



AGE-WELL 2016 – Montreal QC, October 18 – 20

****Preliminary Program – some session times may still change (Sept 9, 2016)****

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2016		Pre-Conference Program
	PRE-CONFERENCE MEETINGS	
Room TBD 11:30 – 16:30	Research Management Committee (RMC) (by invitation)	
Room TBD 12:30 – 16:30	AGE-WELL Catalyst Program Workshop: Innovation for carer-friendly workplaces: Good business sense, not corporate philanthropy (by invitation)	
TBD Foyer 15:00 – 18:30	CONFERENCE REGISTRATION OPENS	
Room TBD 15:30 – 16:30	AGE-WELL HQP Orientation Session Hosted by AGE-WELL CC4: TRAIN Open to all HQP. Sign up through conference registration.	
Room TBD 17:00 – 18:30	Innovators of Tomorrow Workshop Hosted by AGE-WELL CC4: TRAIN Open to all HQP. Sign up through conference registration.	
Room TBD 19:00 – 21:00	HQP Elevator Pitch Social Hosted by the HQP Advisory Committee Open to all HQP. Sign up through conference registration.	
15:00 – 21:00	WP and Project Meetings	
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2016		Conference Program
7:30-9:00	Breakfast	Registration Desk Open
	2016 CONFERENCE WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS	
9:00 – 9:10	Alex Mihailidis , PhD, PEng Scientific Director, AGE-WELL NCE Inc. Barbara G. Stymiest Chair in Rehabilitation Technologies, Toronto Rehab – UHN/ University of Toronto Andrew Sixsmith , PhD Scientific Director, AGE-WELL NCE Inc. Professor, Simon Fraser University	
9:10 – 9:55	OPENING KEYNOTE James Barlow , PhD Professor of Technology and Innovation Management (Healthcare), Imperial College Business School, UK	
9:55 – 10:05	20/20 in 2020: Looking ahead to AGE-WELL's renewal Andrew Sixsmith , PhD Scientific Director, AGE-WELL NCE Inc. Professor, Simon Fraser University	
10:05 – 11:00	Minute Madness – Session 1 HQP presentations from Workpackages 1- 4 (WP1: NEEDS-OA, WP2: NEEDS-CG, WP3: TECH-FAI, WP4: TECH-APS)	
11:00 – 11:30	Networking Break	
11:30 – 12:30	Policy Panel Discussion Moderator: Mike Harcourt , Chair, AGE-WELL NCE	
12:30 – 14:00	LUNCH / Poster Viewing	
12:30 – 14:00	AGE-WELL Annual General Meeting	



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14:00 – 15:40	Research Plenary – Session 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WP3: Technology for Supporting Functional Autonomy and Independence (TECH-FAI Tech) WP4: Technology for Active Participation in Society (TECH-APS) WP5: Technology for the Prevention of Disease and Disability (TECH-DD) WP6: Technology for Maintaining Good Cognitive and Mental Health (TECH-MCH)
15:40 – 16:00	Networking Break
16:00 – 17:00	Research Plenary – Session 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WP7: Health Systems, Practice, Policy and Regulatory Issues (POLICY-TECH) WP8: Ethical, Cultural and Social Aspects of Technology (ETHICS-TECH)
17:00 – 18:00	HQP Mentorship Sessions Open to all HQP. Sign up through conference registration.
18:30 – 20:30	AGE-WELL “Drinks and Demos” Networking Reception Open to everyone. Sign up through registration.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2016	
Conference Program	
7:30-9:00	Breakfast Registration Desk Open
BALLROOM 9:00	WELCOME REMARKS Mike Harcourt , Chair, AGE-WELL Board Bridgette Murphy Managing Director, AGE-WELL NCE Inc.
9:00 – 10:00	Minute Madness – Session 2 Presentations from HQP from Workpackages 5-8 <i>(WP5: TECH-DD, WP6: TECH-MCH, WP7: POLICY-TECH, WP8: ETHICS-TECH)</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Pitch Presentations (TBC) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2016 AGE-WELL Pitch Competition Finalists HQP Summer Institute Teams: rLIFE, DELTA, TRIUMPH
10:30 – 11:00	Networking Break
11:00 – 12:00	Research Plenary – Session 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WP1: Understanding the Needs of Older Adults (NEEDS-OA) WP2: Understanding the Needs of Caregivers (NEEDS-CG)
12:00 – 12:30	Catalyst Grant Projects: Older Adults, Caregivers and the Workplace (TBC) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Connecting Working Caregivers Supporting our Aging Workforce Using eHealth to support the participation of older adults with subjective cognitive decline
12:30 – 14:00	LUNCH/Poster Viewing
13:00 – 14:00	Technology & Health Entrepreneurship Panel Sponsored by the Canadian Association on Gerontology Student Connection-Connexion Étudiante. Open to all HQP. Sign up through conference registration.
12:30 – 14:00	International Scientific Advisory Committee (ISAC) Meeting (by invitation)
14:00 – 15:00	IP Panel Discussion Moderator: John Reid , Chair CTDC, AGE-WELL NCE; Director, Technology Development and Commercialization, UHN
15:00 – 15:45	Future of the Field Panel Discussion Moderator: Alex Mihailidis , Scientific Director, AGE-WELL NCE



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15:45 – 16:00	Closing Remarks and Adjournment
16:00 – 18:30	Uncovering Gaps in Technology Use: A World Café Event <i>(by invitation)</i>
16:30 – 18:00	Community Advisory Committee / Industry Advisory Committee Joint Meeting <i>(by invitation)</i>
19:00 – 20:30	Board Dinner <i>(by invitation)</i>
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016	
Post-Conference Program	
9:30 – 16:00	Board of Directors Meeting <i>(by invitation)</i>



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FEATURED SPEAKERS

OPENING KEYNOTE

Professor James Barlow



James Barlow holds a Chair in Technology and Innovation Management at Imperial College Business School. Previous appointments include SPRU (Science Policy Research Unit, University of Sussex) and the Policy Studies Institute (now part of University of Westminster). He was educated at the London School of Economics and Political Science.

James has over 20 years' experience working on the adoption, implementation and sustainability of innovation in healthcare systems in developed and emerging countries. He is an expert on the relationship between innovations in technology, services and the built infrastructure, and the way this is shaping future healthcare. He has led or participated in many research projects. Amongst these is a series of projects on the implementation and impact of telehealth, including the world's largest randomised controlled trial (the Whole System Demonstrators programme). Findings from this project were announced by Prime Minister David Cameron as a precursor to a programme to scale up telehealth in the UK.

From 2003-2006 he was Co-Director of Imperial College Business School's Innovation Studies Centre and during 2006-2013 he was Principal Investigator of HaCIRIC (Health and Care Infrastructure Research and Innovation Centre), which grew to become the world's largest research programme on innovation issues in healthcare infrastructure.

As well as his academic research, James has been highly active in translating findings into lessons for policy and practice. He has been a member of many government or NGO expert panels on healthcare innovation issues, both in the UK and internationally. Since 2013 he has been associate director of research and evaluation for Imperial College Health Partners. James has also worked with many companies involved in healthcare technologies and in design and construction. In 2014 he was appointed as the new President of the International Academy for Design and Health, representing the built environment industries involved in healthcare.

James has published over 85 papers in refereed journals, including in leading journals such as *The Lancet*, *Health Affairs*, *BMJ*, *Bulletin of the World Health Organization*, *Social Science and Medicine*, and *Research Policy*. His books include *Managing Innovation in Healthcare*, to be published by World Scientific in November 2016.



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