


Unaccredited Lunchtime Symposia

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Wednesday

Satellite Lunch Symposium “Quasi-Ted Talk”

 Great BC (main plenary)
3rd floor

 **Wednesday, May 29**
12:00pm - 1:30pm

Join us for a “quasi-Ted Talk” with a distinguished panel chaired by Dr. Mohit Bhandari along with Dr. Stephen French, who will be challenging the current status of hyaluronic acid (HA) injections in patients, Dr. Eugene Maida who will present an update on the benefits of HA on MSK patients, and featuring Dr. Femi Ayeni – president-elect of the COA – who will present results of the ECHO Study on ICS/HA injections into the hip – the first Cingal study of its kind worldwide. Sponsored by Pendopharm. [More information available here](#)



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The Pursuit of Joint Preservation: Impact of Very High Molecular Weight (>10 kDa) and Delay Time to TKR

 Strategy Room 3
5th floor

 **Wednesday, May 29**
12:00pm - 1:30pm

As the incidence of OA continues to grow, with a rising trend observed among younger patients, physicians aim to prolong joint preservation, thereby postponing arthroplasty surgery. New research will be presented to illustrate the impact of Very High Molecular Weight HA compared to High Molecular Weight HA. [More information available here](#)



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Thursday

Medicus Pension Plan Lunchtime Symposium

 Strategy Room 1
5th floor

 **Thursday, May 30**
12:00pm - 1:30pm


Imagine joining a pension plan now that provides you with a predictable monthly income when you retire – for the rest of your life. In this session, learn about the Medicus Pension Plan, designed exclusively for Canada’s incorporated physicians. Sponsored by MD Financial. [More information available here](#)



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Aptissen Academy - Innovation in Orthobiologics – The Intersection of PRP and HA in Sports Medicine

 Strategy Room 3
5th floor

 **Thursday, May 30**
12:00pm - 1:30pm

This luncheon includes two talks, Navigating the Viscosupplement Landscape: choosing the right product for your patients presented by Dr. Diego Astur followed by Mastering Combination Therapy: The synergistic power of PRP and HA in Sports Medicine presented by Dr. Nathan Thakur



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