

PROGRAM

ARRHYTHMIA MANAGEMENT FOR THE CLINICIAN: A PRACTICAL APPROACH

All sessions will be held at the Four Seasons Hotel, Philadelphia, PA. Meeting room locations will be provided on site. Meeting site telephone: (215) 963-1500.

THURSDAY

7:15 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:45 AM Introduction and Overview: Putting it in Perspective
Dr. Peter R. Kowey

Supraventricular Tachycardia/Atrial Fibrillation

8:00 AM Supraventricular Tachycardia:
Classification and Clinical Aspects *Dr. Steven Rothman*

8:30 AM Acute and Chronic Pharmacologic Therapy of
Supraventricular Tachycardia *Dr. Jeremy N. Ruskin*

9:15 AM Atrial Fibrillation: Electrical and Pharmacological Conversion
Dr. Steven A. Rothman

9:45 AM Atrial Fibrillation: New and Emerging Antiarrhythmic Drugs
Dr. Peter R. Kowey

10:15 AM **BREAK**

10:45 AM Overview of AF Ablation *Dr. Douglas L. Packer*

11:30 AM AF Ablation: New Imaging Methods, Energy Delivery, Robotics
Dr. Francis D. Ferdinand

12:00 PM **LUNCH**

1:00 PM Post-Operative AF *Dr. Peter R. Kowey*

1:30 PM Anticoagulants for AF: Old and New
Dr. Michael D. Ezekowitz

2:00 PM Case Discussion/Workshop: SVT/AF
Moderator: *Dr. Maribel Hernández*
Panel: *Drs. Ezekowitz, Ferdinand, Kowey, Rothman, Ruskin*

3:30 PM **17th Annual Leonard Horowitz Memorial Lecture**
Dr. Michael J. Ackerman

4:45 PM **ADJOURNMENT**

5:00 PM **RECEPTION**

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FRIDAY

7:30 AM Continental Breakfast

Ventricular Tachycardia/Ventricular Fibrillation/ Sudden Cardiac Death

8:00 AM Primary Prevention of Sudden Death: Focus on CAD and CHF
Dr. Robert J. Myerburg

8:45 AM Genetics of Cardiac Arrhythmias Including LQTS
Dr. Michael J. Ackerman

9:30 AM Cardiac Toxicity of Non-Cardiac Drugs Including Acquired LQTS
Dr. Gan-Xin Yan

10:00 AM Arrhythmias in Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy, ARVD, and
“Normal” Hearts
Dr. Robert J. Myerburg

10:30 AM **BREAK**

11:00 AM Athlete Screening for Risk of SCD *Dr. Gerald V. Naccarelli*

11:30 AM Arrhythmias in Congenital Heart Disease
Dr. Martin J. O’Riordan

12:00 PM **LUNCH**

1:00 PM Catheter Ablation of Ventricular Tachycardia
Dr. Dusan Z. Kocovic

1:30 PM Surgical Treatment of Cardiac Arrhythmias
Dr. Scott M. Goldman

2:00 PM Case Discussion/Workshop: VT/VF/SCD
Moderator: *Drs. Esberg and Ferdinand*
Panel: *Drs. Ackerman, Goldman, Kocovic, Myerburg,
Naccarelli, O’Riordan, Yan*

3:30 PM **ADJOURNMENT**

SATURDAY

7:30 AM Continental Breakfast

Pacemakers/Bradyarrhythmias

8:00 AM Methods of Arrhythmia Detection *Dr. Kenneth A. Ellenbogen*

8:30 AM Obstacles to Appropriate Implantation and
Use of Arrhythmia Devices *Dr. Gerald V. Naccarelli*

9:00 AM A Pacing Primer *Dr. Kenneth A. Ellenbogen*

9:30 AM Cardiac Resynchronization Therapy *Dr. Dusan Z. Kocovic*

10:00 AM **BREAK**

10:30 AM Case Discussion/Workshop: Pacemakers/Bradyarrhythmias
Moderator: *Drs. Harper and Movsowitz*
Panel: *Drs. Ellenbogen, Kowey, Kocovic, Naccarelli*

12:00 PM **ADJOURNMENT**