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MD CM FRCSC FACS**

Current chair of the board of directors of the Canadian Network for International Surgery (CNIS), Dr. Razek's role at the McGill University Health Centre include Chief - Division of Trauma Surgery, Assistant Professor of Surgery, Associate - Critical

Care Medicine and Co-director at the Centre for Global Surgery. In addition to overseeing one of the busiest trauma centres in Canada, Dr. Razek actively participates in surgical development programs in resource limited countries.

At CNIS, Dr. Razek is engaged in developing surgical capacity (trauma, emergency surgery and obstetric skills) with comprehensive educational programs, developing injury control centres and injury databases and teaching structured surgical skills courses.

He is also a huge Habs fan.



**RONALD LETT MD MSc  
FRCSC FSC (ECSA)**

Founder of the Canadian Network for International Surgery (CNIS), Dr. Lett did his undergraduate medical training and post graduate surgical training at the University of Alberta. He completed his masters in injury epidemiology

at McGill. In 1996, he co-founded the Injury Control Centre - Uganda, the first lead agency for injury control in sub-Saharan Africa and the Injury Prevention Initiative for Africa in 1997 a 10 country network. In 2000, he participated in the establishment of the African Canadian Committee for Essential Surgical Skills (ACC-ESS). Currently, he is the International Director of the CNIS. He develops and continually improves curriculums and teaching models that are adapted to resource limited settings. Dr. Lett has trained thousands of local and international instructors and students in surgical skills and safety.

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**Our Work**

Since 1995, the CNIS has worked towards improving surgical care in low-income countries, particularly in Africa. Its four program areas include:

- Structured Surgical and Obstetrical Training
- Injury Control
- Surgical and Obstetrical Information
- Public Engagement in Canada

**Our Vision**

To work to empower low-income countries to create an environment where the risk for injuries is minimal and where all people receive adequate surgical care.

**Accreditation**

This event is an Accredited Group Learning Activity eligible for up to **7.5** Section 1 credits as defined by the Maintenance of Certification program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. This program will be reviewed and approved by UBC Division of Continuing Professional Development. Each physician should claim only those credits he/she actually spent in the activity.

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**TRAUMA TEAM  
TRAINING (TTT™)**

**INSTRUCTOR'S COURSE**

Sunday June 8, 2014  
8:30 am - 5:15pm

**Instructors:**

Dr. Tarek Razek & Dr. Ronald Lett

**Venue:**

**Centre for Simulation Based Learning**

McMaster Children's Hospital  
(within McMaster University Campus)  
1200 Main St. West  
Hamilton, Ontario, Canada  
L8N 3Z5

*This work shop is a pre-requisite for surgeons to become a certified instructor for CNIS*





## TRAUMA TEAM TRAINING (TTT™) INSTRUCTOR'S COURSE

The principles of trauma management are universal irrespective of the source of destructive energy (whether it be a landmine or a motor vehicle) and irrespective of the caregiver's educational level. The Trauma Team Training Course (TTT™) is designed to help personnel apply these principles to all types of injury.

TTT™ is unique because the unit of instruction is not the individual but the team. The team is comprised of personnel who handle acute emergencies in most low-income country hospitals; often, this does not include doctors and, if it does, they are junior doctors. The Trauma Team Training Course was developed and tested in several formats since June of 1998 under the auspices of the Injury Control Center-Uganda (ICC-U), with funding from the Canadian Network for International Surgery (CNIS), and the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA).

**COURSE OBJECTIVE:** *“To teach surgeons, emergency physicians and other medical specialists how to teach personnel at the technical level to apply the principles of trauma management at centers with limited resources.”*

### COURSE SCHEDULE (7.5 Credit Hours)

- 8:30..... Introduction of participants
- 9:00..... Introduction of TTT Course
- 9:30..... Introduction to Lectures & Teaching Assignments
- 10:00..... Tea Break
- 10:15..... Practice Teaching Sessions (10 minutes each)
  - 1. Initial Assessment and Triage
  - 2. Air way
  - 3. Breathing
  - 4. Circulation
  - 5. Team Approach to Trauma Care
  - 6. Head Injury
  - 7. Chest Injury
  - 8. Abdominal Injury
  - 9. Burns
  - 10. Extremity Injuries
  - 11. Pain Management
  - 12. Trauma Registries
  - 13. Other Topics (tetanus, animal bites, rabies)
  - 14. Patient transfer
- 11:30..... Question Period
- 12:00..... Lunch
- 1:00..... Skills Sessions
- 2:00..... Logistics
- 2:30..... Team Exercises
- 4:30..... Evaluation
- 5:00..... Certification
- 5:15..... Closure

### REGISTRATION:

Online registration available at: [www.cnis.ca](http://www.cnis.ca)

#### Practicing Specialist:

regular—\$250 | cnis members—\$200

#### Retired Specialist, Teaching Fellow & Chief Resident:

regular - \$175 | cnis members - \$150

\*Instructor's manual, refreshments & lunch are included in the course fee.

#### Course Location:

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McMaster Children's Hospital  
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