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ACC CENTRAL	Expo, Booth #3345
ACCEL OFFICE	Lounge & Learn Pavilion, Hall C
ATTENDEE SERVICES	
Business Center	Hall C Lobby
Coat Check	Registration Concourse, Level 1 Room 221A
Credit Claim and Technology Help Desk	Registration Concourse, Level 1
First Aid	Hall C Lobby Level 1, Hall A Entrance
Housing Assistance	Registration Concourse, Level 1
Information Kiosks	Registration Concourse, Level 1 Lounge & Learn Pavilion, Hall C Hall C Lobby
Interfaith Prayer Room	Room 221D
Lost and Found	Room 221B
Mothers Room	Room 221E
CONVOCATION	
Convocation Ceremony	ACC.18 Main Tent, Hall C
Convocation Office	Room 310B
Gowns & Hoods Office	Room 310A
Photography Office	Room 309

EDUCATION SESSIONS & INFORMATION	
ACC.18 Main Tent	Hall C
Engage@ACC.18 Studio	Poster Hall, Hall A/B
ePoster Learning Stations	Poster Hall, Hall A/B
Personalized Skills & Simulation Center	Lounge & Learn Pavilion, Hall C
MOC Education	304G
Poster Sessions	Hall A/B
EXPO	Hall A/B
ExpoSuites	Expo
Health IT Pavilion	Expo
International ACC Chapters Area	Expo
Interventional Pavilion	Expo
Publishers Showcase	Expo
FACULTY & SPEAKER INFORMATION	
Faculty Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion, Hall C
Poster Services Desk	Hall A/B
Speaker Service Center	Lounge & Learn Pavilion, Hall C
Speaker Registration	Speaker Service Center, Hall C

ISCIENCE SALES COUNTER	Hall C Lobby Expo, Booth #3345
LEARNING DESTINATIONS	
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LOUNGE & LEARN PAVILION	Hall C
ACC Apparel Store	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
ACCEL Office	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
ACCPAC Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
Cardiology Careers Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
CV Team Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
Early Career Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
Faculty Lounge & Speaker Service Center	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
FIT Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
Heart to Heart Stage	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
International Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
Personalized Skills & Simulation Center	Lounge & Learn Pavilion
Women in Cardiology Lounge	Lounge & Learn Pavilion

MEDIA COMPLEX	
Exhibitor Newsroom	Room 222A
Media Registration	Room 224 Lobby
Newsroom	Room 224EFGH
Press Conference Room	Room 224ABC
MEDICAL MEETINGS INFORMATION UNIT	Level 2, Outside Hall A/B
MEETING SERVICES OFFICE	Lounge & Learn Pavilion, Hall C
PORTFOLIO PICK-UP	Hall C Lobby
REGISTRATION	
Attendee Registration	Registration Concourse, Level 1
Exhibitor Registration	Registration Concourse, Level 1
Media Registration	Room 224 Lobby
Speaker Registration	Speaker Service Center, Lounge & Learn Pavilion, Hall C
RESTAURANTS	
Restaurants	Expo, Rear Of Hall A/B

The information in the Program-At-A-Glance is current as of Jan. 31, 2018. For the most up-to-date information, please download the ACC.18 App by searching "ACC.18" in your mobile device's app store.



FRIDAY, MARCH 9

8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Attendee Registration
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SATURDAY, MARCH 10

6:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Attendee Registration
8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	ACC.18 Education
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	ACC.18 Opening Showcase (Main Tent, Hall C)
9:30 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.	ACC.18 Expo
6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	ACC Clinical Focus Sessions

SUNDAY, MARCH 11

6:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Attendee Registration
8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	ACC.18 Education
9:30 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.	ACC.18 Expo
6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	ACC Clinical Focus Sessions
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	All Sections Reception

MONDAY, MARCH 12

6:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Attendee Registration
8:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.	General Sessions
9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Expo
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	ACC Convocation Ceremony
8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	ACC.18 President’s, New Fellows and Associates’ Reception



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- Open the ACC.18 App on your device
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Go to [accscientificsession.org/AllAccess](http://accscientificsession.org/AllAccess) and login with your ACC username and password.

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Hall C Lobby  
ACC Central, Expo, Booth #3345

iScience, the ACC.18 Meeting on Demand™ Program, is a comprehensive digital library with more than 400 hours of presentations from all 11 learning pathways at ACC.18. With so many concurrent sessions offered at ACC.18, iScience is the perfect way to maximize your time and experience as many sessions as you want. Plus, you can start accessing iScience within 24 hours of each live presentation. Stop by the sales desk to purchase and save \$1,000 or more.

SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE

Shuttle bus services to and from the ACC.18 hotels and the Orange County Convention Center are provided for individuals who made hotel reservations through Experient Inc., the official ACC.18 housing company. There will be no shuttle service on Friday, March 9.

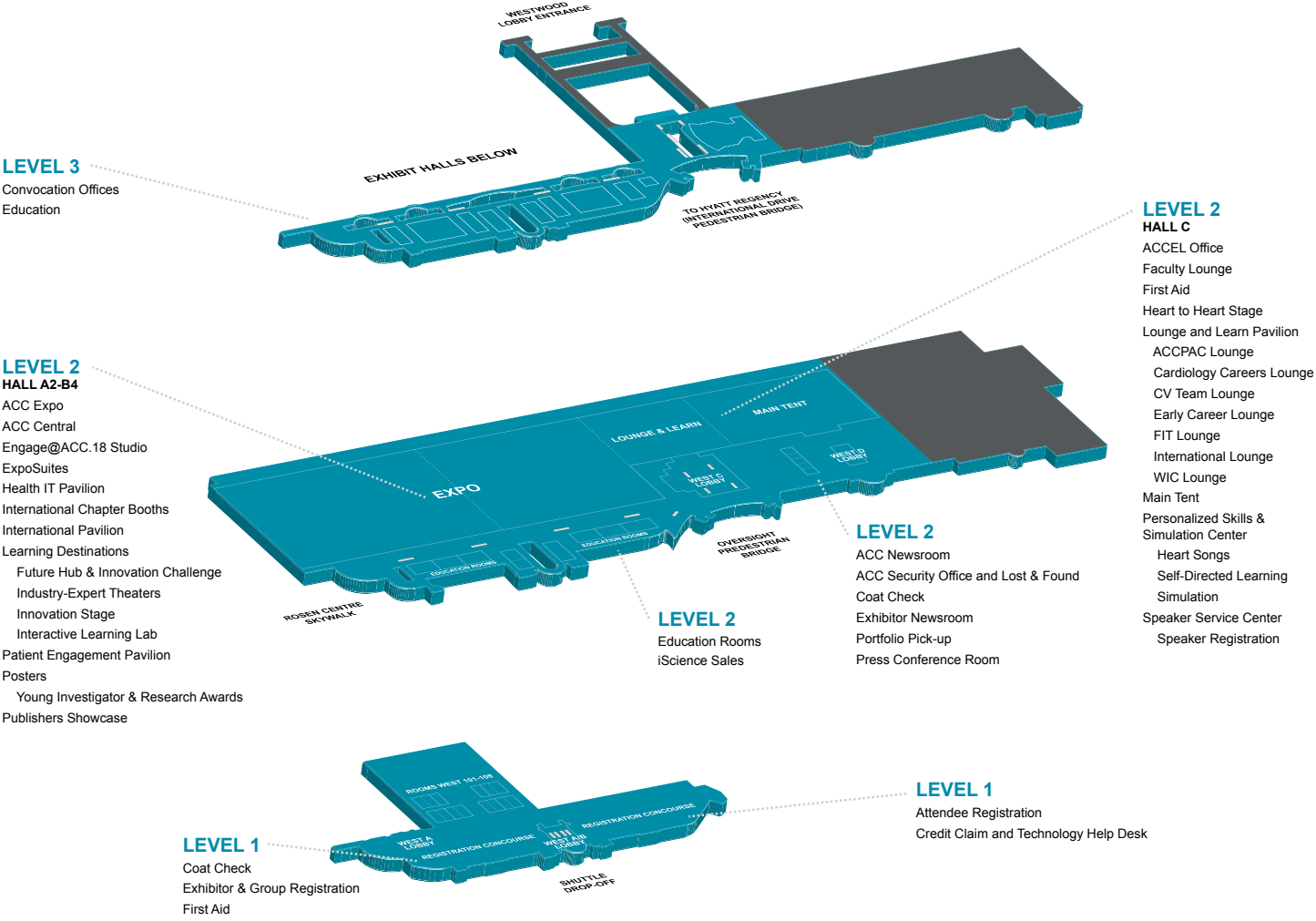
SATURDAY, MARCH 10 – MONDAY, MARCH 12

Departures from Hotels	6:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
No shuttle service provided	9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Departures from Convention Center	5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

The Orange County Convention Center is the transfer point for all routes. The following hotels are considered walk hotels and will not provide shuttle service: Hilton Orlando, Hyatt Regency Orlando, Rosen Centre and Rosen Plaza. If you require a special-needs shuttle, please contact [acc@experient-inc.com](mailto:acc@experient-inc.com) to make arrangements.



CONVENTION CENTER OVERVIEW  
West Concourse







LOUNGE & LEARN PAVILION

The Lounge & Learn Pavilion will serve as the central hub of ACC.18. It's the place to meet with friends and colleagues, watch sessions in the Heart Hubs, or participate in informal sessions in various lounges.

Saturday, March 10  
6:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 11  
6:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Monday, March 12  
7:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

PERSONALIZED SKILLS & SIMULATION CENTER

Saturday, March 10  
8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 11  
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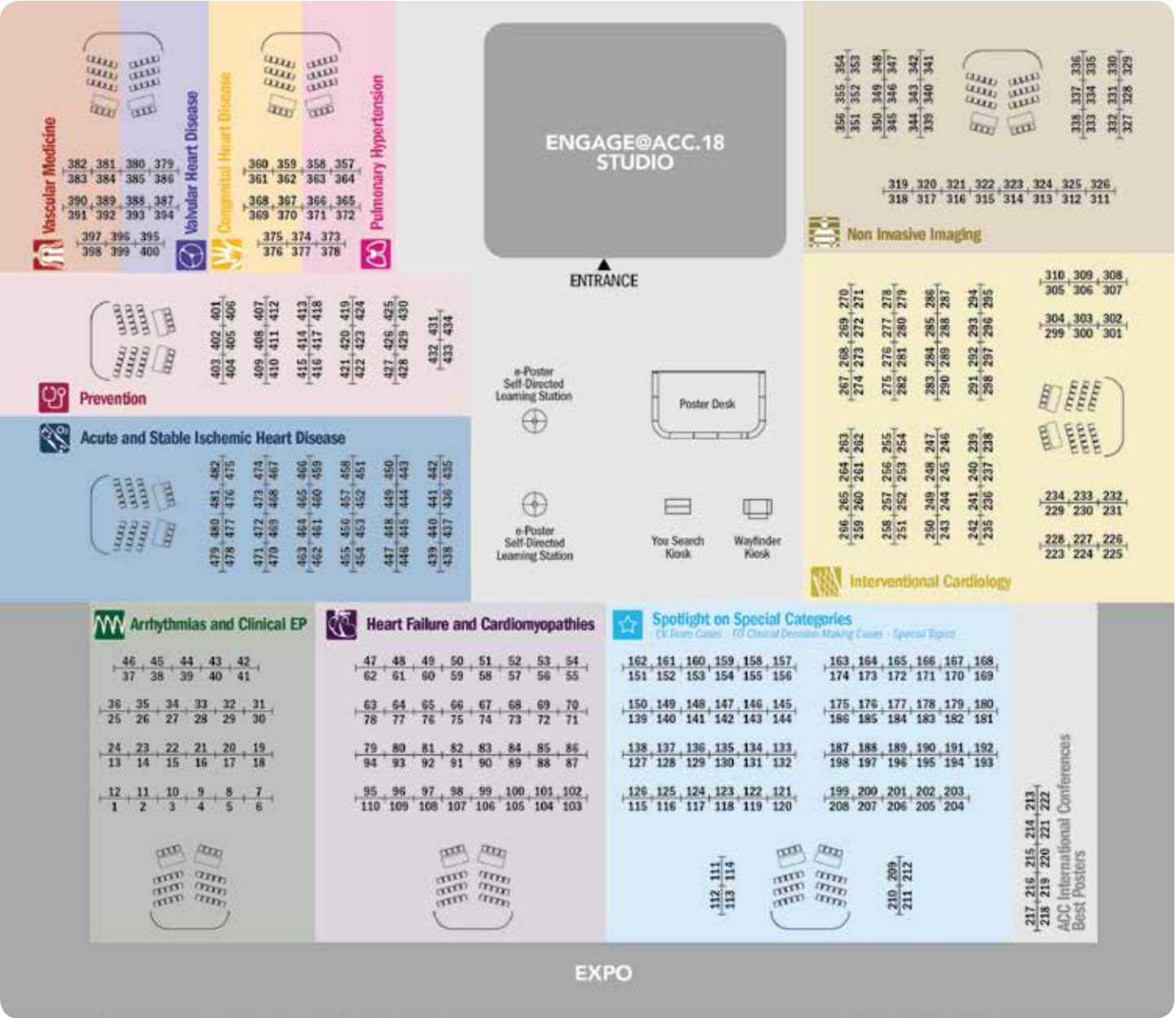
Choose to practice and improve your skills in one or all of the many types of skills training modules available – personalize your curriculum in a unique self-directed, self-paced environment.

The Personalized Skills & Simulation Center includes:

- ‘Drill & Practice’ Heart Songs, ECG and the new Hand-Held Echo self-directed learning
- Facilitated hands-on virtual simulation case-based sessions featuring full-body manikin, TEE/ Echo, interactive touch-table and shared decision-making role-playing simulation exercises

- ABIM MOC simulation self-assessment testing
- MOC test your knowledge question modules
- Live streaming of sessions
- Access to ePosters

Time spent in the Center is eligible for dual CME/MOC credit for some activities. For additional detailed session schedule information, search the ACC.18 App and filter for “Hands-on Skills Learning.”



EXPO

Hall A/B

Complete your educational experience at the ACC.18 Expo where nearly 300 companies and organizations will showcase the latest advances in pharmaceuticals, imaging, devices, health IT and the services you need to provide high-quality care to your patients.

Saturday, March 10	9:30 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Sunday, March 11	9:30 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Monday, March 12	9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

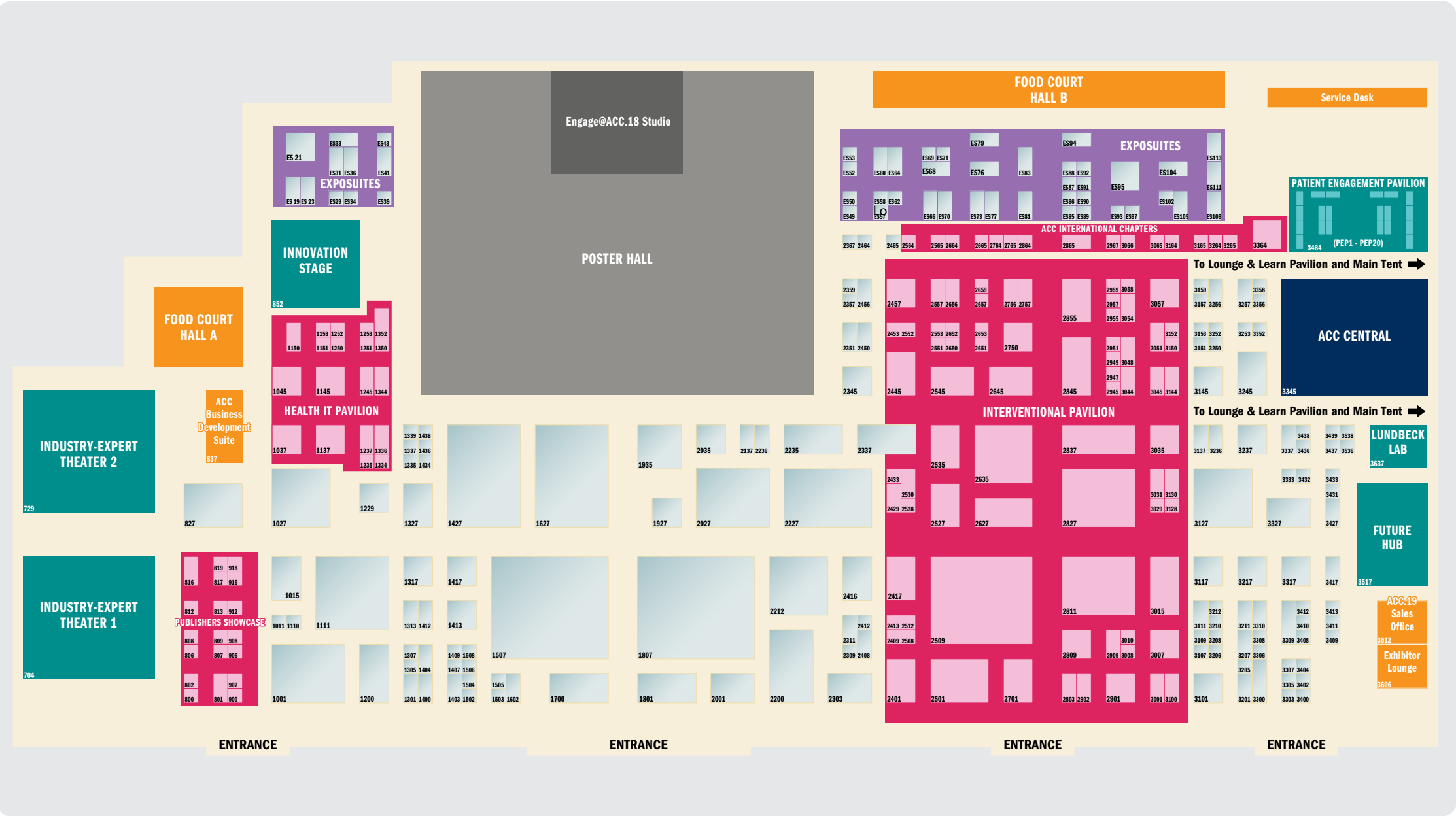
Be sure to visit ACC Central, Booth #3345 for the latest news from your meeting host, the American College of Cardiology.

LEARNING DESTINATIONS


Expo, Hall A/B

Learning Destinations are diverse, non-certified, educationally focused areas that offer creative ways to expand your educational experience at ACC.18. We invite you to visit these dynamic learning environments located in the Expo:

- **Future Hub & ACC.18 Innovation Challenge:** Booth #3517
- **Industry-Expert Theater 1:** Booth #704
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


















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CONGENITAL HEART DISEASE		5002: <b>Pediatric Cardiology Division Chiefs Summit</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Plaza International Ballroom E/F</i>		5002: <b>CHD Community Day</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Plaza International Ballroom E/F</i>				
SPECIAL TOPICS				501: <b>10th ACC Cardiovascular Conference on the Middle East: From Diabetes to Ischemic Cardiomyopathy: How to Break the Chain? I: Introduction and Plenary Lecture – Diabetes and Coronary Artery Disease: Should We Be Concerned?</b> <i>Room 304 A</i>	502: <b>10th ACC Cardiovascular Conference on the Middle East: From Diabetes to Ischemic Cardiomyopathy: How to Break the Chain? II: Diabetes in the Middle East</b> <i>Room 304 A</i>	503: <b>10th ACC Cardiovascular Conference on the Middle East: From Diabetes to Ischemic Cardiomyopathy: How to Break the Chain? III: Ischemic Cardiomyopathy in 2017 – An Update</b> <i>Room 304 A</i>		
				504: <b>6th Annual Conquering Healthcare Challenges in the Emerging Worlds Symposium I: Population Health and CVD Prevention: The Role That the Government Plays and The Role That Physicians Play</b> <i>Room 304 E</i>	505: <b>6th Annual Conquering Healthcare Challenges in the Emerging Worlds Symposium II: Enhancing CV Health in Women and in Vulnerable Communities</b> <i>Room 304 E</i>	506: <b>6th Annual Conquering Healthcare Challenges in the Emerging Worlds Symposium III: Diseases of Modernization in Resource-Challenged Settings</b> <i>Room 304 E</i>	507: <b>6th Annual Conquering Healthcare Challenges in the Emerging Worlds Symposium IV: Promoting Cardiovascular Health</b> <i>Room 304 E</i>	5004: <b>ACC.org Editorial Reception</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Celebration 6</i>
							5003: <b>Town Hall: Task Force on Diversity</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Regency Ballroom T</i>	5005: <b>ACCPAC Signature Event</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Orlando Ballroom M</i>
				100: <b>Training Directors' Symposium I</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Regency Ballroom Q</i>	101: <b>Training Directors' Symposium II</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Regency Ballroom Q</i>	102: <b>Training Directors' Symposium III</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Regency Ballroom Q</i>		
				5001: <b>Training Program Administrators</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Plaza International Ballroom D</i>				

































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ACUTE AND STABLE ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE		600: Life After Coronary Revascularization: Are We Still on the Roller Coaster? Room 308 C 			608: Managing Angina: Main Street, or Adventureland? Room 206 A 		623: Coronary Care Unit Clinical Conundrums: Alice in Wonderland Room 206 A 		638: Logistical and Clinical Challenges in MI Systems of Care: Islands of Adventure Room 206 A 	
					802: Core Curriculum: ACS Update – What Would You Do? Room 207 A 					
					6001: Heart Teams in Action: Complex Coronary Revascularization Decision-Making Engage@ACC.18 Studio, Hall A/B					
ARRHYTHMIAS AND CLINICAL EP					607: Arrhythmia Controversies That All Cardiologists Need to Master: Joint Symposium of the Heart Rhythm Society and the American College of Cardiology Room 314 A 		512: Sudden Death and Arrhythmia Management: How Do Guidelines Impact on Health Care: International Perspectives from the ACC Great Britain and Ireland Chapter, Lebanese Society of Cardiology and American College of Cardiology Room 304 E 		637: Debate: Anticoagulation for Device Detected Atrial High Rates Episodes Room 314 A 	
							622: Stroke Prevention in Atrial Fibrillation: Choosing the Best Anticoagulant in Special Populations Room 314 A 			
CONGENITAL HEART DISEASE		601: The Aorta in ACHD: Too Small or Too Big, or Just Right? Room 208 C 			510: International Perspectives From the Canadian Cardiovascular Society, Peruvian Society of Cardiology and American College of Cardiology Room 304 A 		624: Blinded by Science: Bard High Versus Palmaz High Room 208 C 			
					609: Exercise in Congenital Heart Disease: Will She Make It? Room 208 C 					
HEART FAILURE AND CARDIOMYOPATHIES									513: The Growing International Burden of Heart Failure: International Perspectives from the Cardiological Society of India, Hellenic Society of Cardiology and American College of Cardiology Room 304 A 	
		602: From Left to Right: Pulmonary Hypertension in Left Heart Disease Room 315 A 			610: Genetic Testing for Cardiomyopathies Room 315 A 		625: Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy as a Contemporary Treatable Disease Room 315 A 		639: Emerging Therapies in Heart Failure: The Crystal Ball Room 315 A 	
		603: HELP! My Patient With Heart Disease Is Now Pregnant Room 312A 			611: Contemporary Challenges in Durable Mechanical Circulatory Support Room 312 A 		626: Planning Ahead: Palliative Care in End-Stage Heart Failure Room 312 A 		640: Key Challenges and Controversies in Heart Transplantation Room 312 A 	
									5007: Careers in Heart Failure & Transplant Symposium Hyatt Regency Orlando, Regency Ballroom Q	



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INTERVENTIONAL CARDIOLOGY		604: Shock Me Once, Awe Me Twice: The Biventricular Approach to Acute Shock Room 204 C 			201: Interventional Live Case Session I: Structural/Coronary Transmission From Henry Ford Hospital and the 49th Annual Louis F. Bishop Keynote Main Tent, Hall C		202: Interventional Live Case Session II: Coronary Transmission From Minneapolis Heart Institute Main Tent, Hall C		203: Interventional Live Case Session III: Structural/Coronary Transmission From Henry Ford Hospital Main Tent, Hall C	
		605: Case Based Decision Making With Coronary Physiology and Imaging and Evidence Behind These Decision Room 203 A 			614: The Many Frontiers of Endovascular Interventions! Practical Advice From the Experts Room 205 A 		629: Quality Redefined: The Lab, the Data, and the Government and the James T. Dove Keynote Room 205 A 		643: NCDR Cath PCI Registry for Reporting and Quality Room 205 A 	
		606: Transradial Mini-Symposium Room 202 C 			615: Hybrid Coronary Revascularization: Where Did It Go or Is It Here to Stay? Room 204 C 		630: Minimally Invasive Surgical and Transcatheter Technologies for MR: The Best Is Yet to Come! Room 204 C 		644: Utilizing Invasive Physiology in Daily Practice: An Evidence-based Approach Room 204 C 	
					616: Challenging Structural Cases by the Experts: Managing the Unexpected! Room: 203 A 		631: Complex PCI Unlimited: Learn Through Cases With Experts Room: 203 A 		645: Left Atrial Appendage Closure for Stroke Prevention: Are the Data Convincing? Room: 203 A 	
					617: Planning Through Imaging: Percutaneous Approaches to Mitral and Tricuspid Valve Room: 202 C 		632: Make Structural Heart Great Again Room: 202 C 		646: Well I'm Not Sure We Should Do That... Controversies in Interventional Cardiology Room: 202 C 	
						805: Test Your Knowledge: ABIM 2017-2018 Update in Interventional Cardiology Room 304 G				
NON-INVASIVE IMAGING					612: Echocardiography: What Is New and Innovative in 2018 Room 311 A 		627: Cardio-oncology Imaging: How to Do It Right Room 311 A 		641: Advanced Echocardiography for Complex Heart Disease: Joint Symposium of the American Society of Echocardiography and the American College of Cardiology Room 311A 	
					613: Peri-procedural Imaging in Structural Heart Diseases: Updates and Case Reviews Room 308 A 		628: Controversies in Cardiac CT Room 308 A 		642: Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy: Multimodality Imaging and Invasive Hemodynamics Room 308 A 	
							804: Core Curriculum: Imaging the Heart – Choosing Wisely Room 207 A 			
PREVENTION					619: Hitting the Moving Targets: Practical Considerations in Hypertension Guideline Implementation Room 308 C 		511: Prevention and Treatment of Myocardial Infarction in the Young: International Perspectives From the Russian Society of Cardiology, Turkish Society of Cardiology and American College of Cardiology Room 304 A 		647: Ensuring a Bright Future for Patients With T2DM: Comprehensive Risk Management Room 308 C 	
							633: Dyslipidemia: Creating Harmony in an Ever-Changing Landscape of Guidelines Room 308 C 			
PULMONARY HYPERTENSION					618: The Many Faces of Pulmonary Hypertension: Patient and Physician Perspectives on Congenital Heart Disease, Heart Failure Preserved Ejection Fraction and Chronic Thromboembolic Pulmonary Hypertension Room 304 E 					



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SPECIAL TOPICS		400: <b>ACC.18 Opening Showcase Featuring the 2018 Simon Dack Keynote</b> <i>Main Tent, Hall C</i>	401: <b>Joint American College of Cardiology and <i>Journal of Cardiology</i> Late-Breaking Clinical Trials</b> <i>Main Tent, Hall C</i>				51: <b>Innovate or Perish: Emerging Technologies and the Future of Cardiovascular Practice I</b> <i>Room 209 B</i>			52: <b>Innovate or Perish: Emerging Technologies and the Future of Cardiovascular Practice II</b> <i>Room 209 B</i>		403: <b>FIT Forum: Mix and Mingle</b> <i>Expo, Hall A, Food Court</i>		5008: <b>Women in Cardiology Section Meeting</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Regency Ballroom T</i>				
							5009: <b>CV Team Section Meeting &amp; Reception</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Orlando Ballroom N</i>											
							103: <b>Optimizing Symptom Management in Patients With Cardiovascular Disease – Cardiology and Palliative Care Working Collaboratively to Maximize Patient Outcomes: Pharmacology Session I</b> <i>Room 307 A</i>			104: <b>Controversial Topics in Pharmacotherapy – A Case Based Panel Discussion: Pharmacology Session II</b> <i>Room 307 A</i>		105: <b>Caring for the HeART of HIV Patients: Impact of Antiretroviral Therapy (ART) on Cardiovascular Health: Pharmacology Session III</b> <i>Room 307 A</i>						
						6501: <b>How to Navigate ACC.18: An Inside Look at This Year's Program</b> <i>Heart to Heart Stage, Lounge &amp; Learn, Hall C</i>		6502: <b>How to Maintain Your Cardiovascular Certification and Competency</b> <i>Heart to Heart Stage, Lounge &amp; Learn, Hall C</i>	402: <b>Featured Clinical Research I</b> <i>Room 311 E</i>			634: <b>Stroke: From Intervention to Prevention</b> <i>Room 311 E</i>					5010: <b>Health Care Innovation Section Information Session</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Celebration 1</i>	
				6000: <b>FIT Jeopardy: Battle of the State Chapters I</b> <i>Engage@ACC.18 Studio, Hall A/B</i>				620: <b>WIC Brown Bag Lunch Session: Women Leading the Way Throughout CV Specialties</b> <i>Room 312 C</i>		6002: <b>FIT Jeopardy: Battle of the State Chapters II</b> <i>Engage@ACC.18 Studio, Hall A/B</i>				779: <b>FIT Forum: Scholarship and Education</b> <i>Room 312 C</i>			5011: <b>JACC Journals Author/Editor Meet &amp; Greet</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Plaza International Ballroom K</i>	
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											648: <b>Aortic Stenosis : It Used to Be So Simple</b> <i>Room 311 E</i>							
											649: <b>Advanced Valve Centers: A New System of Care for Valve Disease</b> <i>Room 307 C</i>							
VASCULAR MEDICINE										636: <b>More than Meets the Eye: Harnessing Technology to Optimize Vascular Outcomes</b> <i>Room 312 C</i>				1601: <b>Listening To Their Legs: Strategies for Preventing, Detecting and Managing the Silent Killer of Peripheral Artery Disease</b> <i>Room 209 B</i>		1602: <b>DOACs Beyond AF: Management Strategies for VTE</b> <i>Room 208 C</i>		



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• Industry Expert Theater 2		4009: Criticality of LDL-C Lowering by Amgen <i>Expo Hall, #729</i>		4010: Repatha® (evolocumab): Putting it into Practice by Amgen <i>Expo Hall, #729</i>		4011: Jardiance® (empagliflozin) tablets: Evolving Clinical Development by Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc./Lilly USA <i>Expo Hall, #729</i>
• Innovation Stage	4201: PRALUENT® (alirocumab) Injection: The Time to Treat is Now by Sanofi-Regeneron <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>	4202: Thrombosis: AFib & DVT/PE: An Exploration in Risk Reduction by Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>		4203: Thrombosis: AFib & DVT/PE: An Exploration in Risk Reduction by Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>	4204: Thrombosis: AFib & DVT/PE: An Exploration in Risk Reduction by Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>	4205: Modern Afib Treatments for a Better Tomorrow by Biosense Webster, Inc. <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>
• Patient Engagement Pavilion		4302: Welcome and Remarks by Dr. Martha Gulati, Editor-in-Chief, CardioSmart <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>	Improving Defect Free Care Compliance; Improving Patient Outcomes <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>	4303: Plant-Based Diets: A Cure? <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>	4304: Leveraging Patient Engagement to Enhance the Conduct of a Pragmatic Trial: Experiences from The ADAPTABLE Trial <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>	4305: ABC Initiative to Improve Health Care Access for Minority and High-Risk Populations <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>
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		651: The Mad Hatter's Approach to Refractory Angina Management: Debates on Out-of-the Box Therapies Room 205 A		664: Controversies in ACS Guidelines Room 205 A							
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						5015: Adult Congenital & Pediatric Cardiology Quality Network Learning Session Hyatt Regency Orlando, Celebration 7					
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		657: <b>Left Atrial Appendage Closure: Challenging Cases and Complications</b> <i>Room 202 C</i>		671: <b>TAVR in 2018: Changing the Landscape of Treatment Strategies for Aortic Stenosis</b> <i>Room 202 C</i>		684: <b>Antiplatelet Therapy: Practical Management Pearls</b> <i>Room 205 A</i>		698: <b>Multi-modality Imaging for Left Atrial Appendage Closure: Pearls From the Experts</b> <i>Room 205 A</i>		407: <b>Featured Clinical Research II: Interventional</b> <i>Room 202 C</i>	
				808: <b>Core Curriculum: Tough Revascularization Scenarios</b> <i>Room 207 A</i>		685: <b>Improving TAVR Through Imaging: Seeing Is Believing!</b> <i>Room 204 C</i>		699: <b>The Good, The Bad, and the Ugly: The Best Cases and Worst Complications, and Lessons Learned</b> <i>Room 204 C</i>		713: <b>Walking the Fine Line: High Bleeding Risk Patient and Bleeding Avoidance Strategies</b> <i>Room 205 A</i>	
		903: <b>Highlighted Original Research: Interventional Cardiology and the Year in Review</b> <i>Room 204 C</i>		905: <b>The 2018 Top 6 Coronary Challenging Cases</b> <i>Room 204 C</i>		686: <b>CTO: The Good The Bad, and the Ugly – The Learning ZONE!</b> <i>Room 203 A</i>		700: <b>Debates in Percutaneous Mechanical Support for Cardiogenic Shock: Joint Symposium by the Society of Cardiovascular Angiography and Interventions and the American College of Cadiology</b> <i>Room 203 A</i>		714: <b>Tarot Cards and Trials: Predicting the Outcomes and Implications of Ongoing RCTs</b> <i>Room 204 C</i>	
						687: <b>Emerging Role of NOACs in Patients With Coronary Artery Disease: The Balancing Act!</b> <i>Room 202 C</i>		701: <b>Percutaneous Approach to the Mitral Valve: REPAIR or REPLACE – That Is the Question!</b> <i>Room 202 C</i>		715: <b>DAPT: How to Choose, Which Drug, for How Long, and In Which Setting?</b> <i>Room 203 A</i>	
NON-INVASIVE IMAGING		654: <b>Controversies in Echocardiography</b> <i>Room 311 A</i>		668: <b>The Great Debate: Should We Image Simply Because We Can?</b> <i>Room 311 A</i>				696: <b>Unique Contributions of CMR to Clinical Cardiology: Joint Symposium of the Society for Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance and the American College of Cardiology</b> <i>Room 311 A</i>		711: <b>Current Status of Cardiac CT: Joint Symposium of the Society of Cardiovascular Computed Tomography and the American College of Cardiology</b> <i>Room 311 A</i>	
		655: <b>Cardiovascular Molecular Imaging: Bench to Bedside</b> <i>Room 308 A</i>		669: <b>Cardiac Amyloidosis: The Right Test for the Right Patient</b> <i>Room 308 A</i>		683: <b>Controversies in Cardiac MRI</b> <i>Room 308 A</i>		697: <b>Stress Echocardiography: Ischemia, Valves, Perfusion and More!</b> <i>Room 308 A</i>		712: <b>Assessment of the Patient With Severe AS in the TAVR Era</b> <i>Room 308 A</i>	
PREVENTION		515: <b>The Magnitude of the Problem: Dyslipidemia in the Emerging World: International Perspectives From the ACC Bangladesh Chapter, Philippine Heart Association and American College of Cardiology</b> <i>Room 304 A</i>		673: <b>There's No Sugar Coating the New Reality: Changing the Paradigm for CVD Risk Reduction in T2DM</b> <i>Room 308 C</i>		518: <b>International CV Centers of Excellence and CV Quality: It's a Small World After All</b> <i>Room 304 E</i>		703: <b>The PCSK9 Inhibitor Era: Making the Jump to Light Speed</b> <i>Room 308 C</i>		716: <b>Dying for Your Meal: How Common Dietary Factors Can Influence Mortality in CVD</b> <i>Room 308 C</i>	1604: <b>The New Reality is Here: The Why, Who, and How of Comprehensive Diabetes Care</b> <i>Room 208 C</i>
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						5014: <b>Federal Cardiology Section Meeting</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Plaza International Ballroom I</i>			5016: <b>APC General Assembly</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Orlando Ballroom L</i>			
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VASCULAR MEDICINE				677: <b>Vasculo-Oncology: What You Really Need To Know About Vascular and Thrombotic Complications of Cancer and Cancer Therapeutics and the Douglas P. Zipes, MD, MACC, Distinguished Young Scientist Awardee Presentation</b> <i>Room 307 A (📺)</i>		690: <b>Multidisciplinary Response Teams for High-Risk PE and DVT: Respond Like a Pro</b> <i>Room 307 A (📺)</i>		811: <b>Core Curriculum: Head to Toe Vascular Disease</b> <i>Room 207 A (📺)</i>		5018: <b>Peripheral Vascular Disease Section Meeting</b> <i>Hyatt Regency Orlando, Celebration 7</i>		
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• Industry Expert Theater 2		4012: Risk Consideration in Patients With CHD and PAD by Amgen <i>Expo Hall, #729</i>								4013: Repatha® (evolocumab): Putting it into Practice by Amgen <i>Expo Hall, #729</i>							4014: Selecting the Right Therapy Option for NVAF Stroke Risk Reduction: A Multi-Specialty Approach by Boston Scientific <i>Expo Hall, #729</i>	
• Innovation Stage		4206: PRALUENT® (alirocumab) Injection: Addressing the Unmet Need and Getting Patients to Goal by Sanofi-Regeneron <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>								4207: HF ORIGINS: New Perspectives on the Pathophysiology of Depressed Myocardial Contractility in Heart Failure with Reduced Ejection Fraction Presentation by Amgen <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>							4208: I'm Afraid to Faint Again: Overview of Neurogenic Orthostatic Hypotension Diagnosis and Management by Lundbeck <i>Expo Hall, #852</i>	
• Patient Engagement Pavilion			4318: She Said, He Said: Physician and Patient Awareness of Spontaneous Coronary Artery Dissection (SCAD) <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>	The Role of Heart Failure Nurses in Patient Outcomes <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>	4307: Why Patients Need a Voice in their Care <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>		4308: A Solution for Patients: A Demonstration of the CREATION program From Florida Hospital Cardiac Rehab <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>						4310: Patient Engagement Pavilion Presentation by FH Foundation <i>Expo Hall, #3464</i>					
• Future Hub		4403: ACC.18 Innovation Challenge: Digital Health <i>Expo Hall, #3517</i> 								4404: Ways to Master Digital Medicine Research Without Breaking a Sweat <i>Expo Hall, #3517</i>	4404: Precision Medicine: Hype or Reality for Cardiologists? <i>Expo Hall, #3517</i>	4404: Treating Patients With Structural Heart Disease: What Is Coming Down the Pipeline? <i>Expo Hall, #3517</i>	4404: The Future of Valve Technology <i>Expo Hall, #3517</i>				4405: ACC.18 Innovation Challenge: Medical Devices <i>Expo Hall, #3517</i> 	



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ARRHYTHMIAS AND CLINICAL EP	523: Atrial Fibrillation – The Big Picture: International Perspectives From the European Society of Cardiology II and American College of Cardiology <i>Room 304 A</i> (●)		729: Anticoagulation Challenges in Patients With Dysrhythmias <i>Room 314 A</i> (●)		526: Sudden Cardiac Death: The Asian Perspective: International Perspectives From the ACC China Chapter, Singapore Cardiac Society and American College of Cardiology <i>Room 304 A</i> (●)		759: Controversies and Conversations in Device Management <i>Room 314 A</i> (●)		1400: Electrophysiology Section Highlights for ACC.18 <i>Room 314 A</i> (●)		
	719: Arrhythmias Potpourri: We Got Rhythm! <i>Room 314 A</i> (●)		744: What’s New for 2018? A Case-based Discussion of Atrial Arrhythmias <i>Room 314 A</i> (●)		760: Return To Play For Athletes With Cardiovascular Disease: Radical Changes In The 2015 Eligibility Guidelines <i>Room 312 C</i> (●)						
			745: Managing Premature Ventricular Contractions: Myths, Facts, and Revolutionary Techniques <i>Room 311 E</i> (●)		818: Core Curriculum: Afib Pharmacologic Options Versus Interventions <i>Room 207 A</i> (●)						
			6011: ECG Quiz Bowl: Are You Smarter Than the EP Expert? <i>Engage@ACC.18 Studio, Hall A/B</i>				819: Test Your Knowledge: ABIM 2017 – 2018 Update in Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology <i>Room 304 G</i>				
CONGENITAL HEART DISEASE	908: Highlighted Original Research: Congenital Heart Disease and the Year in Review <i>Room 208 C</i>		732: Innovation in Congenital Cardiac Interventions: Featuring the Dan McNamara Keynote <i>Room 208 C</i> (●)		748: Personalizing Care for Single Ventricle Patients: From Fetus to Adult <i>Room 208 C</i> (●)		763: Technical Strategies in Staged Single Ventricle Palliation: Joint Symposium of the American Association for Thoracic Surgeons and the American College of Cardiology <i>Room 208 C</i> (●)				
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		6009: Ask the Heart Failure Experts <i>Engage@ACC.18 Studio, Hall A/B</i>	751: Biomarkers in Heart Failure: Where Are We Now and What's the Future? <i>Room 209 B</i>								
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	724: MR Assessment and Management: Evidence Based Approach With Case Discussions <i>Room 203 A</i>		409: Late-Breaking Clinical Trials: Interventional Cardiology <i>Main Tent, Hall C</i>		753: Radial and Femoral Vascular Access: Learn From the Experts <i>Room 204 C</i>		768: Complex Coronary Interventions: Cases and Discussion With Experts <i>Room 204 C</i>		776: Debates in the Management of High Risk Coronary Patients: Overuse, Underuse or Just Right? <i>Room 204 C</i>		
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PERSONALIZED SKILLS & SIMULATION CENTER		Hone your auscultation skills with Heart Songs, test your expertise during simulations at the Clinical Judgment Station using Body Interact; improve your patient communication techniques at the Shared Decision-Making Station; challenge your acute heart failure care at the Immersive Station and practice your procedural skills. In addition, you'll find a quiet place to take and submit the MOC self-assessment question modules. Lounge & Learn, Hall C									



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