The Canadian Hernia Society (CHS) is excited to announce the return of the Resident Hernia Case Presentation Competition! CHS will be selecting four cases to be presented at the Canadian Surgery Forum (CSF). If selected, residents will have 15 minutes to present their case including a panel discussion within the case presentation.

The selection criteria will include:
- Clinical relevance
- Originality
- Learning points

The submission should be in a Word format and include the following (word limit: 500):

1. Title, applicant’s name(s), staff sponsor, university affiliation
   - Case summary
   - Patient history and focused physical examination
   - Significant laboratory, imaging findings
   - Surgical intervention
   - Hospital post-operative course
   - Outcome

2. Three questions for discussion amongst panelists, in the event your case is selected.

3. Why your case should be selected (word limit 100)

The deadline for all case submissions is April 30 2020. Please submit your cases to CSF Manager; Karen Norris at knorris@cags-acg.ca. All submissions will be blinded before judging by the selection committee.

The selection committee will make their decisions by mid June, 2020 and will inform all submitters of their status. The resident has to be available to present the case in Vancouver at
the CSF in person. Conference registration, transportation and accommodations are not covered. A prize for the winner of the presentation will be awarded at the end of the session.

We thank everyone for their submissions and look forward to seeing everyone in Vancouver!

Sincerely,
The 2020 CHS-CSF Organizing Committee