

The Michael Gold Early Career Investigators Webinar Series Presents

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Dr. Joshua Koenig is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Medicine at McMaster University. His research follows a "Systems-to-mechanism" approach where novel immunology is uncovered using omics tools and the mechanisms that govern this immunology is delineated using fundamental techniques. Dr. Koenig's primary research interest is understanding the persistence of allergic diseases. His group studies how immune memory is established and how this memory is recalled in response to allergen exposure resulting in IgE production and persistent tissue disruption.

TITLE: Type 2 polarized memory B cells hold IgE memory

TIME: April 9, 2026, 3:00 PM EST

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HOST: Dr. Amy Gillgrass, *Dalhousie University*



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