

## 2015 Senior Investigator Award



### **Duncan J. Stewart, MD, FRCPC**

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The 2015 Senior Investigator Award recognizes Dr. Stewart's unique, dynamic and extensive background as a pioneering Canadian cardiovascular researcher. He has made many important discoveries in blood vessel biology and is dedicated to translating these discoveries into benefits for patients and society. He is known for his leadership of the Ottawa Hospital Research Institute (OHRI), his more than 200 published peer-reviewed manuscripts and his numerous distinctions and prizes; including the Dexter Man Chair of Cardiology and Research Achievement Award of the University of Toronto, and the Research Achievement Award of the Canadian Cardiovascular Society.

Throughout Dr. Stewart's career, he has demonstrated leadership by bringing diverse groups of clinicians and scientists together, putting Canada at the forefront of global translational cardiovascular and regenerative medicine research. He is deeply committed to the collective action that is needed to reduce the growing burden of vascular disease and its impact on Canadians. These efforts are guided by his tireless desire to promote and ultimately improve patient outcomes.

Dr. Stewart is an outstanding scientist, leader and advocate and very deserving of this recognition.