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Where Philanthropy Meets Innovation

The Montreal General Hospital Foundation's Impact & Innovation Evening brings together over 250 influential researchers, philanthropists, business leaders, and healthcare innovators for an evening dedicated to celebrating the impact of medical research and innovation.

As a partner, you'll benefit from targeted visibility, direct access to a highly engaged audience, and the opportunity to support impactful initiatives shaping the future of healthcare.

Celebrating Research Made Possible by Philanthropy

This event will highlight the MGHF Research Awards recipients, the work of startups funded by our Impact Investment Program, and the extraordinary researchers we support through our investment in the Research Institute of the McGill University Health Centre.

What to expect:

- Meaningful connections with a curated network of donors, medical leaders, and innovators.
- An elegant cocktail reception designed for networking.
- Interactive showcases featuring emerging health-tech startups and cutting-edge research.

Be Part of the Future of Healthcare

Join us for this opportunity to connect with the medical research and healthcare innovation community and support initiatives that are driving meaningful progress in the field.

About the Montreal General Hospital Foundation

The Montreal General Hospital Foundation (MGHF) is synonymous with Montreal's rich history and with its present incarnation as a hub for innovation. Our renewed mission to inspire the philanthropic community to invest in transformative initiatives, conceived and guided by our medical leaders, reflects the Foundation's meaningful investments in large-scale projects. These initiatives facilitate exceptional patient care, and enable medical teams and researchers to advance pioneering projects whose impacts are felt well beyond the walls of the institution.

Let's transform healthcare together.



Showcasing our commitment to research, in 2025-2026, we invested \$10.7 million in research & innovation, thanks to generous donors.



Collaborating with Leading Research Institutions

We partner with extraordinary institutions who are leaders in research, such as the Research Institute of the McGill University Health Centre (The Institute).

“Innovation is the process of bringing cutting-edge ideas into practice. It's the product of cross-disciplinary collaboration. Innovation occurs by creating an intersection of disciplines that often function in silos. When you come up with a framework to bring them all together, magic happens. This is the secret to innovation.”

Dr. Gerald Fried ✨

Professor of Surgery, Associate Dean, Education Technology & Innovation, Director, Steinberg Centre for Simulation and Interactive Learning, McGill University



Research Projects Supported by the MGHF

Transforming healthcare requires bold and sustained investment in research. This past fiscal year, the MGHF invested \$10.7 million in research and innovation, supporting projects including surgical robotics and artificial intelligence, personalized cancer treatment and care, precision psychiatry, rare disease research, and more.

Centre for Precision Psychiatry - Quebec (CPP-Q)

The CPP-Q aims to improve the diagnosis and treatment of mental health disorders by advancing precision psychiatry research. To achieve this, the CPP-Q is developing a database to gather clinical, biological, and neuroimaging data of 1,000 participating psychiatry patients who will be followed for 10 years.

“Thanks to MGHF support, we’ve put all our resources to work to create synergies and partnerships to build this database. Now, researchers will be able to use the data to start transforming the concept of precision psychiatry into a reality in the next few years.”



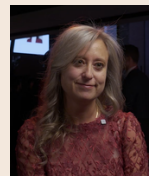
✳ **Dr. Simon Ducharme**

CPP-Q's founder and director, neuropsychiatrist at the McGill University Health Centre (MUHC)

A Sarcoma Research Breakthrough

In 2025, Livia Garzia, PhD, received three MGHF Research Awards: the Dr. Gold Fellowship in Cancer Research, the Simone & Morris Fast Award for Oncology and the William T. Stewart Family Award in Cancer Research. She leads Quebec's largest sarcoma biobank and identified the first epigenetic alteration in osteosarcoma, found in 20% of patients who respond poorly to standard treatments. Her research aims to pave the way for more personalized and effective therapies for patients facing sarcoma.

“We investigate the molecular basis of metastasis and therapy resistance in sarcomas and brain cancers, and our goal is to prevent or cure metastasis in these cancer types. We need your support to continue our research and make a difference in patient lives. Thank you for your generosity!”



✳ **Livia Garzia, Ph.D.**

Associate Professor, Department of Surgery, Garzia Lab at The Institute

The Surgical Performance Enhancement and Robotics Centre (SuPER)

Based at The Institute's Dr. Phil Gold Pavilion at the Montreal General Hospital, SuPER is a unique interdisciplinary research hub whose innovations are bringing surgical robotics and AI from the lab to the operating room. Early philanthropic investment from the MGHF helped SuPER quickly grow, and to leverage other funding, develop partnerships with corporations and academic institutions, and innovate with measurable impacts.

“We are proud to share highlights of SuPER's growth, accomplishments made possible by early philanthropic investment. This year we expanded our research areas by initiating three new projects with the Departments of Ophthalmology and Urology, and the MUHC Prehabilitation Program. And our training ecosystem now host 25 graduate and undergraduate trainees from five universities.”



✳ **Amir Hooshier, Ph.D.**

Founding Director, SuPER Centre, Asst. Prof. of Surgery, Dept. of Surgery, Distinguished Scientist in Robotics, McGill University

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	Presenting partner	Gold partner	Silver partner	Bronze partner
	\$50,000	\$20,000	\$10,000	\$5,000
Visibility				
A 2026 research award in your name	X			
Contribution to the new research award in Innovation & Collaboration	X			
Verbal recognition during the event	X	X		
Sponsorship area at the event (kiosk, promotional banner, etc.)	X	X	X	
Mention in invitation and thank you emails	X	X	X	
Logo displayed during the event (screens)	X	X	X	X
Mention on website	X	X	X	X
Mention on social media	X	X	X	X
Number of guests included	10	6	4	2

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