



WELCOME TO THE TEC'S

# Monthly Newsletter

CSI Presents...



Michael Gold Early Career  
Investigators Webinar Series

NOV 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2025  
AT 3:00 PM EST

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TITLE: "TARGETING  
INFLAMMATORY CELL  
DEATH IN PULMONARY  
ARTERIAL  
HYPERTENSION"

**Dr. Neil Goldenberg, MD, PhD, FRCPC**

Staff Anesthesiologist, Dept. of Anesthesia & Pain  
Medicine, The Hospital for Sick Children; Associate  
Professor, Dept. of Anesthesia & Pain Medicine, University  
of Toronto, Toronto, ON

## CSI NEWS

### Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine 2025



III. Niklas Elmhed © Nobel Prize  
Outreach  
Mary E. Brunkow  
Prize share: 1/3



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Frederick J. Ramsdell  
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Shimon Sakaguchi  
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The Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine 2025 was  
awarded jointly to Mary E. Brunkow, Frederick J. Ramsdell  
and Shimon Sakaguchi "for their discoveries concerning  
peripheral immune tolerance"

## CSI MEETING AWARDS



ARE OPEN!!

UPCOMING DEADLINES

**Travel Award Deadline:** Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 2025

**Conference Registration** Opens Nov 24<sup>th</sup> 2025

**Abstract Submission** Deadline: Feb 19<sup>th</sup> 2026

**Early Bird Registration** Deadline: Feb. 26th 2026

*For more information, visit the CSI website!*

**2026**

CANADIAN SOCIETY  
FOR IMMUNOLOGY

SOCIÉTÉ CANADIENNE  
POUR L'IMMUNOLOGIE

38th Annual CSI Conference  
38e congrès annuelle de la SCI

**April 26-29**  
**26-29 avril**

RBC Convention Centre &  
Delta Hotel, Winnipeg, MB

ARE YOU READY?

# HIGHLIGHTED CSI TRAINEE



**NAME:** Diane Malu Tshikudi

**SCHOOL:** University of Manitoba

**PROJECT:** Characterization of the effect of the lack of chromogranin A and pancreastatin inhibition on colonic epithelial barrier integrity and function in male and female mice during colitis.

**FAVOURITE CSI MEMORY:** The presentation sessions and networking events were some of my favorite memories from CSI. These opportunities allowed me to discover innovative, cutting-edge research immunology experts from Canada. Through my participation in CSI, I also had the chance to connect with my peers, discuss my research and experimental strategies, and explore the various beautiful regions of Canada. I enjoyed an intellectually stimulating environment that not only expanded my scientific knowledge but also helped me build a lasting network within the immunology community.

**WHAT IMMUNE CELL IS YOUR FAVOURITE:** My favourite immune cells are erythrocytes (red blood cells).



## MEET THE TEC COMMITTEE

The CSI Trainee Engagement Committee (TEC) is composed of immunology graduate students from across Canada who:

### WHO WE ARE & WHAT WE DO

(1) Engage the broader immunology/ scientific community through monthly newsletters, and LinkedIn/BlueSky updates.

(2) Organize sessions/activities for trainees at the annual CSI meeting to foster meaningful connections in addition to promoting career/skills development



## CONNECT WITH US!

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## SCIENCE MEME CORNER

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