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The WACH Weekly Digest compiles important announcements and deadlines. If you would like to add an announcement or reminder to the WACH Weekly Digest, please submit to: <a href="mailto:wach.program@ubc.ca">wach.program@ubc.ca</a>.

# **Upcoming Deadlines**

<u>CANTRAIN Studentships</u> - Master's, Doctoral, Postdoctoral

Deadline: April 30

**UBC Public Scholars Award** 

Deadline: May 12

Diabetes & Obesity Research Day

Abstract deadline: May 12

**Gynecologic Cancer Initiative Trainee Research Day** 

Abstract deadline: May 20 - extended!



Thank you to all who attended, presented, and served as judges at the second WACH Research Day on April 16.

We enjoyed learning more about your diverse and fascinating projects!

Congratulations to the award winners below:



(left to right)

Best Poster Presentation – Master's: Sofia Nicolls

Best Poster Presentation – Master's: Venessa Thorsen

Best Oral Presentation – Master's: Taylor Ricci

Best Oral Presentation – Doctoral: Jeffrey Bone

Best Poster Presentation – Doctoral: Amanda Nitschke

### **TA Opportunity - Biology**

Please see below for information on full TA positions in the Biology program for the 2024 winter session:

- 1. Go to <a href="http://www.biology.ubc.ca/">http://www.biology.ubc.ca/</a>
- 2. Click on the "**teaching assistants' tab**" for various documents related to the 2024W TA hire.
- 3. To apply, click on "Biology TA application 2024W".
- 4. Application must be submitted by May 12 (Sunday) 11:59PM.
- 5. Offers will be sent by late June/early July (offers to internal Zoology and Botany graduate students will be sent first and followed by external applicants). Offers to external applicants will continue throughout the summer up to the start of terms 1 and 2 until all positions are filled.
- 6. Do not forget to get permission from your PI to TA for Biology.
- 7. All communication regarding TAship application must be sent to this email address: <a href="mailto:biology.taship@ubc.ca">biology.taship@ubc.ca</a>

### Perinatal & Child Health Research Meeting

The detailed program for the Canadian Perinatal & Child Health Research Meeting is being built, and is available for you to see <u>online!</u>

Multiple networks have united their annual meetings to to unite the Canadian perinatal and child health research community in a singular location—a historic first. There's something for everyone at this year's Meeting, especially with the opportunity for you to attend parts of the other Meetings taking place.

**Themes:** DOHaD, Placental & Fetal Physiology, Maternal Fetal Medicine, Neonatology, Perinatal Epidemiology, and Perinatal Mental Health

Registration: <a href="https://perinatalchildhealthresearch.ca/registration/">https://perinatalchildhealthresearch.ca/registration/</a>

## **Workshops & Meetings**

#### Academic CV

Apr 25, 1:00 - 2:00pm

Virtual

### MINDS Conference 2024 (Mental Health - Internationally Delivering Support)

Apr 25 & May 2

Virtual

Featuring a presentation on WACH SO wellness events (Hebah and Jalisa), May 2, 2:15 - 3:15pm session

### OBGYN Annual Academic Day

May 8, 8:00am - 6:00pm BCCHR Chan Theatre

<u>Digital Health Research Series: In the Heart of Innovation: Exploring AI, Data Privacy and Policy in Healthcare</u>

## Resource of the Week

### **Faculty of Medicine Zoom accounts for students**

Do you need access to a Zoom account so that you are not limited to 40 min meetings with the free version?

Place a request for a Faculty of Medicine Zoom account here: <a href="https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV">https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV</a> eLLYLglgXph7MQI

You must use your student.ubc.ca email address to request. You may enter <a href="Matalie/wach.program@ubc.ca">Natalie/wach.program@ubc.ca</a> or your supervisor's information to confirm your request.



This email highlights a few workshops that may be of particular interest to WACH students.

For more workshops & events, see:

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