

# Journal Club & Research Update Meeting

Theme: spine lumbar stenosis &  
controversial outcomes of  
SLIP clinical trial

## A G E N D A

### Cocktails & 6:00 pm Dinner at 7:00 pm

- **6:30 pm** Welcoming Remarks – Drs. Michael Fehlings and Albert Yee
- **6:35 pm** Introduction to Journal Club – Dr Joel Finkelstien
- **6:40 pm** Laminectomy plus Fusion versus Laminectomy Alone for Lumbar Spondylolisthesis. Zoher Ghogawala et al. N Engl J Med 2016. [Link HERE](#)  
Dr Kyle Stampe
- **6:55 pm** Case –Dr Gary Rosenberg
- **7:00 pm** A Randomized, Controlled Trial of Fusion Surgery for Lumbar Spinal Stenosis Peter Försth, et al. N Engl J Med 2016. [Link HERE](#) - Dr Dror Ofir
- **7:15 pm** Case –Dr Amit Keren
- **7:20 pm** Article Compare and Contrast & Discussions
- **7:35 pm** Introduction to Research Update Meeting- Dr Carlo Ammendolia
- **7:40 pm** Human Stem Cells Expressing Chondroitinase to Regenerate the Traumatically Injured Spinal Cord - Christopher Ahuja MD PhD PGY IV , Surgeon Scientist Program
- **7:55 pm** Stenosis RCT – Dr Carlo Ammendolia
- **8:10 pm** Computational modeling of the post-yield response of vertebral bone- Saeid Samiezadeh, Post Doctoral Fellow
- **8:25 pm** Closing Remarks - Drs. Michael Fehlings and Albert Yee

**Monday 6pm January 23<sup>rd</sup> , 2017**  
**Upper Room**  
**The Faculty Club, 41 Wilcocks St, Toronto, M5S 1C7**