

Cardiovascular Conference at Snowmass

Cases, Controversies and Challenges

January 19 – 23, 2019

AGENDA

Friday, January 18

4:30 p.m. – Registration at Westin Snowmass Conference Center
6:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 19

3:30 p.m. Registration and Refreshment Break

SESSION I

Moderator: Dr. Warnes

4:00 p.m. Welcome and Pre-assessment
Dr. Warnes

4:30 p.m. Jack Vogel Memorial Lecture
Cardiac Catheterization and Percutaneous Intervention: Reflections on the Past and Thoughts about the Future
Dr. King

5:10 p.m. Case-based Questions
New Trials and Recent Guidelines: Test Your Knowledge
Drs. Nishimura, O’Gara and Warnes

7:00 p.m. Adjournment

7:15 p.m. - Welcome Reception
8:15 p.m.

Sunday, January 20

SESSION II: Ischemic Heart Disease

Moderator: Dr. O’Gara

6:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

7:00 a.m. Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance in Acute STEMI: Recent Advances and Future Directions
Dr. Martinez

7:25 a.m. How to Approach Revascularization in the STEMI Patient, Including those with Shock
Dr. King

7:50 a.m. Surgery vs. PCI in Patients with Diabetes and ACS
Dr. O’Gara

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8:15 a.m. **Your Patient with Left Main Disease: An Interventionalist's Perspective**
Dr. King

8:30 a.m. **Your Patient with Left Main Disease: An Surgeon's Perspective**
Dr. Mack

8:45 a.m. **Antiplatelet and Concomitant Antithrombotic Therapy in 2019**
Dr. O'Gara

9:10 a.m. **Questions and Answers**

9:30 a.m. **Morning Adjournment**

SESSION III: Valvular and Aortic Disease

Moderator: Dr. Nishimura

3:00 p.m. **Refreshment Break**

3:30 p.m. **Infective Endocarditis: Update For 2019**
Dr. O'Gara

3:55 p.m. **When to Operate in Patients with Valvular Regurgitation: A Surgeon's View of the Guidelines**
Dr. Schaff

4:20 p.m. **Transcatheter Repair in MR**
When One Can and Cannot Get Results Equal to Surgery
Dr. Sorajja

4:45 p.m. **Low Flow, Low Gradient Aortic Stenosis**
Dr. Nishimura

5:10 p.m. **TAVR in Low Risk Patients: Recent Trials and Impact on Aortic Stenosis**
Dr. Mack

5:35 p.m. **Case Presentations**
Moderator: Dr. Nishimura
Panel: Drs. Mack, O'Gara, Schaff and Sorajja

6:50 p.m. **Pearls from the Day**

7:00 p.m. **Evening Adjournment**

Monday, January 21

SESSION IV: Heart Failure/Cardiomyopathies

Moderator: Dr. Desai

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- 6:30 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**
- 7:00 a.m. **Optimizing Pharmacologic Therapy for Heart Failure with Reduced EF: Pearls and Pitfalls**
Dr. Desai
- 7:25 a.m. **Alcohol Septal Ablation for HOCM in 2019**
Dr. Sorajja
- 7:50 a.m. **Evolving Approach to the Management of Cardiogenic Shock**
Dr. Desai
- 8:15 a.m. **New Developments in the Surgical Management of Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy**
Dr. Schaff
- 8:40 a.m. **Diabetes and Heart Failure: A Deadly Intersection**
Dr. Desai
- 9:05 a.m. **Questions and Answers**
- 9:30 a.m. **Morning Adjournment**

SESSION V: Arrhythmias

Moderator: Dr. Asirvatham

- 3:00 p.m. **Refreshment Break**
- 3:30 p.m. **How to Recognize VT and Identify Patients in Whom to Consider Ablation Therapy**
Dr. Asirvatham
- 3:55 p.m. **Inherited Arrhythmia Syndromes: What the Cardiologist Needs to Know**
Dr. Estes
- 4:20 p.m. **Pathophysiology and Management of Clinically Silent and Device-detected Atrial Fibrillation**
Dr. Gersh
- 4:45 p.m. **Contemporary Management of Atrial Fibrillation**
Dr. Asirvatham
- 5:10 p.m. **Surgical Ablation of Atrial Fibrillation: Which Procedure and When to Refer**
Dr. Schaff
- 5:35 p.m. **Innovations in Device Therapies: Subcutaneous ICD's, Leadless Pacemakers and CRT**
Dr. Estes
- 5:55 p.m. **Case Presentations**
Moderator: Dr. Asirvatham
Panel: Drs. Desai, Estes, Gersh and Schaff

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- 6:50 p.m. **Pearls from the Day**
- 7:00 p.m. **Evening Adjournment**

Tuesday, January 22

SESSION VI: General Cardiology and Prevention

Moderator: Dr. Vogel

- 6:30 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**
- 7:00 a.m. **The Forgotten Lipids: HDL, Triglycerides and Lp(a)**
Dr. Vogel
- 7:25 a.m. **Early Detection of Atherosclerosis by Imaging**
Does it really help?
Dr. Martinez
- 7:50 a.m. **Optimum Management of the Patient with Peripheral Arterial Disease**
Dr. Vogel
- 8:15 a.m. **Does Pregnancy Predict Future Cardiovascular Risk?**
Dr. Warnes
- 8:40 a.m. **PCSK9 Inhibitors: For Whom and at What Cost in 2019?**
Dr. Vogel
- 9:05 a.m. **Questions and Answers**
- 9:30 a.m. **Morning Adjournment**

SESSION VII: Lectures and Break-out Sessions

- 3:00 p.m. **Refreshment Break**
- 3:30 p.m. **Test Your Knowledge: What is the Diagnosis from this ECG?**
Dr. Asirvatham
- 4:00 p.m. **Test Your Knowledge: What is the Diagnosis from this CXR?**
Dr. Warnes
- 4:30 p.m. **Indications for Coronary Revascularization in Stable Angina: Implications of the ORBITA Trial**
Dr. Gersh
- 5:00 p.m. **Break for Workshops**
- 5:15 p.m. **Meet the Experts Workshop ***

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** Please note that each of the workshops listed below will be 35 minutes in length. You may select a maximum of 3 workshops to attend.*

Workshop 1: Arrhythmias/Pacemakers

Drs. Asirvatham and Estes

Workshop 2: Coronary Artery Disease

Drs. King and Mack

Workshop 3: Prevention

Dr. Vogel

Workshop 4: Heart Failure

Dr. Desai and Gersh

7:00 p.m. Evening Adjournment

Wednesday, January 23

SESSION VIII: Mistakes and Challenges in Current Clinical Practice

Moderator: Dr. Warnes

- 6:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast**
- 7:00 a.m. Revascularization in Patients with Severe LV Dysfunction: Is Viability Testing Still Viable?**
Dr. Gersh
- 7:25 a.m. Common Mistakes in Adult Congenital Heart Disease**
Dr. Warnes
- 7:50 a.m. Pulmonary Hypertension for the Clinician: What do you Need to Know?**
Dr. Nishimura
- 8:15 a.m. Exercise-induced Cardiac Remodeling – Does your Patient have Physiologic or Pathologic Change?**
The Value of Advanced Imaging
Dr. Martinez
- 8:40 a.m. Randomized Trials: Tribulations and Endpoints**
Clinical Perspectives and Final Thoughts from a Legend
Dr. Gersh
- 9:05 a.m. Post-test and Wrap-up**
Dr. Warnes
- 9:30 a.m. Course Adjournment**