

# **Journal Club Seminar**

# **Faculty of Science**

# WHAT'S NEW?

The Faculty of Science at Concordia University of Edmonton is launching *a monthly journal club seminar* for all members of the Faculty of Science.

# What is a JOURNAL CLUB?

A Journal Club is a platform that allows participants to critique published research articles, allowing for relaxed and informal scientific discussions while dissecting the selected article.

## **PURPOSE?**

The focus of the Journal Club seminar is to disseminate scientific knowledge through interdisciplinary collaboration. Basically, participants are exposed to the latest scientific findings in various fields. Collegially, every attendee will have the opportunity to discuss the selected paper, sharing opinions and asking questions.

### WHEN?

The Journal Club will run once per month during lunch hour (12:00 pm - 1:00 pm). The first seminar is on Friday, September 23, 2016 from 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm in room HA009.

### **ANY PERKS?**

Attending the Journal Club will allow all participants to gain a deeper understanding about some of the latest scientific achievements. Also, free lunch is provided to all attendees (first seminar sponsored by Dr. Patrick Kamau, Dean of Science).

### **REQUIREMENTS?**

We count on your support to attend and encourage others to attend. Please discuss the initiative with them. Interdisciplinary collaboration and support will foster a healthier and collegial environment for all.

### HOW TO SIGN UP?

An email will be sent out to all persons in the Faculty of Science with a link to a Doodle poll. Please sign up to ensure sufficient space to accommodate all, as well as ensure enough lunch is ordered for all attendees.