

Centre for Cardiovascular Innovation – Centre d'Innovation Cardiovasculaire Newsletter

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CCI-CIC RESEARCH TEAM



MESSAGE FROM CCI-CIC DIRECTORS

Dear Colleagues,

We are excited to announce that the Centre for Cardiovascular Innovation – Centre d'Innovation Cardiovasculaire became a UBC Faculty of Medicine Centre on November 16, 2021. CCI-CIC was recognized as an 'exemplary new centre' with 'tremendous collaboration and future potential' by the Dean of Medicine. The Centre continues to grow with a total of 75 investigators and 41 affiliated research staff across the province (> 28 FTE). We have added a section to the newsletter that includes a list of new investigators at CCI-CIC. This edition also features Dr. Jason Andrade as the 'CCI-CIC Investigator of the month'. Dr. Andrade was recently presented with the 2021 UBC Clinical Faculty Award for excellence in Research. Next edition, we will feature Dr. Jackie Saw. Finally, the CCI-CIC team successfully hosted our first hybrid international investigator meeting at TCT 2021 in Orlando, Florida. The COMPLETE TAVR meeting had over 100 in-person and virtual participants from across North America.

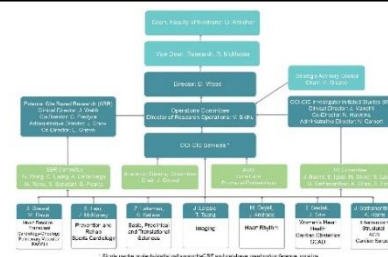
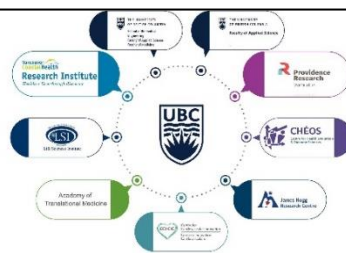
We wish everyone Happy Holidays! Exciting times ahead in 2022!

David Wood and Vishaldeep Sidhu on behalf of the CCI-CIC Operations Committee

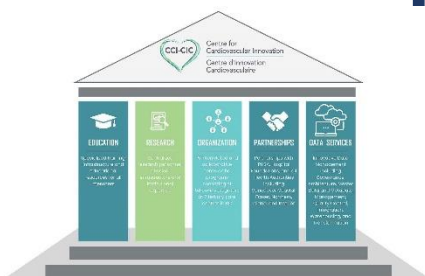
CCI-CIC as New UBC FOM Centre
Full Faculty Governance Committee
November 16th, 2021

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AS OF NOVEMBER 16, 2021 CCI - CIC IS A UBC FACULTY OF MEDICINE CENTRE!



CENTRE FOR CARDIOVASCULAR
INNOVATION - Centre d'Innovation
Cardiovasculaire (CCI-CIC)
By Researchers, For Researchers
A Proposal to establish CCI-CIC as UBC
Faculty of Medicine Centre



CCI-CIC INVESTIGATOR OF THE MONTH

Dr. Jason Andrade

Dr. Jason Andrade is a Cardiac Electrophysiologist at UBC, with a joint appointment at the Montreal Heart Institute. He is an Associate Professor of Medicine at UBC and an Assistant Professor at the Université de Montréal. Dr. Andrade is the Director of both Electrophysiology and the Atrial Fibrillation Clinic at Vancouver General Hospital. He is co-chair of the Canadian Cardiovascular Society Atrial Fibrillation Guidelines committee, chair of the Canadian Heart Rhythm Society Device Committee, and medical chair for Heart Rhythm Disease for the Cardiovascular Disease Network in the province of British Columbia. Dr. Andrade has authored over 200 scientific publications, and he was recently recognized as one of the top 0.1% of scholars writing about atrial fibrillation. His publications can be found in journals such as the New England Journal of Medicine, Circulation, Journal of the American College of Cardiology (JACC), Journal of the American Medical Association (JAMA), Lancet, and Heart Rhythm.

*Most recently, Dr. Andrade was awarded the **2021 UBC Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Research**.
Congratulations Jason!*



CCI-CIC NEW INVESTIGATORS

The CCI-CIC Team welcomes their new Investigators!

- *Davina Lukaris-Banner
- *Christopher Lee
- *Ahmed Meghani
- *Michael Slawnych
- *Katey Armstrong
- *Ricky Turgeon
- * Brian Clarke

UPCOMING AWARD COMPETITIONS

Upcoming Award Competition Deadlines

VCHRI ITA Award Application: Jan 17, 2021

MSFHR Scholar Award: Dec 6, 2021 (LOI); Jan 31, 2022

MSFHR Trainee Award: Dec 6, 2021 (LOI); Jan 31, 2022

CRFEF Competition – Dec 22, 2021 (NOI)

CERC Competition – Jan 17, 2022 (NOI)

CCI-CIC at TCT 2021 - HIGHLIGHTS



Successful first hybrid International Investigator Meeting at TCT 2021 with 100+ attendees!



Dr. Madeleine Barker successfully presented PROTECT TAVR at TCT 2021 and DISCORDANCE TAVR at London Valves 2021!



CCI-CIC Team Building!



CCI-CIC RECENT PUBLICATIONS

CCI-CIC PUBLICATIONS (SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER 2021): <https://cci-cic.org/recent-publications/>