

**DATE:**  
**Monday,**  
**February 27, 2012**

**TIME:**  
4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:**  
McMaster University  
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## A TRANSLATIONAL VIEW OF: **Focal Segmental Glomerulosclerosis and the Nephrotic Syndrome**

This seminar includes a clinic presentation with patient interview followed by a research presentation

### **SPEAKERS:**



#### **Dr. Peter Margetts**

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*Director, MD/PhD Program,  
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#### **Dr. Azim Gangji**

*Assistant Professor,  
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### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

- Outline a clinical approach to proteinuria and nephrotic syndrome
- General review of treatment of nephrotic syndrome and focal segmental glomerulosclerosis
- Understand the glomerular filtration barrier and basic mechanisms of proteinuria
- Review the structure and function of podocytes and novel concepts of anti-proteinuric agents



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