

International Mesothelioma Panel – Quebec PPS Biennial Meeting

Saturday June 27, 2026, 1.00-4.00 PM

Venue: Palais Montcalm – Conference Room

Chairs: Dr Andrew Churg (University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada; Dr Mary Beth Beasley (Mount Sinai Health System; New York City, New York, USA)

1. One hour with four 15-minute lectures on specific topics:

1. Lucian Chirieac: Genetic heterogeneity in mesothelioma

(Mount Sinai Health System; New York City, New York, USA)

2. Victor Roggli: Misdiagnosis of mesothelioma

(Duke University Medical Center, North Carolina, USA)

3. Nazim Benzerdjeb: Low grade mesotheliomas

(Hospices Civils de Lyon, Universitaire de Lyon, France)

4. Rex Hung: Translocation mesotheliomas

(Massachusetts General Hospital. Harvard Medical School, MA)

2. One hour: Research/collaboration presentations 15 minutes each

1. Aliya Husain: Mesothelial inclusions in lymph nodes

(University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, USA)

2. Anja Roden: Immunohistochemistry - problems in mesothelial proliferations

(Mayo Clinic Rochester, Minnesota, USA)

3. Ming Tsao: IASLC staging project on pleural mesothelioma

(Toronto General Hospital, University Health Network, Ontario, Canada)

4. Kyle Devins: Benign Peritoneal Mesothelial Proliferations Mimicking Mesothelioma

(Massachusetts General Hospital. Harvard Medical School, MA)

3. Interesting/problem cases (15 minutes each)

1. Andrew Churg: interesting case 1

2. Mary Beth Beasley: interesting case 2

4. Discussion of presentations/new business/next meeting (til 4PM)