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Biographical details	Edward is Associate Professor at McMaster University Dept. of Health Research Methods, Evidence, and Impact. Trained as a clinical epidemiologist, with a specific focus on clinical trial design and evidence-based medicine. He currently leads several large randomized trials and mega-cohorts of HIV infection in Eastern Africa. He has a specific interest in innovative clinical trial design and Bayesian methods.

**Declaration of competing interests**

**All questions relate to the past 3 years (inclusive):**

1. Have you accepted any of the following from an organization that has (or might have) a relationship with *CMAJ* now or in the future and that might gain or lose financially because of the relationship?

- a. Reimbursement for attending a symposium** \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*
- b. Speaker fees** \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*
- c. Fees for educational event** \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*
- d. Research funds** \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*
- e. Funds for a member of your staff** \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*
- f. Consulting fees** \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*

2. Do you hold stocks or shares in an organization that might benefit or lose from an existing relationship with *CMAJ*?  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*

3. Do you have other competing financial interests?  Yes  No  
*Details if yes:*

4. I have the following other competing interests (*details*):

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