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**Sunday May 04, 2008**

<b>Nurse and Technologist Symposium I: Introduction to Peripheral Vascular Disease</b>		<b>Laurie Ventura, RN</b>
8:00 AM	Welcome and Introduction	Laurie Ventura, RN
8:05 AM	Peripheral Artery Disease: Recognition and Treatment	Stephen Ramee, MD
8:20 AM	Live Case Demonstration	Stephen Ramee, MD, John Laird, MD, Tyrone Collins, MD, Laurie Ventura, RN
9:00 AM	Arterial vs. Venous Ulceration: How and when to treat	
9:20 AM	Acute Limb Ischemia: Recognition and treatment	John Laird, MD
9:40 AM	Vascular Closure Devices: Better than manual compression?	Tyrone Collins, MD
10:00 AM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
10:30 AM	Live Case Demonstration	Michael Jaff, DO, Christopher White, MD, John Reilly, MD, Laurie Ventura, RN
11:00 AM	CTA vs. Angiography: What's best	John Reilly, MD
11:20 AM	Renal Artery Stenosis: When and how to treat	Christopher White, MD
11:40 AM	When and how to use the Vascular Lab after peripheral intervention	Michael Jaff, DO
12:00 PM	Lunch and Visit Exhibits	
<b>Nurse and Technologist Symposium II: Treatment of Cerebrovascular Disease</b>		<b>Deborah Roberts, RN</b>
1:00 PM	Stroke Prevention: Medical Therapy or Revascularization	Mark Grise, MD
1:20 PM	Carotid Stenting in 2008: Indication, treatment and who pays?	Gary Ansel, MD
1:40 PM	Stroke Therapy: Thrombolysis vs. Catheter-based Treatment	Alex Abou-chebl, MD
2:00 PM	Live Case Demonstration	Deborah Roberts, RN, Mark Grise, MD, Gary Ansel, MD, Alex Abou-chebl, MD
2:40 PM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
<b>Nurse and Technologist Symposium III: Structural Heart Disease and New</b>		<b>Dana Ascani, RN</b>
3:00 PM	What equipment do I need to stock in my lab?	Gary Ansel, MD
3:20 PM	New and Emerging Technologies	Steven Bailey, MD
3:40 PM	Percutaneous Approach to Structural Heart Disease	Stephen Ramee, MD
4:00 PM	Cases: Recognition and Management of Complications	Gary Ansel, MD, Paul McMullan, MD, Stephen Ramee, MD, Laurie Ventura, RN
5:00 PM	Adjourn	
<b>Renovascular Symposium</b>		<b>Michael Jaff, DO, Dierk Scheinert, MD</b>
8:00 AM	Non-invasive assessment of RAS	Corey Goldman, MD, PhD
8:20 AM	RAS: Incidence and epidemiology	Jeffrey Olin, DO
8:40 AM	Renal Artery Revascularization: Stents vs. surgery?	Jacques Busquet, MD
9:00 AM	Renal FMD: Evaluation and treatment	Jeffrey Olin, DO
9:20 AM	RAS and Hypertension: Who benefits from revascularization?	Dierk Scheinert, MD
9:40 AM	RAS and Renal Insufficiency: Who benefits from revascularization?	J. Michael Bacharach, MD
10:00 AM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
10:30 AM	Emboic Protection in Renal Disease	Michel Henry, MD
10:45 AM	How should we treat renal artery in-stent restenosis?	Mark Grise, MD
11:00 AM	Drug Eluting Stents for Renal Intervention	Dierk Scheinert, MD
11:15 AM	Complications of renal intervention and how to treat them	Mark Bates, MD
11:30 AM	Case Presentations	
12:00 PM	Lunch and Visit Exhibits	
<b>Structural Heart Disease and Stroke Symposium: Part 1</b>		<b>Christopher Cates, MD, Stephen Ramee, MD</b>
8:00 AM	How to assess and manage patients with vertebro-basilar disease	J. Stephen Jenkins, MD
8:15 AM	Stroke Prevention: What is "best" medical therapy	Richard Milani, MD
8:30 AM	Patient selection criteria for acute reperfusion therapy in stroke	James Gebel, Jr., M.D.
8:45 AM	Use of Simulator Training for Neuro-Endovascular Novices	L. Hopkins, MD
9:00 AM	Cerebrovascular Anatomy and Common Variations: What you need to know	Mark Wholey, MD
9:15 AM	Questions and Answers	
9:30 AM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
10:00 AM	Building a Program for TIA & Stroke Therapy	Stephen Ramee, MD
10:15 AM	Choosing IV Lysis or Catheter-based Therapy for Stroke	Alex Abou-chebl, MD
10:30 AM	Management of Intracerebral Thrombosis: Lytics, 2b3a, or thrombectomy	Jay Yadav, MD
10:45 AM	Optimal management of the moderate to severe asymptomatic carotid stenosis patient	Giancarlo Biamino, MD
11:00 AM	Optimal management of symptomatic intra-cranial stenosis patients	Elad Levy, MD
11:15 AM	Stroke Manpower: Why cardiologists NEED to be involved	Michael Cowley, MD

11:30 AM	Questions and Answers	
12:00 PM	Lunch and Visit Exhibits	
<b>Structural Heart Disease and Stroke Symposium: Part 2</b>		<b>Ted Feldman, MD, J. Stephen Jenkins, MD</b>
1:00 PM	Structural Heart Disease and Stroke: What is the relationship?	James Gebel, Jr., M.D.
1:15 PM	The role of magnetic resonance imaging in evaluating structural heart disease	Sangeeta Shah, MD, FACC
1:30 PM	Percutaneous PFO and ASD Repair: Indications, current status and devices	Ziyad Hijazi, MD
1:45 PM	Percutaneous VSD Repair: Indications, current status and devices	J. Stephen Jenkins, MD
2:00 PM	TEE guidance for atrial appendage closure and mitral valve repair	Yvonne Gilliland, MD
2:15 PM	Percutaneous Atrial Appendage Closure	Paul Kramer, MD
2:30 PM	Percutaneous PDA, Coarctation, and Conduit Therapy	Victor Lucas, MD
2:45 PM	Questions and Answers	
3:00 PM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
3:30 PM	Percutaneous Mitral Valve Repair	Ted Feldman, MD
3:50 PM	Percutaneous Aortic Valve Replacement	Michael Mack, MD
4:20 PM	Percutaneous Valve Therapy: Where are we and where will we be going?	Steven Bailey, MD
4:40 PM	Questions and Answers	Steven Bailey, MD, Ted Feldman, MD, Yvonne Gilliland, MD, Ziyad Hijazi, MD, Victor Lucas, MD, Michael Mack, MD, Sangeeta Shah, MD, FACC
5:00 PM	Adjourn	
<b>Monday May 05, 2008</b>		
<b>General Session I: 10 Things you need to know about Carotid Intervention (Part 1)</b>		<b>Michael Jaff, DO, Christopher White, MD</b>
8:00 AM	Live Case Demonstrations	Gary Ansel, MD, William Gray, MD, Mark Grise, MD, Mark Wholey, MD, Alex Abou-chebl, MD
8:45 AM	Featured Lecture: Carotid stenting: Are we ready to replace open surgery?	William Gray, MD
9:05 AM	Optimal patient selection for CAS	Michael Jaff, DO
9:20 AM	Reimbursement for CAS	Christopher White, MD
9:30 AM	Carotid stent design: Open vs. Close Cell	Robert Bersin, MD
9:40 AM	Embolic protection devices with CAS	Giancarlo Biamino, MD
9:50 AM	Ischemic complications and neuro-rescue	Alex Abou-chebl, MD
10:00 AM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
<b>General Session II: 10 Things you need to know about Carotid Intervention (Part 2)</b>		<b>Michael Jaff, DO, Christopher White, MD</b>
10:30 AM	Live Case Demonstrations	William Gray, MD, Robert Safian, MD, Mark Wholey, MD, Jay Yadav, MD
11:15 AM	Featured Lecture: Carotid stenting in asymptomatic patients	William Gray, MD
11:30 AM	Approaching a difficult aortic arch.	Mark Wholey, MD
11:40 AM	CAS vs. CEA in elderly patients	Gary Ansel, MD
11:50 AM	Preventing and treating post-procedure hypotension	Mark Grise, MD
12:00 PM	Lunch Symposia and Visit Exhibits	
12:05 PM	<b>Lunch Symposium 1: Vascular Jeopardy</b>	<b>Jeffrey Olin, DO, Michael Jaff, DO</b>
12:05 PM	<b>Lunch Symposium 2: 10 things you need to know about Complex Cervical-Cerebral Intervention</b>	<b>Mark Grise, MD</b>
12:10 PM	My preference: Surgery or stent for carotid disease	L. Hopkins, MD
12:20 PM	Radial access for carotid and vertebral disease	Michel Henry, MD
12:30 PM	Approaching a difficult aortic arch	Jay Yadav, MD
12:40 PM	Screening and treating CAS in-stent restenosis	Gary Ansel, MD
12:50 PM	Case Presentations and Discussion	Gary Ansel, MD, Michel Henry, MD, L. Hopkins, MD
<b>General Session III: 10 things you need to know about Complex Cerebrovascular</b>		<b>L. Hopkins, MD, J. Stephen Jenkins, MD</b>
1:30 PM	Live Case Demonstrations	Christopher Cates, MD, Andrew Eisenhauer, MD, Elad Levy, MD, Jay Yadav, MD, Alex Abou-chebl, MD
1:45 PM	Featured Lecture: The Future of Stroke Therapy and Why It's Important to You	Christopher Cates, MD
2:00 PM	The Circle of Willis and angiographic cerebrovascular anatomy.	Jay Yadav, MD
2:10 PM	Thrombolytic therapy for stroke.	James Gebel, Jr., M.D.
2:20 PM	Catheter-based reperfusion in acute stroke.	Alex Abou-chebl, MD
2:30 PM	Subclavian and innominate artery intervention.	Andrew Eisenhauer, MD
2:40 PM	Vertebral artery intervention	J. Stephen Jenkins, MD
2:50 PM	Elective intracranial intervention	L. Hopkins, MD
3:00 PM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
<b>General Session IV: 10 things you need to know about Vascular Access and Acute</b>		<b>Gary Ansel, MD, J. Stephen Jenkins, MD</b>
3:30 PM	Live Case Demonstrations	Andrew Eisenhauer, MD, Zoltan Turi, MD, Michael Wholey, MD

4:15 PM	Featured Lecture: Surgical thrombectomy and bypass vs. catheter-based thrombectomy and lysis	Hernan A Bazan, MD
4:30 PM	Vascular closure devices	Zoltan Turi, MD
4:40 PM	Treating access site complications	J. Stephen Jenkins, MD
4:50 PM	Acute complications of PTA	Gary Ansel, MD
5:00 PM	Adjourn	
5:00 PM	<b>Cases New Orleans Style: My worst nightmare!</b>	<b>Gary Ansel, MD, Michel Henry, MD, Michael Jaff, DO, J. Stephen Jenkins, MD</b>
<b>Tuesday May 06, 2008</b>		
<b>General Session V: 10 things you need to know about Renovascular Hypertension</b>		<b>Jeffrey Olin, DO, Tyrone Collins, MD</b>
8:00 AM	Live Case Demonstrations	Yung-Wei Chi, DO, Chris Cooper, MD, Michel Henry, MD, Michael Jaff, DO, Thomas Zeller, MD
8:45 AM	Featured Lecture: Renal Artery intervention: who benefits from treatment?	Thomas Zeller, MD
9:00 AM	Renal function and renal intervention	Chris Cooper, MD
9:10 AM	Renal FMD	Jeffrey Olin, DO
9:20 AM	Renal atheroembolism	Michael Jaff, DO
9:30 AM	Non-invasive imaging for renal artery disease	Yung-Wei Chi, DO
9:40 AM	Renal artery stent complications	
9:45 AM	Renal artery in-stent restenosis	Tyrone Collins, MD
10:00 AM	Break and Visit Exhibits	
<b>General Session VI: 10 things you need to know about Lower Extremity Disease</b>		<b>Tyrone Collins, MD, Gary Ansel, MD</b>
10:30 AM	Live Case Demonstrations	Gary Ansel, MD, Bruce Gray, DO, Zvonimir Krajcer, MD, Dierk Scheinert, MD, Richard Smalling, MD, PhD, Michael Wholey, MD
11:15 AM	Featured Lecture: Current best treatment for abdominal aortic aneurysms: who gets surgery and who gets an endograft?	Zvonimir Krajcer, MD
11:30 AM	SFA stent designs: A novel multilayered stent	Michel Henry, MD
11:40 AM	Endovascular treatment of DVT	Tyrone Collins, MD
11:50 AM	The "Durability" Trial: SFA Stent Results	Dierk Scheinert, MD
12:00 PM	Lunch Symposia & Visit Exhibits	
12:05 PM	<b>Lunch Symposium 3: 10 things you need to know about Complex Renovascular Intervention</b>	<b>Paul McMullan, MD, Richard Smalling, MD, PhD</b>
12:10 PM	Treating renal artery bifurcation disease: technical pearls	Thomas Zeller, MD
12:25 PM	Renal stenting in patients with renal insufficiency	Kenneth Rosenfield, MD
12:40 PM	Embolic protection in renal stenting	Michel Henry, MD
12:50 PM	Screening for renal artery in-stent restenosis	Yung-Wei Chi, DO
1:00 PM	Case Presentations and Discussion	Michel Henry, MD, Kenneth Rosenfield, MD, Thomas Zeller, MD
12:05 PM	<b>Luncheon Symposium 4: Reimbursement for Peripheral Intervention - A Case Study Approach</b>	<b>Alan Banks, MD, Nikki Vendegna, CPC</b>
12:10 PM	Overview of the rules of reimbursement from the business perspective: It's a moving target	Nikki Vendegna, CPC
12:20 PM	Optimizing reimbursement for the vascular lab and CTA	Yung-Wei Chi, DO
12:30 PM	Optimizing physician reimbursement for management of vascular patients	Alan Banks, MD
12:40 PM	How to bill: A case-by-case analysis of live cases presented at this meeting in an interactive format, including audience participation	Alan Banks, MD, Nikki Vendegna, CPC
<b>General Session VII: 10 things you need to know about Lower Extremity Disease</b>		<b>Stephen Ramee, MD, Kenneth Rosenfield, MD</b>
1:30 PM	Live Case Demonstrations	Gary Ansel, MD, J. Michael Bacharach, MD, Jacques Busquet, MD, Bruce Gray, DO, Dierk Scheinert, MD, Michael Wholey, MD
2:15 PM	Featured Lecture: Primary vs. provisional stenting: How should we treat SFA lesions	Dierk Scheinert, MD
2:30 PM	SFA total occlusions: Which ones and how?	Stephen Ramee, MD
2:40 PM	Bypass surgery vs. endovascular procedures.	Jacques Busquet, MD
2:50 PM	Covered Stent/Laser/Cryo/Atherectomy therapy for SFA disease	Gary Ansel, MD
3:00 PM	Break & Visit Exhibits	
<b>General Session VIII: 10 things you need to know about Below Knee Lower Extremity</b>		<b>Stephen Ramee, MD, John Reilly, MD</b>
3:30 PM	Live Case Demonstrations	Jacques Busquet, MD, Bruce Gray, DO, Dierk Scheinert, MD, Michael Wholey, MD, J. Michael Bacharach, MD
4:15 PM	Featured Lecture: Below-knee intervention: reviewing the evidence-base.	John Reilly, MD
4:30 PM	Critical limb ischemia	J. Michael Bacharach, MD
4:40 PM	Popliteal aneurysms	Bruce Gray, DO
4:50 PM	Adjunctive therapies below the knee: Atherectomy, Laser, Cutting balloons.	Michael Wholey, MD

5:00 PM	Adjourn
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