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Alliance for Canadian Health  
Outcomes Research in Diabetes

**International Diabetes and Cancer Research Consortium Agenda  
March 8-9, 2011**

**Sunday March 6 and Monday, March 7, 2011**

- Participants arrive in Calgary, Alberta
- Bus transfer to Banff Center
- Dinner (explore Banff on your own – recommendations available at Banff Centre)
- DCRC Writing Group meetings – potential for some Writing Groups to get together depending on arrival times and degree of jet-lag!

**Tuesday March 8, 2011**

0800-0900 DCRC Writing Group meetings (PDC 103)

0900-0920 Diabetes and Cancer Research Consortium (PDC 103)

- Welcome and Introductions (J. Johnson)

0920-1200 Brief **20 minute** presentations of updates to data and analyses

0920-0940 Bendix Carstensen – Update of Danish data

0940-1000 Eero Pukkala – Update of Finnish data

1000-1020 Sarah Wild – Update of Scottish data

1020-1040 **BREAK** (Snacks and refreshments will be provided)

1040-1100 Craig Currie – UK GPRD data & competing risks

1100-1120 Jacobs Maddams – Survival of colorectal cancer patients with and without diabetes

1120-1140 Jeff Johnson – Diabetes and cancer risk: Evidence of surveillance bias

1200 **Lunch** at Banff Center

1300-1400 Brief **20 minute** presentations of updates to data and analyses

1300-1320 Talia Zhang – Antidiabetic agents and risk of cancer

1320-1340 Laurie Habel – 1) Pioglitazone & cancer risk, 2) Preliminary data on cancer incidence

1340-1400 Sofia Gudbjornsdottir – 1) Glargine & cancer risk, 2) MET & cancer



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**Tuesday March 8, 2011 CONTINUED**

- 1400-1500 Molecular basis for relationship between diabetes and cancer (Carolyn Algire, McGill University)
- 1500-1800 Free Time
- 1800 – 1900 Cocktail Hour [Kinnear Centre (KC) Room 205]
- 1900 **Group Dinner** [Kinnear Centre (KC) Room 205]

**Wednesday, March 9, 2011**

0900-1030 Analytic Strategies (PDC 103)

0900-0920 – Bendix Carstensen – Design issues and the STROBE statement

0920-0940 - Sofia Gudbjornsdottir – HbA1c & cancer risk in T1DM

0940-1030 - ALL

- common definitions for cases, outcomes, timelines & covariates definitions
- common modeling approaches
- meta-analytic approaches of independent datasets

1030 **BREAK** (Snacks and refreshments will be provided)

1100-1200 Organizational structure for DCRC/EASD Task Force (E. Gale)  
& Future DCRC meeting(s) (A. Renehan)

1200 **Lunch** at Banff Center

1300-1400 DCRC Writing Group reports

1400-1430 Wrap-up and Next Steps

1430 Departures to Calgary (via shuttle)