New in Residency

Two new leadership positions have been created, effective July 1, 2016:

**Dr. Robert Biskin** has been appointed Assistant Program Director. Dr. Biskin will be chairing the program’s curriculum and safety committees and represent the program at the psychotherapy committee.

**Dr. Ruben Martins** has been appointed as Fellowship and Mentorship Director; Dr. Martins will be the director of the program’s fellowships and the Heinz Lehmann Mentorship initiative for incoming residents.

CIHR announces chairs of new Institutes Advisory Boards

Dr. Turecki has been appointed chair of the IAB on Research Excellence, Policy and Ethics. To learn more: http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/49766.html

Events

**Wed, May 18 @ 10:00** (Douglas Institute, Perry E3517)

BIC Lecture series: Neuroanatomical Changes after a First Episode of Psychosis: At the Intersection of Structure and Symptoms, Carolina Makowski

**Wed, May 18 @ 17:45-19:00** (Mega-Plex Sphéretech 14, Cinémas Guzzo)

“Conducta” - Jewish General Hospital—Collecte de fonds annuel/ Annual Film Fundraising Event

**Fri, May 20 @ 11:00-12:30** (Allan Memorial Institute, South Seminar Room P.1082)

Grand Rounds: Beyond Estrogen: What else is there to Women’s Mental Health? - Dr. Melissa Pickles

**Tues, May 24 @ 12:00** (Jewish General Hospital, Lady Davis Institute Bloomfield Lecture Hall, F-4)

Lady Davis Institute for Medical Research Distinguished Lecture Series—Revisiting Suicide Risk: Experience, Genomic Plasticity and Psychopathology– Dr. Gustavo Turecki

**Mon, May 30 @ 8:30-21:00** (ICFP Amphitheatre, 4333 Côte Ste-Catherine)

Advanced Study Institute Conference—Psychiatry for a Small Planet: Ecosocial Approaches to Global Mental Health

**May 30 @ 17:30-18:30** (ICFP Amphitheatre, 4333 Côte Ste-Catherine)

Launch of McGill Global Mental Health Program & Award of the Duncan Pedersen Scholarship

In the News

- Resident Dr. Melissa Pickles writes opinion piece for the Toronto Star
  
  Attawapiskat’s woes not easily undone
  
  https://www.thestar.com/opinion/commentary/2016/05/09/attawapiskats-woes-not-easily-undone.html

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