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## Foreword

The 26<sup>th</sup> ICC (International Congress of Chemotherapy) was held in Toronto, Canada June 18-21, in concert with the annual meetings of AMMI Canada (Association of Medical Microbiology and Infectious Disease Canada) and CACMID (Canadian Association for Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases). The Theme of the Congress was “The Changing Climate of Infectious Disease.” 1121 scientists, physicians, infection control practitioners, and students from 73 countries attended. The quality and animation of discussion was high and the meeting a great success for those who organized it and for those who attended.

These Proceedings reflect a selection of papers presented at the Congress. They address a rich array of problems: different micro-organisms, different hosts, adult and pediatric; different therapies; diagnosis, prevention and therapy. Of particular interest is the cosmopolitan set of perspectives reflecting countries with different resources and different traditions.

We thank the authors for their contributions and wish you good reading. We look forward to seeing you at the AMMI Canada -CACMID Annual Conference 2010 meeting in Edmonton (May 6-8, 2010) and the 27<sup>th</sup> ICC in Milan, Italy (May 7-10, 2011 – with ECCMID).

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