

## Vision, Mission and Values Statements for McMaster Vascular Surgery Program

### VISION

The McMaster Vascular surgery Program will be recognized internationally as a source of knowledgeable, skillful, empathetic vascular surgeons capable of superlative professional work in accordance with all requirements of the Royal College of Surgeons of Canada. Our program graduates will exemplify the highest and finest levels of professional abilities described by CanMEDS.

### MISSION

The McMaster Vascular surgery program exists primarily to train future vascular surgeons for either the community or academic practice. The benefits of academic and clinical training are brought to patient care and to professional colleagues in a spirit of caring, learning and advancement of our profession.

### VALUES

- 1) Respect for others with responsibility for oneself
- 2) Honesty and integrity in all professional activities and circumstances
- 3) Communication that is clear, timely and professional
- 4) Continuous learning and sharing of knowledge and skills
- 5) Attitude of curiosity and scientific enquiry
- 6) Analysis and evaluation to bring continuous improvement
- 7) Collegiality