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Schedule of Speakers and Presentations (virtual @ 7 pm Atlantic) for the Dalhousie Society for the History of Medicine for 2025-2026

2025

- 6 October **Vivian McAlister**
“Bicentenary of the death of James Parkinson and centenary of his rediscovery by Canadian Leonard Rowntree”
- 10 November **Phillp Belitsky**
The Saga of Dr. John McCrae and his famous WW1 Poem “In Flanders Fields”
- 1 December **Allan MacDonald**
“Transplantation: Evolution from experimental procedure to standard of care”

2026

- 5 January **Tom Baskett**
“The Obstetric Flying Squad”
- 2 February **Jock Murray**
Three Stories About Three Artifacts
- 2 March **Julie Strong**
“A kaleidoscope of healing in 16th century England: herbalism, medicine, and surgery”
- 6 April **Norm Pinsky**
“A trip back in time”, A Medical mission to remote Papua, New Guinea”
- 4 May **Jake Blacklaws**
“Historical advancements in Ophthalmology”