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## Vancouver Hypertension 2010 News

March 2010

Only **two weeks** left to submit your abstract and apply for the many awards available! Click [here](#) for more information. Abstract Submissions due **March 15!**

The International Society of Hypertension (ISH) invites you to participate in the [23rd Scientific Meeting](#), taking place from September 26 to 30, 2010 in [Vancouver, Canada](#). The Meeting will capture the newest information in the field of hypertension and will also focus on all aspects of cardiovascular risk.

In this month's *News*, read all about:

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## Abstract Submission Deadline & Awards Information

ISH 2010 invites you to submit an abstract(s) for poster and oral presentations. The submission deadline is **March 15, 2010**. Click [here](#) to view the complete list of abstract topics and to submit an abstract.

To coincide with ISH 2010, The Executive Organizing Committee is pleased to announce two additional awards: the Vancouver Hypertension 2010 Award and the Asian Pacific Society of Hypertension (APSH) Young Investigator Fellowships. There will be multiple recipients of both awards, which have been created to help young investigators attend this important Meeting. More information about each award and how to apply can be found under the Abstracts menu item on the Meeting [homepage](#).

If you have any questions regarding abstract submission, please contact the ISH 2010 abstract team at [hypertension2010@abstractserver.com](mailto:hypertension2010@abstractserver.com).

## Scientific Program Highlights

Join the learning. Join the discussion. Be part of the group that deals with the problem.

This issue of the ISH 2010 newsletter focuses on an important issue of **Global Cardiovascular Risk Reduction - aging**. The aging population in most countries challenges us to understand the biology of aging and specifically how its impact on the arterial system leads to cardiac, renal and cerebrovascular disease. One of the symposia at ISH 2010 deals with the basic science of

vascular aging. Another symposium deals with the current realities of hypertension in older patients and discusses what the thresholds and targets should be for treatment.

Prof. Liu Lisheng, President, World Hypertension League & Chinese Hypertension League, Cardiovascular Institute and Fu Wai Hospital, China  
*"Hypertension in the Elderly: Overview"*

Prof. Raymond Townsend, Director, Hypertension Program, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, USA  
*"Hypertension in the Elderly: Considerations of arterial compliance and consequences on the kidney"*

Prof. Chris Bulpitt, Hammersmith Hospital, United Kingdom  
*"What is the Threshold and Target for Treatment of hypertension in the elderly?"*



Prof. Liu Lisheng



Prof. Raymond Townsend



Prof. Chris Bulpitt

Prof. Edward Lakatta, National Institutes of Health, USA  
*"Molecular Mechanisms of Cardiac and Vascular Aging"*

Prof. Geoffrey Pickering, Robarts Research Institute, University of Western Ontario, Canada  
*"Cellular Enzymes Regulating Lifespan: Implications for Prevention of Vascular Disease"*

Prof. Abraham Aviv, the Center of Human Development and Aging UMDNJ, New Jersey Medical School, USA  
*"Telomere Length and Hypertension and Vascular Disease"*



Prof. Edward Lakatta



Prof. Geoffrey Pickering



Prof. Abraham Aviv

ISH 2010 welcomes you to attend and interact with the experts as we address global cardiovascular risk and its consequences on target organ disease. To view the scientific program or for more information on the highlighted symposia, click [here](#).

## Sponsorship & Exhibit Opportunities

We're pleased to acknowledge the generous support of our Sponsors (listed below and on the [Meeting website](#)). There are still some excellent Sponsorship and Exhibitor opportunities available, but space is filling fast. The exhibit floor is almost 80% full! We are looking forward to showcasing industry leaders to over 4,000 of the world's leading specialists. If you are interested in finding out how your company can reach this exclusive audience, please contact:

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## Tour Highlights

With so much to see and do in Vancouver, be sure to extend your stay! Click [here](#) for complete details on the Optional Tour and Social Event Program, including registration.

### **March Feature: Vancouver City Tour**

Saturday September 25, Sunday September 26 or Monday September 27.

Enjoy the sights and sounds of Canada's most beautiful city with an experienced local guide who will explain the history of Vancouver as you travel from Rainforest to world class shopping and dining.



Your tour begins in Stanley Park, home to a beautiful 1,000 acres of trails, forest, Totem Poles and the famous Seawall. It is the largest park within a city in North America (Central Park in New York City is only 800 acres)! From there, you will drive along the waterfront and visit English Bay. Your tour will continue through fashionable Robson Street, lively Chinatown and historic Gastown (the birthplace of Vancouver). You will end your day on Granville Island. Here you can browse the Granville Island Public Market, art galleries and studios for one-of-a-kind, locally-made gifts. Or, you can relax by the boardwalk and watch the boats sail by with a fresh-ground coffee or a local microbrew.

## Conde Nast – Canada Wins Chinese Gold



The world renowned restaurants in Vancouver will allow you to sample the diverse variety of flavours and styles of cooking the city has to offer. Conde Nast Traveler has named Vancouver home to the best Chinese food in the world! Click [here](#) to read where you can enjoy the winning dishes and learn more about the outstanding restaurants in the city. Start planning your culinary adventure during your stay in Vancouver!

## Inquiries?

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