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**CANNABINOIDS RESEARCH INITIATIVE OF
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CAFÉ SCIENTIFIQUE

CRIS is an interdisciplinary research team that aims to obtain scientific evidence about the application of cannabinoids and cannabis derivatives to humans and animals for health, disease and disorders.

CANNABINOIDS: MOLECULES, EPIDEMIOLOGY AND PUBLIC POLICY

For patients who use medical marijuana, the *Access to Cannabis for Medical Purpose Regulations* makes standardized cannabis oil products — of defined quality and ratio of the key cannabinoids (THC and CBD) — available from licensed producers. This creates opportunity for optimizing the use of medical marijuana, but the current lack of robust scientific evidence constitutes a critical barrier to its dose optimization for specific indications and/or patient populations. The growing interest to use cannabis oil products for different indications and populations heightens the need for rigorous clinical and scientific investigation.

Join us as we talk about the evidence-based research that has been conducted to date at the University of Saskatchewan, on the safe and effective use of cannabis oil products.

March 8, 2018 @ 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Prairie Room, Diefenbaker Building
University of Saskatchewan campus

NOTE: The Café Scientifique will be videoconferenced to colleagues in Regina (210-2 Research Drive).

SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

Jane Alcorn, Professor, College of Pharmacy and Nutrition, University of Saskatchewan

Robert Lepairie, Assistant Professor and GlaxoSmithKline Chair in Drug Discovery and Development, College of Pharmacy and Nutrition, University of Saskatchewan

Tim Sharbel, Professor, College of Agriculture and Bioresources, University of Saskatchewan

Karen Tanino, Professor, College of Agriculture and Bioresources, University of Saskatchewan

Jerome Konecsni, Executive-in-Residence, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy

Peter Phillips, Distinguished Professor, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy; Director, Centre for the Study of Science and Innovation Policy

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