First Annual Symposium in Thoracic Oncology: 
The Multidisciplinary Management of Esophageal Cancer
October 21st, 2017

7:30 am  Registration
8:00 am  Welcome

SESSION I - Early Esophageal Neoplasia

MODERATORS – Serge Mayrand, Gastroenterologist, McGill University and Carmen Mueller, Upper GI Surgeon McGill University

8:05 am  The role of advanced diagnostic imaging and biopsy techniques in Barrett's and early esophageal neoplasia
Dr Kevin Waschke
Gastroenterologist
McGill University

8:20 am  Ablative techniques for Barrett’s Esophagus
Dr Nick Shaheen
Gastroenterologist
University of North Carolina, Carolina

9:00 am  Endoscopic Mucosal Resection for Esophageal Neoplasia – Techniques, Tricks and Pitfalls
Dr Charles Menard
Gastroenterologist
Université de Sherbrooke

9:15 am  Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection for Esophageal Neoplasia - Techniques, Tricks and Pitfalls
Dr Lorenzo Ferri
Thoracic Surgeon
McGill University

9:30 am  Case Presentations and Panel Discussion

10 am  Refreshment Break & Exhibits
## SESSION II - Locally Advanced Esophageal Cancer

**Concurrent Breakout Session**

**Live Patient Demonstration** - Radiofrequency Ablation of Barrett’s Esophagus

Dr Serge Mayrand and Nicholas Shaheen

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<td>Dr Manish Shah, Oncologist, Cornell University, New York</td>
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<td>Dr Wayne Hofstetter, Thoracic Surgeon, MD Anderson Cancer Centre, Houston</td>
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<td>Dr Lorenzo Ferri, Thoracic Surgeon, McGill University</td>
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## SESSION III - Management of Advanced/Complicated Esophageal Cancer

**Moderators** – Jonathan Spicer, Thoracic Surgeon, McGill University and Marie Vanhuyse, Medical Oncologist, McGill University
1:30 pm  **Palliative Chemotherapy – Systemic Cytotoxic**  
Dr Thierry Alcindor  
Oncologist  
*McGill University*

1:45 pm  **Chemotherapy – Biologics and Targeted therapy**  
Dr Manish Shah  
Oncologist  
*Cornell University, New York*

2:00 pm  **Updates in Palliative Radiotherapy for Esophageal Cancer**  
Dr Steven Lin  
Radiation Oncologist  
*MD Anderson Cancer Centre, Houston*

2:15 pm  **Stenting for Esophageal Cancer - Palliation**  
Dr Moishe Liberman  
Thoracic Surgeon  
*Univeristé de Montréal*

2:30 pm  **Treatment of Local/Regional Recurrence post Resection**  
Dr Lorenzo Ferri  
Thoracic Surgeon  
*McGill University*

2:45 pm  **Management of Anastomotic Leaks**  
Dr Wayne Hofstetter  
Thoracic Surgeon  
*MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston*

3 pm  **Case Presentations**

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4:00 pm  *Attendees are welcome to present an abstract of ongoing research or future research ideas*

5 pm  **Closing Remarks**

6 pm  **Cocktails**

7 pm  **Dinner**