

**Friday, 3 May, 2013
McCain Auditorium**

**Poster Session -
15:30 - 17:00**

**Plenary Lecture -
17:00**

Reception to follow

***Posters should be setup between
15:00-15:30

Dr. Roger Fillingim

is the President of the American Pain Society. His research investigates biological, social, and psychological factors that may influence the experience of pain. Pain is perhaps the most widespread and expensive health problem in North America. A major line of research in his laboratory focuses on how women and men experience pain differently. Women generally report more pain in daily life than men, and they also show lower pain thresholds. He is interested in understanding the reasons for these differences, which probably include psychosocial factors (e.g. mood, coping, sex roles) as well as physiological variables such as hormone levels and blood pressure.



1st Annual Dalhousie Pain Day

Dalhousie Pain Network Speaker

Dr. Roger Fillingim

“Individual differences in responses to pain and its treatment: implications for personalized pain management”



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