



PRIVATE DRAFT As of: July 26, 2012

**PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES FOR
DR. MARC TESSIER-LAVIGNE
PRESIDENT, ROCKEFELLER UNIVERSITY**

**2012 HENRY G. FRIESEN INTERNATIONAL PRIZEWINNER
September 19th-20th, 2012 - Ottawa**

Wednesday, September 19, 2012

7:30-9:15 am **LEADERS' BREAKFAST** (by invitation, 30 guests)
Introduction of Prizewinner
Canadian Museum of Nature

11:30 am **Meeting with U of Ottawa Neuroscience group.**

1:30-3:30 pm **Joint Symposium of CSCI-CITAC-FCIHR**
(Chateau Laurier, Drawing Room)
"Translational Science and Research in Medicine: Scope, Challenges and Implementation"

Co-Chairs: **Dr. Bruce McManus**, VP, Friends of CIHR; **Dr. Brent Winston**, President, CSCI

"Advances in Diabetes care through Translational Medicine"
Dr. Bernard Zinman

"The Role of Regulatory Science in Translating New Discoveries to Innovative Medical Care"
Dr. Vicki Seyfert-Margolis

"Training programs in Translational Science"
Dr. Allan Kaplan.

3:30-3:55 pm **Nutrition Break**

4:00-5:30 pm **Friesen Prize Public Forum featuring Dr. Marc Tessier-Lavigne**
Fairmont Chateau Laurier Hotel, Drawing Room

Introductory Remarks: Heather Munroe-Blum, Principal, McGill University

"The future of translational medicine and drug discovery: is the glass half empty or half full?"
Venue: Chateau Laurier Hotel

6:30-9:30 pm **Reception and Award Dinner - Friesen Prize Presentation** (by invitation, 36 guests)

Thursday, September 20, 2012 [Check-out time: 12 pm]

9:00 -10:00 am **CBC Radio One “Ideas” Interview – Paul Kennedy.**

11:30 am - 1:15 pm **Luncheon Address to Canadian Academy of Health Sciences**
"Brain development and brain degeneration: molecular control of nerve growth and pruning"
Dr. Marc Tessier-Lavigne, 2012 Friesen Prizewinner

Return to New York [Flight # ?]