

Hopefully most of you will be attending the Canadian Surgery Forum (London, ON) in September, where we have a fantastic program planned. The highlights are published in this newsletter and I also hope to see you all at the CSCRS Research Dinner on Friday, September 16th where we will announce the 2011 CSCRS research winner along with update presentations from previous years. The dinner will be held at Trü Restaurant and is complimentary to CSCRS members and spouses. Please RSVP to this event at CSCRS@royalcollege.ca.

Finally, I would like to thank all of you who took some time to answer the brief survey about the future CSCRS website initiative. The results were very interesting and indicated that the website and the Clinical Trials Group could be coupled to define an overarching web community via discussion groups, where different members are participating in postings with perhaps a resume of the trial. Certain people would be able to join on-line and enter forum discussion, or perhaps set guidelines in colorectal oncology or irritable bowel disorder, and even have a section for posting new articles of interest. I look forward to seeing this take shape over the coming years which will bring us together as professionals and strengthen our community.

See you in September!

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