



The O'Brien Institute for Public Health &  
the Department of Community Health Sciences present:

## **Reflections on receiving the O'Brien Societal Impact Award: Team work for capacity building locally and globally**

**Speaker: Dr. Jennifer Hatfield**

**Friday, September 14, 2018 - 12:00 to 12:50 p.m.  
G500 - Health Sciences Centre, 3330 Hospital Dr NW**

Dr. Jennifer Hatfield will share insights on the importance of capacity building as a mechanism for social impact. Drawing on examples from the partnership to build a Master's of Public Health in Tanzania, Our One Health Field Schools and our local engagement with inner city organizations, Dr. Hatfield will highlight the process and principles that guide our work in CSM.

Dr. Hatfield was appointed as Associate Dean, Global Health in 2009 and then in 2014 was appointed to lead an expanded portfolio including local community engagement and the CSM Indigenous Health pillar. As the Associate Dean for Strategic Partnerships and Community Engagement in the Cumming School she is committed to working with and for communities locally and globally. She is a researcher, educator and leader in global health with a focus on public health, and particularly health promotion in low and middle income countries. She is dedicated to promoting scholarship in the area of global health research governance that promotes ethical and equitable partnerships and principles.

Dr. Hatfield has supervised dozens of graduate and undergraduate student research projects in Canada and abroad. She is committed to both building the capacity of the Cumming School of Medicine to respond to global health challenges and to ensuring that the next generation of researchers and clinicians will be ready for the future as global citizens.

### **Objectives:**

1. Learners will be able to define the concept of "capacity building"
2. Learners will be able to explain the steps for the development of equitable, mutually beneficial partnerships
3. Learners will have knowledge regarding resources and materials that are available at CSM and online, to advance their understanding of concepts such as governance of international research partnerships and the role of capacity building in achieving social impact

**This event is a self-approved group learning activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. This seminar is also available via an online**

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