



2023



## Joint Conference | Colloque conjoint

Canadian Society for the History of Medicine / Société canadienne d'histoire  
de la médecine

&

Canadian Association for the History of Nursing / Association canadienne pour  
l'histoire du nursing

27-29 May / Mai 2023

York University, Toronto, Ontario

Most sessions held in the Victor Phillip Dahdaleh Building

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18:00-21:00 CSHM Executive Meeting | Réunion de l'exécutif de la SCHM

Saturday, May 27 | Samedi 27 Mai

8:00-8:30 Refreshments | Rafrâichissements (Outside DB 1014)

8:30-9:00 Welcoming Remarks | Mot d'ouverture (DB 1014)

9:00-10:30 Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées

Session 1 Child health and healthcare

DB 1014

*CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: SANDRA HARRISSON (UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA)*

*A History of Anglophone Children and Youth in Flu-time Canada and Newfoundland, 1918-1919*

Charlotte Bennet (University of Auckland)

*Revisiter l'histoire de la médicalisation des naissances au Canada à partir du féminisme du positionnement*

Audrey Bujold, Christine Gervaise, Pierre Pariseau-Leagault (Université du Québec en Outaouais)\*

*Of "Inventions to the Benefit of Mankind": Child Health and Technology in the German Medical Enlightenment*

Felix Rietmann (University of Fribourg)

Session 2 Decolonizing understandings of Indigenous medicine and health

DB 0007

*CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: MAUREEN LUX (BROCK UNIVERSITY)*

*Decolonizing Medical Artifacts: The 'Oblate Collection' from Grand Falls, New Brunswick*

Sarah Jaworski (Ingenium, Canada's Museums of Science and Innovation)

*"Rather Isolated Communities Remote from Medical Aid": Changing Public Health Landscapes in Alberta at Mid-century*

Emily B Kaliel (University of Guelph)\*

*The politics of the history of tuberculosis among Inuit*

Jo Mrozewski (Trent University)\*

Session 3 Epidemics and ideas

DB 1016

*CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: ESYLLT JONES, (UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA)*

*Plagues, Pandemics, Prevention? How historic concepts of health and illness have shaped our response to epidemics*

Abigail Hanson (University of King's College, Halifax)\*

*"What kind of mother are you?": The Influence of 1918 Advertisements on the Relationship Between Women and Medicine*

Emma Martel (University of King's College, Halifax)\*

*The Impact of Public Health and Medical Theory on the Societal Response to the 1889 Russian Flu*

Chris Zajner (Western University)\*

10:30-10:45 Refreshments | Rafraîchissements (Outside DB 1014)

10:45-11:45 CSHM AGM (DB 1014)

11:45-12:30 Lunch Break | Heure du dîner

12:30-14:00 Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées

Session 4 Nursing: education and work

DB 1014 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: TBA

*Nursing's Ideals: Early Baccalaureate Education in New Brunswick*

Erin Spinney (University of New Brunswick)

*A "strike against the sick": A reconnaissance of health care strikes in Canada, 1970-2010*

Peter L Twohig (Saint Mary's University)

*From Montreal to Istanbul: Nurses' Residential Architecture Across Diverse Geographies*

Ugurgul Tunc (Koç University, Turkey)\*

Session 5 Mothering and Medicine

DB 0007 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: MEGAN DAVIES (YORK UNIVERSITY)

*The promise of the infant incubator as a mechanical mother*

Vivien Hamilton (Harvey Mudd College)

*Motherhood and the Unsettled Self in Wilder Penfield's Correspondence with his Mother*

Delia Gavrus (University of Winnipeg)

*Whose Open Arms?: an architectural and feminist approach to the Osler family home in Oxford*

Annmarie Adams (McGill University)

Session 6 Revisioning health systems

DB 1016 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: TBA

*The Expansion of MAiD to Include Mental Illness: Revisiting History*

Ravdip Dahliwal (University of Saskatchewan); Randip Dhaliwal, (University of Calgary); Sandip Dhaliwal (University of Calgary); Manish Paul (Mount Royal University)\*

*De spécialiste à généraliste: Réimaginer la formation infirmière en psychiatrie*

Sandra Harrisson (University of Ottawa)

*The Rise of Patient Navigation in American and Canadian Healthcare: from oncology clinics to community health centers and beyond.*

Fedir Razumenko and Karen Tang (University of Calgary)

14:00-14:15 Refreshments | Rafraîchissements (Outside DB 1014)

14:15-15:45 Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées

Session 7 Medium, Message: Listening to Inuit patients through text, film, and textiles  
DB 1014 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: DARREL MANITOWABI (NORTHERN ONTARIO SCHOOL OF MEDICINE UNIVERSITY)  
*Someday the patients won't come: Inuit letters from hospital in postwar Canada*  
Maureen Lux (Brock University)  
*Inuit letters and film: bringing the archives to life*  
Holly Moore (APTN News)  
*Exploring the Impacts of Tuberculosis Sanatoriums on Inuit Families*  
Augatnaaq Eccles (Carleton University)\*

Session 8 War wounded and care  
DB1016 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: GEOFFREY L HUDSON (NORTHERN ONTARIO SCHOOL OF MEDICINE UNIVERSITY)  
*"Of his wounded men and his shattered flags": Surgeons and Emotions in the Battle of Lundy's Lane, 1814*  
Kaitlyn Carter (Brock University)\*  
*Canadian Nurse Literature of the Great War: Mabel Clint's Our Bit*  
Ross Hebb (University of New Brunswick)  
*Management and Mutterings: Canadian Matrons in the First World War*  
Andrea McKenzie (York University)

15:45-17:15 Paterson lecture

DB 0001 **Ideas, Adaptive Implementation and Smallpox Eradication: Reorienting Notions of Value and Worth in Global Health**  
Sanjoy Bhattacharya (University of Leeds).

17:30-19:00 Associated Medical Services Reception  
Executive Learning Centre, Private Dining Room

19:00- Grad Student Happy Hour(s)

8:30-9:00 Refreshments | Rafrâichissements (Outside DB 1014)

9:00-10:30 Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées

Session 9 Knowledge formation and representation

DB 1014 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: SHELLEY MCKELLAR (WESTERN UNIVERSITY)

*Presenting Psychiatry's Past: A comparative study of two European museums*  
Juliette Bouillon (Utrecht University)\*

*The Album des causes célèbres: How Quebec's Dr. Wilfrid Derome Collected and Photographed body parts*

Jamie Jelinski (University of Toronto)

*A forgotten Farki*

Irving Rosen (Independent Scholar)

Session 10 Reimagining institutions of health

DB 0006 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: TBA

*Institutionalized Internees: Japanese-Canadian Internment, Mental Health, and the BC Provincial Mental Hospital (1942-1949)*

Letitia Johnson (University of Saskatchewan)\*

*"With a View to Prevent Sickness": Settlers, Malaria, and the Healing Potential of Settler Colonial Infrastructure along the Rideau Canal*

Gabrielle McLaren (Concordia University)\*

*Disabled Consumptive: A Case study of first world war veterans in Canada*

Eric Story (Wilfrid Laurier University)\*

Session 11 Reconsidérer et réimaginer les histoires de la santé

DB 1016 CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: HUBERT LAROSE-DUTIL (UNIVERSITÉ D'OTTAWA)

*Une violence envers soi-même : Interpréter les écrits et les rêves d'un étudiant en psychiatrie dans les années 1960*

Isabelle Perreault (Université d'Ottawa)

*Les gestes dans leurs mots : Effets des politiques de santé sur le travail psychiatrique d'infirmières régionales*

Marie LeBel (Université de Hearst)

*Un milieu de vie sous tutelle: Remise en question du cadre médico-nursing à l'Hôpital Rivière-des-Prairies*

Marie-Claude Thifault (Université d'Ottawa)

10:30-11:00 Refreshments | Rafrâichissements (Outside DB 1014)

11:00-12:30 Hannah Lecture | Conférence Hannah

DB 0001 TBA

Lunch Break | Heure du dîner

13:30-15:00 Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées

Session 12 Health Advocacy and Education

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CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: SASHA MULLALLY (UNIVERSITY OF NEW BRUNSWICK)

*Food, Animals, Health and Students at the University of Guelph during the COVID-19 Pandemic*

Catherine Carstairs (University of Guelph)

*“Taking a Historical Turn? History/Policy Dialogue in Public Health”*

Esyllt W. Jones and Ann Jansson (University of Manitoba)

*Activism and Outreach in the Classroom: Teaching History of Madness to Helping Professionals*

Kira A Smith (York University)\*

Session 13 Reimagining Outpost Care in Newfoundland and Labrador

DB 0006

CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: TBA

*“Forget Me Not”: The Grenfell Mission, Children, and the Act of Image-Making in Northern Newfoundland and Labrador, 1903-28*

Heidi Coombs (Memorial University of Newfoundland)

*Patrolling the Medical Margins: The International Grenfell Association Hospital Ship Strathcona III and Rural-Remote Health Care in Labrador, 1960s-1970s*

John R H Matchim (University of New Brunswick)\*

*An Unlikely Alliance: The Newfoundland and Labrador Women’s Institutes, The Newfoundland Status of Women Council, and the Women’s Health Education Project*

Courtney Mrazek (Saint Mary’s University)

Session 14 Experimentation and technology

DB 1016

CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: TBA

*Outstanding Figures in the History of Anesthesiology: Volodymyr Karavaev– The First Surgeon-Narcotisator in Ukraine*

Oleh Loskutov, Markov Yurii, Maruniak Stepan, Druzhyna Oleksandr (National Healthcare University of Ukraine)

*Keeping Track: Diabetic self-monitoring in the 20th century*

Elizabeth Neswald (Brock University)

*Electricity, Needles, Hooks, and Herbs: Treating Blindness in Nineteenth-Century North America*

Joanna L Pearce (York University)\*

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15:00-15:30 Refreshments | Rafrâchissements (Outside DB 1014)

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15:30-17:00 Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées

Session 15 Health and colonialism in Asia

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CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: TBA

*Empire and Opium Addiction: Finding the Voice of Addicts in 19th Century China and Britain*

Brian Gibb (University of Western Ontario)\*

*Decolonial Genetic Histories of Postcolonial India*

Arafaat A. Valiani (University of Oregon)

*An Endemic, its Management and Hurdles: A Socio-Political Study of Plague in United Provinces [India] (1896-1910)*

Swapnil Chaudhary (Indian Institute of Science Education and Research)\*

Session 16 Knowledge, power, and mental health treatment

DB 0006

CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: LETITIA JOHNSON (UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN)

*Queer Parenting Under Study: Psychological Research on the Children of Lesbian Mothers, 1970s-1990s*

Erin Gallagher-Cohoon (Queen's University)\*

*Hysteria's "Descendants" in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders*

Lily Green (Independent Scholar)

*Voices from the Colonial Asylum: Indigenous Psychiatric Patients in late 19th-Century Canada*

Ffion Hughes (University of Oxford)\*

Session 17 Eugenics in twentieth century health care

DB 1016

CHAIR | PRÉSIDENTE: ERIKA DYCK (UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN)

*"Le Certificat Prénuptial": Eugenics and Marriage in Québec, 1941-1945*

Vincent F Auffrey (University of Toronto)\*

*A.1 Youth: Exploring Nationalism, Eugenics, and Puberty in the Interwar Period through Children's Letters to the Western Producer*

Mike Chartier (University of Saskatchewan)\*

*Critically Examining the Histories of Eugenics and On-campus Health Services in Canada*

Ruth Walker, Erna Snelgrove-Clarke, Danielle Macdonald (Queen's University)

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17:30-18:30 Book Launch

Atkinson Building, Room 109 (Harry Crowe Room)

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19:30-21:00 Dinner

Executive Learning Centre, Private Dining Room

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8:00-8:30

Refreshments | Rafrâchissements (Outside DB 1014)

8:30-10:00

Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées

Session 18  
DB 1014

**CSHM/CHA Panel: Framing an Accidental Past in Canadian History**  
*CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: COLIN COATES (YORK UNIVERSITY)*  
*An Accident's Afterlife: Girlhood, Maternalism, and Disability*  
Megan J Davies (York University) Tamara Gene Myers (University of British Columbia)  
*Velo Violence: Narrating Cycling Accidents in Vancouver 1886-1986*  
John Belshaw (Thompson Rivers University)  
*Kitchen Table Surgery: Rural Risk, Accidental Care and Canadian General Practice*  
Sasha Mullally (University of New Brunswick)  
*The Accidental Underground: Death and Injury in Ontario's Mining Industry*  
John Sandlos (Memorial University of Newfoundland)

Session 19  
DB 1016

**Perspectives on institutions and institutionalization**  
*CHAIR | PRÉSIDENT: TBA*  
*African Medical Orderlies and the Evolution of Attendant Care in Ghanaian Hospitals, 1860-1957*  
Lucky Tomdi (Independent scholar)  
*Revisiting and Reimagining Colonial Medicine in the Philippines with the British Invasion of Manila, 1762-1764*  
Arnel E Joven (University of Asia and the Pacific)  
*Exploring the Multigenerational Epigenetic Impact of Residential Schools*  
Wade Paul (Concordia University)\*

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10:00-10:30      **Refreshments | Rafrâchissements (outside DB1014)**

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10:30-12:00

**Concurrent Sessions | Séances simultanées**

Session 20

**Round Table: Nursing Intern/nationalism**

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*CHAIR / PRÉSIDENTE: KATE MCPHERSON (YORK UNIVERSITY)*

Sandria Green-Stewart, Department of History, Memorial University  
Grenfell Campus

Lydia Wytenbroek, Faculty of Nursing, University of British Columbia

Sara Farhan, Department of History, University of Northern British Columbia

Jamie LaPeyre, Nursing Program, California State University Channel Islands

Karen Flynn, Women's Studies Program, University of Illinois Champagne-  
Urbana

Kathryn McPherson, Department of History York University

Session 21

**Documentary Film Screening.**

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*Writing Home*

*Carving Home*

Introduced by producer Holly Moore. See details in "Abstracts" section of  
this program

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12:00-13:00

**Closing remarks**

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**Student Prizes | Prix étudiants**

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See next page for information and location for two post-conference joint sessions with the Canadian Historical Association and the Canadian Society for the History and Philosophy of Science

## Post conference CSHM/CHA session

13:30-15:00

Historians and the COVID-19 Pandemic | Les historien.ne.s et la pandémie de COVID-19

ROOM TBA

CHAIR/ PRÉSIDENT: IAN MILLIGAN

*A Distant Reading of the Saskatchewan COVID-19 Response: How Twitter and Facebook Debates Shaped Public Policy*

Derek Cameron

*Oral Histories of COVID-19 in Saskatoon: History, Housing, and Access to Public Services*

Jim Clifford, Erika Dyck, Nazeem Muhajarine, Erin Matthews, Colleen Christopherson-Cote, Patrick Chassé, and Sarah Karp

*Municipal Crisis Management in the Niagara Region: Using Web Archive Collections to Analyze Municipal Communication in Digital Spaces during COVID19*

Cal Murgu, Tim Ribaric, David Sharron, Duncan Koerber, Fletcher Johnson, Karen Smith

*In the Shadow of COVID: Saskatchewan's accelerating AIDS epidemic as a Health Equity Problem*

Patrick Chassé, James Dixon, Erika Dyck, Nazeem Muhajarine and Jim Clifford

## Post-conference CSHM/CSHPS session

15:30-17:00

Psychology

DB 0016

CHAIR: TBA

*"My dull brain was wrought with things forgotten:" Considering the Origins of Model Psychosis*

Matthew Perkins-McVey,

*Reductionist explanation, psychiatric disorders, and health care policy*

Derek Andrews,

*Situating the Chemical Cure: Chlorpromazine and the Rise of Psychiatry's Neuromolecular Gaze*

Suze Berkhout