



DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACOLOGY AND TOXICOLOGY  
UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

# THE GRAD-PHARMER'S ALMANAC

## CONGRATULATIONS!

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Congratulations!

Orientation Highlights

Christina Nona, a third-year Ph.D. candidate, has won the silver medal during this year's CIHR National Research Poster Competition.

Well done, Christina!

## A WARM WELCOME!

The department is 37 more members stronger! The newest members of the department have brought with them diverse academic backgrounds and strengths. They were warmly welcomed to the department during the orientation that was held on September 9 (Missing from the pictures: Fangfang Gao and Yang Qing Qin Lu).



L-R: Michael Crosby, Ben Buiel-Murray, Sophia Attwells, and Wajeaha Ahmed



L-R: Jinghan Chen, Jasmine Carter, Ariane Carmona, and Paige Davies



L-R: Adam D'Ovidio, Corey Fee, Thomas Fung, and Ahmed El-Boraie



L-R: Candice Jahani Aval, Victoria Fugariu, Michael Hoang, and Visakha Gill

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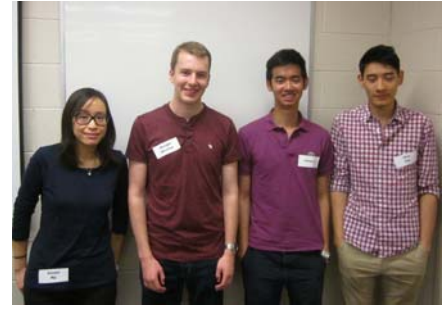
Yi Yang  
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L-R: Sin Yee Ku, Maisha Khan, Joanna Kowalski, and Angela Khidhir



L-R: Justin Matheson, Emily Mangialardi, Nicole Lee, and Alfred Maluach



L-R: Ginnie Ng, Dwight Newton, Julian Li, and Alex Pan



L-R: Myuri Ruthirakuhan, Justin Ryk, Yue Ran Sun, and Marlaina Stocco



Jiahui Zhang, Adam Urback, and Yoo Jeong Yang



L-R: Yin hao Wu, and Sung-Hee Yoon

## IMPORTANT DATES

September 7	Labour Day (University closed)
September 11	Coursework must be completed and grades submitted for Summer session courses and extended courses
September 14	Most formal graduate courses and seminars begin in the week of September 14
September 15	Final date to submit final doctoral theses to SGS to avoid fee charges for 2015-16
September 16	Summer session grades released for viewing by students on Student Web Services (ROSI/ACORN)
September 18	Registration deadline for students beginning program in Fall session
September 28	Final date to add full-year and Fall session courses
October 2	Final date to submit final doctoral thesis for Fall Convocation/ Final date for receipt of degree recommendations and submission of any required theses for master's degrees for Fall Convocation
October 12	Thanksgiving Day (University closed)
November 2	Final date to drop Fall session full or half courses without academic penalty
November 2	Students registered in Fall-Winter: Last date for payment of Winter session minimum required payment (unpaid fees from previous session[s] + 100% of current Winter session tuition charges)
November	Fall Convocation information and dates are posted at <a href="http://www.convocation.utoronto.ca">www.convocation.utoronto.ca</a>
November	November pause for Faculty of Arts and Science undergraduate students takes place from November 9 to 10
November 30	Students registered in Fall-Winter: Remaining Winter session (January to April) fees due by this date to avoid incurring service charges
December 18	Students registered in Winter session only: Last date for payment of Winter session minimum required payment (unpaid fees from previous session(s) + 100% of current Winter session tuition charges) to meet registration deadline
December 23	University closed for winter break from Wednesday, December 23 to Friday, January 1 inclusive (for last day of classes before winter break)

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