ASSISTANT PROFESSOR BUSTS MYTHS ON CBC SERIES

Written by Dr. Yolanda Kirkham. I was contacted to be an expert on Dr. Jen Gunter's new docuseries, Jensplaining, where she extends her extensive social media presence into a television show. She is an outspoken, no-holds-barred ObGyn known as Twitter's resident gynaecologist and Gwyneth Paltrow's nemesis. Read more

UPDATES

Summer Clinical Fellow Grand Rounds Encourage Skill Growth

August 23rd concluded a highly successful new initiative, namely the Summer Grand Rounds lecture series by sub-specialty clinical fellows. The talks covered a full range of sub-specialties and displayed a range of talent! Read more

Kenyan Medical Students Excited About Learning at UofT

Every year, the Department invites two medical students from Moi University in Eldoret, Kenya to Toronto. These students travel to Canada to gain new medical skills on a global level, working at a number of hospital sites. Read more
Professor Jon Barrett Co-Authors New TOLAC Guideline

An updated SOGC clinical practice guideline recommends that trial of labour after Caesarean (TOLAC) be offered to all eligible pregnant women with a history of previous Caesarean delivery. Read more

Residents Receive Awards for MIS and Vaginal Surgery

On June 5, 2019, the Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre's Minimally Invasive Surgery Division and Urogynaecology Division presented three UofT ObGyn residents with awards for excellence in their field. Read more

New UofT Medical Students Inspired to Pursue Medicine

Published by UofT Faculty of Medicine. Incoming students from the Class of 2T3 share what inspired them to pursue medicine and how they hope to weave their passions for advocacy into their careers as physicians. Read more

Fellow in Global Health Joins AMPATH Team in Kenya

Published by AMPATH. Dr. Marie Buitendyk is a fellow in maternal-fetal medicine and global women’s health and equity at UofT. She looks forward to joining the team in Kenya in early September. Read more
Our residents know how important education is, so they attend Academic Half Days to expand their skills! Here are some UofT ObGyn participants at our latest event.

IN THE NEWS

What happens to your body during menopause
Featuring: Dr. Lindsay Shirreff
Date: August 3, 2019
Global News

Vaginal steaming can be dangerous and unnecessary: experts
Featuring: Dr. Yolanda Kirkham
Date: August 13, 2019
Global News

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEP 26th
Narrative Medicine Program

Hosted by Centre for Faculty Development. This program will introduce the theory and practice of Narrative Medicine through a variety of practical activities and discussion. Sessions will include an ongoing discussion on the ways that healthcare practice can be informed by narrative medicine and the relationship between the creative and healing arts.

Read more
Arsenic exposure linked with increased risk of breast cancer among women in Poland

**Featuring:** Dr. Steven Narod  
**Date:** August 19, 2019 Women's College Hospital

Canadian research finds older mothers at higher risk for childbirth complications

**Featuring:** Drs Stephen Lapinsky, Joel Ray and Gareth Seaward  
**Date:** August 23, 2019 Hospital for Sick Children

**OCT 20th - 23rd**

*Biennial World Congress on Gestational Trophoblastic Diseases*

Registration deadline is September 15, 2019. The International Society for the Study of Trophoblastic Diseases is hosting this conference for the first time in Canada with a number of specialists in the field.

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