



Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Canada is proud to host the next **IUPESM World Congress on Medical Physics and Biomedical Engineering (IUPESM WC 2015)**, to be held at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, **June 7 – 12, 2015**. The Canadian Medical and Biological Engineering Society (CMBES) and the Canadian Organization of Medical Physicists (COMP) have joined forces to host this international event. The Congress is sponsored by the International Union of Physical & Engineering Sciences in Medicine (IUPESM) and its member organizations, the International Organization for Medical Physics (IOMP) and the International Federation for Medical and Biological Engineering (IFMBE). The Congress will also serve concurrently as the annual meetings for both CMBES and COMP in 2015.

The **IUPESM World Congress** is the largest international Medical Physics and Biomedical Engineering meeting this year! With over 1,600 abstracts submitted and an agenda that features special topic sessions, plenary and keynote sessions, and a complete Continuing Education and Professional Standards Program, the World Congress promises to offer something for everyone. While attending the Congress, you can listen to some of the most progressive thinkers on where medical technology is going including GE Chairman and CEO, Jeff Immelt. Here are more reasons for why you must attend:

- Over 1700 presentations from 86 different countries
- 100 booths to visit in the Exhibit Hall representing a variety of interests including Radiation Oncology, Radiotherapy, Medical Imaging, Precision Patient Positioning, Tissue Simulation & Phantom Technology, Endoscopy, Biomedical Diagnostic, QA Software, Radiation Protection & Dosimetry, Orthotics & Prosthetics
- 7 exciting expert plenary speakers including Mary Gospodarowicz, Edward Shortliffe, Vimla Patel, Monique Frize, Londa Schiebinger, Gordon McBean, and Jeff Immelt (GE Chairman and CEO)
- 5 high level congress themes and 19 scientific program tracks
- Over 130 continuing education program speakers from around the world including Australia, South America, China and Europe presenting over 125 hours of continuing education program sessions offered in English, French and Spanish

The Metro Toronto Convention Centre is located right in the heart of downtown Toronto and provides a truly exceptional venue while offering a superb variety of restaurants, accommodation and tourism opportunities close by.

The Congress is co-chaired by David Jaffray (Medical Physics) and Tony Easty (Biomedical Engineering), who are committed to organizing a truly memorable event. Your active contribution is welcome and we look forward to welcoming you to our world class city Toronto in June!

Sincerely,

David Jaffray

Tony Easty

Co-chairs, 2015 World Congress on Medical Physics and Biomedical Engineering