



Now in its 6<sup>th</sup> season, the **Spinal Chord Gala** is an elegant and fun event bringing together Vancouver's Arts & Science communities.

This interdisciplinary event celebrates the achievements and objectives of ICORD and the Vancouver Cantata Singers—two internationally recognized organizations, each working in very different fields. This annual event gives us the opportunity to come together and identify common ground and shared perspectives in our varied pursuits.

With the exception of specific cash donations, all funds generated by this event are split equally between both organizations.

**Please consider supporting us this year by becoming a sponsor.**

For a glimpse of earlier events, please visit our website, [www.spinalchordgala.com](http://www.spinalchordgala.com).

# Spinal Chord Gala

Saturday November 1st, 2014  
Blusson Spinal Cord Centre  
818 West 10th Avenue  
Vancouver

Information for  
sponsors



## How can you be a part of this unique event?

We are seeking donations of products and services from businesses and individuals in the community. Donations could include:

- gift cards for restaurants, spa services and shops
- tickets to sporting events, theatre performances and concerts
- gourmet gift baskets and bottles of wine
- artwork, jewelry, accessories

Cash donations are also welcome.

*Gift items (tangible items of property) are eligible for a tax receipt to the extent provided by federal law · Tax receipts cannot be issued for services.*



## Contact us! We will be happy to discuss your options.

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# Sponsorship benefits



## **Bronze \$50+**

### **For your cash or in-kind donation:**

- Your name or company name included in the event programme, and on the event web page for at least one year, with direct links to your web site.
- Your name / logo displayed on Donor Recognition screens during the event.



## **Silver \$500+**

**For your cash or in-kind donation: all *Bronze-level benefits*, plus 1 ticket to the event.**



## **Gold \$1,500+**

**For your cash or in-kind donation: all *Silver-level benefits*, plus**

- Your name or company logo displayed on selected printed and electronic documents and on the event web page for at least one year, with direct links to your web site.
- Invitation to Donor Tour of ICORD Research Facilities
- 2 tickets to the blockbuster Vancouver Cantata Singers' Christmas concert
- additional ticket to the event (2 tickets in total)



## **Platinum \$3,000+**

**For your cash or in-kind donation: all *Gold-level benefits*, plus**

- Your name / logo prominently displayed multiple times on Donor Recognition screens during the event.
- Live promo by MC during event.
- Invitation to pre-event reception with ICORD and VCS Directors
- Invitation to Donor Tour of ICORD Research Facilities
- 4 tickets to the blockbuster Vancouver Cantata Singers' Christmas concert
- additional ticket to the event (3 tickets in total)



## **Diamond \$4,500+ (new)**

**For your cash or in-kind donation: all *Platinum-level benefits*, plus**

- Season Tickets to VCS 2013/14 Season
- additional ticket to the event (4 tickets in total)



## **\$7,000+ Presenting Sponsor**

**For your cash donation: all *Diamond-level benefits*, plus**

- Your name or company logo prominently displayed on all printed and electronic documents (posters, flyers, postcards, programme, media releases) and on the event web page for at least one year, with direct links to your web site.
- Your name / logo prominently displayed multiple times on Donor Recognition screens during the event.
- Live promo by MC during event.
- Opportunity to display your banner or promotional material at the event.
- Invitation to pre-event reception with ICORD and VCS Directors
- Private tour of ICORD research facility
- Season Tickets to VCS 2014/15 Season
- additional 2 tickets to the event (6 tickets total).

# Sincere thanks to our 2013 Spinal Chord sponsors

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Vancouver Cantata Singers was founded in 1957, and is one of Canada's preeminent, award-winning choral ensembles. VCS is known for technical virtuosity, fine blend and exceptionally high performance standards encompassing 500 years of choral repertoire, and has been awarded the Canada Council's top prize in choral singing, the Healey Willan Grand Prize, more than any other choir in the country. Under the artistic direction of Paula Kremer, the choir looks forward to exploring different venues and continuing to discover wonderful music from the past and present that enriches their art.

see [www.vancouvercantatasingers.com](http://www.vancouvercantatasingers.com)



ICORD (International Collaboration On Repair Discoveries) is an interdisciplinary research centre in the UBC Faculty of Medicine. ICORD's research activities range from innovative preclinical discovery and acute clinical interventions to chronic care and rehabilitation and community integration and participation, with the shared goal of **making spinal cord injury preventable, livable and curable.**

See [www.icord.org](http://www.icord.org).



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