholars transitioning into independent research positions. Dr. Gold is a Professor and former Head of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology at University of British Columbia and the 2013 recipient of the CSI Cinader Award. He is known for his many contributions to the scientific community, including his roles in mentoring trainees of all levels to the top.

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