



Living with BRCA

5th Biennial Conference on Hereditary Breast and Ovarian Cancer

*For Gene Carriers,
At-Risk Individuals,
and Their Families*

**Wednesday, May 9, 2018
8:00 – 16:00**

Centre Mont-Royal
2200 Mansfield St., Montréal, Québec

Organized by:

**Hereditary
Breast + Ovarian
Cancer Foundation**

In collaboration with:



Program in Cancer Genetics,
McGill University



Living with BRCA

is a one day public conference that provides up-to-date clinical and research information focused on hereditary breast and ovarian cancer.

This unique event, open to the general public, brings together experts in medicine, biology, psychology, and wellness, all of whom are united in one goal: bettering the lives of those living with BRCA and their families and friends.

An opportunity to learn about:

- The most current information about cancer risks, surveillance, and risk reduction options for BRCA1 and BRCA2 carriers;
- Targeted therapy for personalized medicine;
- Body image and sexuality after risk-reducing surgery or cancer;
- Preimplantation genetic diagnosis.

Organizing Committee

Laura Hayes, Chair
McGill University, Montréal, QC

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*Jewish General Hospital,
Montréal, QC, Canada*

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PROGRAMME

7:00 - 8:10 REGISTRATION AND
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:10 - 8:15 **Welcome and Introduction
to the Day's Programme**
Laura Hayes, *Chair,
Organizing Committee*

8:15 - 8:20 **Introduction of Hereditary Breast
and Ovarian Cancer Foundation**
Harley Eisman, *MD, Co-President
of the Foundation*

8:20 - 8:25 **HBOC Movie**

SESSION 1

Chair: *Nora Wong*

8:25 - 8:30 **Introductions**

8:30 - 9:05 **New Advances in
Breast Cancer Treatment**
Mark Robson, *MD, Memorial
Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center,
New York, NY, USA*

9:05 - 9:40 **PARP Inhibitors:
Targeted Therapy for
Personalized Medicine**
Marc Zarenda, *AstraZeneca Canada,
Mississauga, ON, Canada*

9:40 - 9:55 **Question Period**

9:55 - 10:25 **BREAK**

SESSION 2

Chair: *Lynn Macrae*

10:25 - 10:30 **Introductions**

10:30 - 11:05 **Oral Contraceptives and
Hormone Therapy:
The Benefits for Young
BRCA1/2 Carriers**
Jennifer Blake, *MD, The Society of
Obstetricians and Gynaecologists of
Canada, Ottawa, ON, Canada*

11:05 - 11:40 **Current State of Insurance
Practices and Genetic
Discrimination in Canada
Related to Gene Carriers**
Yann Joly, *PhD, McGill University,
Montréal, QC, Canada*

11:40 - 11:55 **Question Period**

11:55 - 13:15 **LUNCH**

SESSION 3

Chair: *Laura Hayes*

13:15 - 13:20 **Introductions**

13:20 - 13:50 **Mates & Dates: Communicating
with Partners and Potential
Partners about Cancer Risk**
Karen Hurley, *PhD, Cleveland Clinic,
Cleveland, OH, USA*

13:50 - 14:20 **Preimplantation Genetic
Diagnosis (PGD):
Options for BRCA 1/2 Carriers**
Michael Alper, *MD, Boston IVF,
Boston, MA, USA*

14:20 - 14:50 **Pregnancy After Oophorectomy:
One Patient's Story**
Karen Harrington, *MD, Montréal,
QC, Canada*

14:50 - 15:05 **Question Period**

15:05 - 15:10 **Closing Remarks**
(and explanation of "Show & Tell"
and "Meet the Experts" activities)
Laura Hayes, *Chair,
Organizing Committee*

15:10 - 16:00 **Choice of
"Show & Tell" Meet and Greet
or "Meet the Experts"**

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REGISTRATION FORM

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Please use one form per registrant

A. Identification *(Please print legibly)*

Please circle one: Prof. • Dr. • Mr. • Ms • Mrs. • Other:

Last Name:

First Name:

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Check here if you **do not** want your e-mail address on the list of participants which may be distributed to participants.

B. Special Needs *(dietary, wheelchair access, etc.)*

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C. Registration & Payment

Early Registration – Before April 6, 2018 **\$95**

Regular Registration – Before May 1, 2018 **\$110**

Late Registration – After May 1, 2018 **\$130**

The registration fee includes access to sessions, lunch, coffee breaks, and the Conference documentation.

** After May 1, 2018, registration will be done on site.*

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