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HIT 3rd Meeting



Health Information Technology Research Group

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Mission Statement

For decades, Canadian healthcare professionals have operated within a challenging, rapidly changing, and fragmented healthcare system. Today, this environment is even more complex as sweeping healthcare reform and market forces transform the way healthcare is delivered and managed. This profound shift is multi directional involving the structure, policies, logistics, ethics and the culture of work. New alliances and unlikely partnerships are beginning to emerge. Belief systems, values, and attitudes are shifting. There are various thought leaders who believe that we going to see a major change in healthcare because of the ongoing AI revolution, the integration of natural intelligence and the need for convergence sciences. The main focus of the HIT is to promote communication and cooperation among core professionals in Biology, Nursing, Medicine, Psychology, Health Sciences, Bioinformatics, Cognitive Sciences, Language and Technology experts along with Computer Science towards enhancing the healthcare system.

Goals and Objectives

- To apply theoretical knowledge and technical skills to drive the improvement of connected healthcare
- Supporting shared decision-making between patients and providers
- Providing personalized self-management tools and resources
- Building social support networks
- Delivering accurate, accessible, and actionable health information
- Facilitating the meaningful use of health IT and the exchange of health information among health care and public health professionals
- Enabling quick and informed responses to health risks and public health emergencies
- Providing new opportunities to connect with culturally diverse and hard-to-reach populations
- Providing sound principles in the design of care programs
- Increasing Internet and mobile access
- Invest in the digital transformation of the healthcare systems

Current Members:

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HIT 1st Workshop

Friday October 12, 2018 9:00AM-1:00PM at Teaching Common

Emerging Technologies and Approaches in Healthcare and Health Sciences

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

As we become more integrated into a global world, technological advances and teaching innovation that are grounded in Science have become crucial. Rapid advancements in medical and health sciences and information technology provide promising resources that require many academic disciplines to work together. Developing new collaborative tools, approaches and defining new methodologies to improve the health of the population, while engaging patients and encouraging them to take accountability for maintaining their own health will play a key role in improving the outcomes and transforming healthcare delivery. The aim of this workshop is to encourage and enable the exchange of information related with the advance and support of Health Science related to these emerging technologies.



Workshop is organized by the Health Information Technology Research Group (HIT)
http://flash.lakeheadu.ca/~mohammed/HIT_RGroup.pdf

Call for Abstracts

Topics

- Quantitative Analytics in Health Sciences
- Health Sciences Apps
- Patient Centered Methods
- Public Health
- Healthcare Design
- IT Health Adds-On

Organizing Committee

- Dr. Carlos Zerpa (Chair)
- Dr. Sabah Mohammed (Co-Chair)
- Dr. Vicki Kristman (Co-Chair)

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Submission Details

Email your abstract to one of the chairs on
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Submission Due Date:
September 30, 2018

THE ABSTRACT FORMAT

The HIT 1st Workshop provide an opportunity to present your research findings related to any of the workshop areas of interest. The presentations slots are 10 minutes, and a written version of your abstract (up to 500 words in MS Word). The expectation is that participants will have read the paper and hence the oral presentation focusses on key findings and then opportunity for discussion. All paper sessions will include a discussant. In your submission for the abstract, please use structured abstract headings (e.g. introduction, methods, results, discussion) for your 200-400 word abstract. If accepted, your abstract will appear as you have submitted it, in the booklet of abstracts.

1st HIT 2018 Workshop



October 12, 2018, Room Li5002, Teaching Common,
Cancellor Paterson Library 9:00AM-1:40PM



12/10/2018 09:50

1st HIT Workshop Program October 12, 2018

- **Dr. Carlos Zerpa (Chair)**
- **Dr. Sabah Mohammed (Co-chair)**
- **Dr. Vicki Kristman (Co-chair)**

1st Health Information Technology Workshop Program

START TIME

9:00 to 9:05

START OF CONFERENCE

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Dr. Jinan Fiaidhi who will introduce the chairs of HIT 2018 (Dr. Carlos Zerpa, Dr. Vicki Kristman and Dr. Sabah Mohammed)

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

9:05 to 9:45

Introducing a design centered workflow in the collaborative construction of health care planning

Dr. Arnold Kim, MD, TBRHSC, NOSM and Computer Science

STUDENT RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS (Session Chair Dr. Zerpa)

9:45 to 9:55

Characterization of human papillomaviral genome variants

Dallas Nygard, and Robert Jackson, Biology Department (Dr Zehbe Cancer Lab)

9:55 to 10:05

Static and dynamic testing of two commercial flexible-tip spring loaded cane mechanisms

Ms. Katelyn Varga, Dr. Carlos Zerpa. Dr.Meilan Liu, Kinesiology and Engineering

10:05 to 10:15

Cascading Workflow of Healthcare Services

Phillip Osial, Computer Science

10:15 to 10:25	The Effect of Dual Tasking on Motor Performance and Cardiovascular Systems Ms. Bronte Volebregt, Dr. Carlos Zerpa. Dr.Kathryn Sinden, Kinesiology
10:25 to 10:35	Health Care Document Interoperability through the Notion of MongoDB Single View and LDA Modelling Daotong Dai, Computer Science
10:35 to 10:45	Exploring the Gene Mutation Kunwar Krishna Swaroop, Computer Science
10:45 to 10:55	Prescriptive Grammar for Clinical Prescribing Workflow Kalle Kauranen, Computer Science
10:55 to 11:05	Investigating High Performance Perfectionist Athletes' Perceptions of the Junior to Senior Sport Transition Kaylin Kainulainen, Kinesiology
11:05 to 11:15	The effect of a 6-week combined resistance and cardiovascular training program on muscular strength, endurance and body composition in young adults with a mild to moderate intellectual global delay Ms.Tyler McDougall and Dr. Eryk Przysucha, Kinesiology
START TIME	FACULTY RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS (Session Chair: Dr. Kristman)
11:20 to 11:30	Predicting patient admission from the emergency department using administrative data Dr. David Savage, Prof Bruce Weaver, D Wood, NOSM
11:30 to 11:40	The use of energy dissipation measurement techniques in assessing helmet impact performance

[Dr. Carlos Zerpa, Kinesiology](#) and [Dr. Meilan Liu, Engineering](#)

11:40 to 11:50

Introducing a novel non-invasive in vivo assessment of microvascular structure and function in humans

[Dr. Kurt Smith, Kinesiology](#)

11:50 to 12:00

Developing a culturally relevant workplace mental health e-health application for the Canadian Indigenous population

[Dr. Vicki Kristma, Health Sciences](#)

12:00 to 12:10

Time course of inter-limb strength transfer after unilateral handgrip training with implications for chronic stroke

[Dr. Taryn Klarner, Kinesiology](#)

12:10 to 12:20

Motor learning of one-handed actions of children with motor problems: Practical and theoretical implication

[Dr. Eryk Przysucha, Kinesiology](#)

12:20 to 12:30

JSON-LD as an Interchange Technology to Facilitate Health Information Exchange

[Daniel Kaukinen, Confederation College](#)

START TIME

TUTORIAL

12:30 to 1:10

Developing smart health app without the middleman involvement: Mini tutorial

[Dr. Sabah Mohammed](#) and [Dr. Jinan Fiaidhi](#)

1:10 to 1:20

Panel discussion and Closing Remarks (Session Chair [Dr. Vicki Kristman](#))

1:20 to 1:40

LUNCH

