

ECOS Annual Meeting - 2026 Program

Translating Evidence to Practice

Friday September 25th to 27th - Lord Nelson Hotel Halifax

Friday September 25 – Opening Evening

Time	Session	Details
4:00 – 5:00	Registration & Welcome	Lord Nelson Ballroom
5:00 – 5:30	Opening Remarks	Chair + sponsors
5:30 – 6:15	Opening Keynote: Skull Base Surgery – Translating Evidence to Practice	Dr Eric Monteiro
6:15 – 6:45	Radiofrequency Ablation of Thyroid Nodules	Dr Vicki Munro
6:45 – 7:30	Evidence-based hearing/CI/innovation	Dr Jason Brant
7:30 – 9:00	Welcome Reception	Georgian Lounge

Saturday September 26 – Morning – Key Notes

Time	Session	Details
7:00 – 7:30	Fun Run (Optional) 3km and 5km options	Meet Lord Nelson Lobby
7:45 – 8:20	Hot Breakfast	Exhibits open
8:20 – 8:30	Announcements	Dr Devin Piccott
8:30 – 9:15	Keynote #3	Dr Eric Monteiro
9:15 – 10:00	Keynote #4	Dr Jason Brant
10:00 – 10:30	Evolving and Efficient Practice	Dr Devin Piccott
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee Break	Visit Exhibits

Saturday – Late Morning Session - Interdisciplinary ENT: Radiology, Hematology, and Endocrine Surgery

Time	Session	Details
10:45 – 11:15	Radiology Pearls for the ENT Surgeon	Dr Jens Heidenreich
11:15 – 11:45	Hematology and ENT: Bleeding, Anticoagulation, and Perioperative Pearls	Dr Erica Kelly
11:45 – 12:15	Parathyroid Surgery Update	Dr Nadine Vaninetti
12:15 – 1:00	Lunch	

Saturday – Afternoon – Expert Advice

Time	Session	Details
1:00 – 1:30	Pediatrics: Breathing, Call, and Emergencies	Dr Elise Graham
1:30 – 2:00	In-office Laryngology	Dr Alex Clark
2:00 – 2:30	Mohs Surgery for the ENT Surgeon	Dr Michael Stevens
2:30 – 2:45	Break	
2:45 – 3:15	Otology Panel: Tympanoplasty Pearls	Dr Alexandra Quimby
3:15 – 3:45	Complications of Sinusitis and When to Operate or Biologics, Surgery, and Steroids: CRS Management in 2026	Dr Christopher Chin
3:45 – 4:45	Close Calls and Saves: Case-Based Panel	Dr Christopher Chin Dr Ayham Al Afif Dr Liane Johnson Dr Tim Brown
4:45 – 5:15	Legacy and Philanthropy	Dr Boyd Lee

Saturday Evening – A Night of Celebration

Time	Session	Details
6 - 8:00pm	The Presidents Toast (Optional Predinner Event)	Stillwell Bar
8:00pm	The Presidents Dinner	Barrington Steak House



Sunday September 27 – Early AM - Down to Business

Time	Session	Details
7:30 – 8:00	Hot Breakfast	
8:00 – 8:30	Business Meeting	
8:30 – 9:00	AI Integration in Practice	Dr Richard Balys
9:00 – 9:30	Competency-Based Medical Education	Dr Eric Monteiro
9:30 – 10:00	Peripheral Nerve Regeneration	Dr Adrian Mendez
10:00 – 10:15	Coffee Break	

Sunday September 27 – Late AM – The Final Round

Time	Session	Details
10:15 – 10:45	Endoscopic Otology	Dr Jason Brant
10:45 – 11:15	Thyroid in 2026	Dr Hathi/Rigby
11:15 – 11:45	Round-Up Session: What Will Change My Practice Monday Morning?	Dr Piccott
11:45 – 12:00	Closing Remarks	