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Top Canadian disability prevention expert and research chair featured at Toronto Research Matters event

TORONTO & OSHAWA, ONTARIO – One in 10 Canadians is temporarily disabled in their lifetime due to joint pain. Some recover quickly, while others do not, even with seemingly identical injuries. Discovering the key to faster recovery could transform the lives of those suffering and save millions of dollars in lost wages and insurance premiums.

It's a puzzle that Dr. Pierre Côté has been working on and will address at Research Matters, held Wednesday, April 9 at the McMichael Collection of Art in Kleinburg, hosted by journalist Piya Chattopadhyay, and live-streamed through <http://yourontarioresearch.ca/>

Dr. Côté leads the UOIT-CMCC Centre for the Study of Disability Prevention and Rehabilitation, established through a research partnership between the University of Ontario Institute of Technology (UOIT), and the Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College (CMCC).

"Dr. Côté's work demonstrates the value of the dynamism and potential created through inter-institutional and interprofessional collaboration," said Dr. Jean Moss, CMCC President. "The collaboration has already yielded exciting results and stands to create lasting benefits through informing health policy."

Dr. Côté is UOIT's Canada Research Chair (CRC) in Disability Prevention and Rehabilitation. By working alongside physicians, chiropractors, psychologists, employers, and policy-makers, Dr. Côté and his team are designing more effective preventative and rehabilitative treatment for musculoskeletal pain and disability.

"We continue to be delighted at Dr. Côté's innovative developments in this field of health-related research" said Dr. Ellen Vogel, Dean, Faculty of Health Sciences. "Pierre's work fits perfectly with UOIT's commitment to solve significant societal problems of global importance."

Dr. Côté's presentation at Research Matters on April 9 will focus on his unique trans-disciplinary model aimed at not only treating these health problems, but also providing support to those suffering from chronic muscle and joint pain to help them lead happier, healthier lives.

- Link to [more information on Dr. Côté's upcoming Research Matters presentation](#).

About CMCC

The Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College is recognised for creating leaders in spinal health. With graduates practicing in 37 countries and faculty who are leaders in their

fields, CMCC delivers world class chiropractic education, research and patient care. The campus features modern teaching and laboratory space, including new simulation and biomechanics laboratories, and is extended across Toronto through its network of community based interprofessional clinics that serve diverse patient populations. CMCC offers a four year undergraduate program leading to a Doctor of Chiropractic Degree. This program is offered under the written consent of the Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities for the period from 24/3/11 to 24/3/21. For more information, visit www.cmcc.ca.

About UOIT

The University of Ontario Institute of Technology (UOIT) advances the discovery and application of knowledge through a technology-enriched learning environment and innovative programs responsive to the needs of students, and the evolving 21st-century workplace. With more than 9,600 undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in 75 programs delivered by exceptional faculty, UOIT promotes social engagement, fosters critical thinking and integrates outcomes-based learning experiences inside and outside the classroom. UOIT's commitment to accelerating economic growth and social innovation is realized through research collaborations with leading organizations such as Ontario Power Generation, The Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids) and the Durham Regional Police Service. To find out more, visit uoit.ca.

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