A celebratory dinner was held at Bellamere on 30 Oct. This event honoured two Chairs of Biochemistry, Drs. Lo and Sanwal, and the Graduate Endowment Fund was re-named to recognize their contributions. Thanks to Dr. Brandl, Bellamere staff, and many others who made the event possible.

Our 4th- and 5th-year MSc and PhD students presented research talks and posters at the inaugural fall symposium for Biochemistry graduate students on 30 Oct. Congrats to the presenters for a job well done!

The Biochemistry social committee has planned the following events:
- 23 Nov - Bowling Night
- 30 Nov to 2 Dec - Holiday Bake Sale
- 9 Dec - Department Holiday Party

Dr. Peter Rogan is joining F1000Prime as an invited contributing faculty. This online service comprises >10,000 top scientists and clinical researchers who highlight the top 1-2% of published research in biology and medicine. He is also giving a seminar in the Dept. of Computer Science at the University of Windsor on 13 Nov: "Genomic analysis of metastasis and tumor chemotherapy response based on information theory and machine learning".

PUBLICATIONS from the labs and collaborators of . . .

Dr. Dick (pRB loss and lung cancer)
Dr. Gloor (bacterial biomarkers in pregnant women)
Dr. Gupta (SNAT-2 in intrauterine growth restriction)
Dr. Han (fetal brain apoptosis)
Dr. Hegele (lipoprotein ligase mutation) (genetics of CVD) (drug design)
(microsomal triglyceride transfer protein) (nonstatin LDL therapy)
Dr. Hudson (contrast-agent use in Alzheimer's)
Dr. Junop (P. aeruginosa PilE)
Dr. Konermann (Hb/Mb ligand interactions) (MD simulations) (protein structure)
Dr. Litchfield (caspase 3/Pax7)
Dr. O'Donoghue (genetic code flexibility)
Dr. Rogan (genomic signatures in breast cancer drug resistance) (VIDEO)
Dr. Rupar (biotinidase deficiency)
Dr. Siqueira (acid-resistant proteins in acquired enamel pellicle) (histatin 5 and oral epithelium) (salivary flow and aging)
Dr. Turley (mimetic ligands for RHAMM)
Dr. Yeung (Alternaria metabolites)
See recent publication details.