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CALL for MODERATORS

for the 51st Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association of Paediatric Surgeons
Quebec City, Quebec, Canada September 19-21, 2019.

Dear CAPS Members and Friends,

This is a call for moderators for the poster and oral presentation sessions at the 51st Annual CAPS meeting. The moderator's most vital functions are to **keep the discussions lively but polite, keep the presentation/discussion from going overtime, ensure everyone can hear the questions from the audience and make sure you ask the first question (in English or French) if no one from the audience steps up to the microphones!** Hence, **if you agree to serve as moderator for a scientific session, you agree to review in advance all of the abstracts to be presented in your scientific session (the program schedule and abstracts will be available at the CAPS website at least 1 month prior to the meeting) so that you come prepared to chair, moderate, keep time and ask questions.**

The Meeting will start at 1PM on **Thursday, September 19th, 2019** and will end with the CAPS Presidential Banquet on Saturday, September 21st, 2019 allowing travel home on Sunday or time to visit the sights of Quebec! Those planning to extend their stay may wish to explore sights and sounds of Toronto at this official tourism link:

<https://www.quebec-cite.com/en/>

Consider this your opportunity to enjoy both the "old world" feel for the city of Quebec City AND the bonus of the 51st CAPS Annual Meeting! Please register for the Annual Meeting and book your hotel rooms now! You can do both through the CAPS website at www.caps.ca Please be patient while your registration is being processed online as it takes a few minutes to go through. You will receive confirmation at the end of a successful registration.

Please reply to the Call for Moderator directly to the CAPS Program Chair at: program@caps.ca

Hope to see you in Quebec City!

Priscilla, Sarah and BJ