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**25<sup>th</sup> Annual Canadian Conference on HIV/AIDS Research, Winnipeg, Manitoba, May 12-15, 2016**

I am pleased to invite you to participate in the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Canadian Conference on HIV/AIDS Research (CAHR 2016), in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, from May 12-15, 2016. The event is hosted by the Canadian Association for HIV Research (CAHR).

The Conference theme “Realizing Our Potential: Local to Global and Back” will showcase outstanding scientific contributions in Basic Sciences, Clinical Sciences, Epidemiology and Public Health and Social Sciences. CAHR welcomes international participants to this Canadian Conference.

We are expecting over 600 delegates from Canada and around the world to attend CAHR 2016 which is Canada's premier gathering for those working in all disciplines of HIV/AIDS research, including researchers, frontline public health and community-based workers, policy makers and people living with HIV and AIDS. Some of the highlights of the CAHR Conference include:

- Sharing of results from new research conducted by Canadian HIV researchers towards improved prevention, treatment and care
- Honouring new investigators and acknowledging the achievements of major contributors to the field
- Developing personal and professional networks

This letter may be deemed to be a formal letter of invitation should you require such a document in order to obtain a visa or other document(s) to attend the Conference.

Please be aware that you are responsible for the payment of all fees and expenses related to your participation at CAHR 2016, including but not limited to Conference registration, hotel and travel costs, and health and travel insurance.

Our Conference organizer is Sea to Sky Meeting Management Inc. Full details of the program can be found on our website at [www.cahr-acrv.ca/conference](http://www.cahr-acrv.ca/conference). If you require any assistance or have any questions relating to Conference registration, please contact the CAHR Conference Secretariat by phone at +1-604-984-6447 or by email at [conference@cahr-acrv.ca](mailto:conference@cahr-acrv.ca).

We welcome all participants to CAHR 2016 and look forward to seeing you in Winnipeg.

Sincerely



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