



Conference Agenda

January 28-30, 2021

Course Directors

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Thursday, January 28, 2021

		TOPIC	SPEAKER	PANELISTS:
<i>Virtual Scientific Session</i> <i>(5:30 PM-8:50 PM)</i>	5:30-5:40 PM	Keynote Talk	Madesh Muniswamy, PhD	Kumar Sharma, MD Allen Anderson, MD Shweta Bansal, MD Anand Prasad, MD Carolina Solis-Herrera, MD Madesh Muniswamy, PhD William B. Reeves, MD Catherine Shah, RN
	5:40-8:50 PM	Oral Abstract Session	Abstract Presenters	



Friday, January 29, 2021

		TOPIC	SPEAKER	MODERATORS: Anand Prasad, MD Shweta Bansal, MD PANELISTS: Amit Amin, MD Prakash Balan, MD Marlene Garcia, MD Paul Palevsky, MD Steven G. Coca, DO
Cardiovascular Interventions And Acute Kidney Injury 9:00 AM-10:50 AM	9:00-9:20 AM	DEBATE: Acute kidney injury following cardiovascular procedures is an important concern	Amit Amin, MD	
	9:20-9:40 AM	DEBATE: Fear of acute kidney injury should not limit cardiovascular procedures.	Steven G. Coca, DO	
	9:40-10:00 AM	AKI Prevention Strategies: What Works and What Does Not?	Prakash Balan, MD	
	10:00-10:20 AM	Does preventing AKI improve future outcomes?	Paul Palevsky, MD	
	10:20-10:50 AM	Q & A, Panel Discussion	Panelists	
BREAK 10:50 AM – 11:00 AM				
Metabolic Disorders 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM		TOPIC	SPEAKER	MODERATORS: Anand Prasad, MD Shweta Bansal, MD PANELISTS: Ralph DeFronzo, MD George Bakris, MD Carolina Solis-Herrera, MD
	11:00-11:20 AM	The cardiometabolic impact of COVID-19	Anand Prasad, MD	
	11:20-11:40 AM	SGLT-2 inhibitors: Cardio-renal-metabolic drugs for the Ages	Ralph DeFronzo, MD	
	11:40-12:00 PM	Diabetic Kidney Disease: Current Status	George Bakris, MD	
	12:00-12:20 PM	SGLT-2 inhibitors: From a Simple Glucodiuretic to a Complex Nephroprotective Agent	Carolina Solis-Herrera, MD	
12:20-1:00 PM	Q & A, Panel Discussion	Panelists		
LUNCH 1:00 PM- 2:00 PM				

Friday, January 29, 2021 (Concurrent Sessions)

<i>DIET, LIPIDS, PREVENTION</i>	<i>FOCUS ON HYPERTENSION</i>	<i>CKD, CVD and Innovations</i>
TALKS 2:00 PM- 3:20 PM; Q&A 3:20 PM – 3:50 PM		
<p>Obesity Epidemiology: Where are we in 2020?</p> <p>Speaker: Robert Chilton, DO</p>	<p>Why is the Measurement and Technique of Blood Pressure so Important?</p> <p>Speaker: Matthew Weir, MD</p>	<p>Vascular and Valvular Calcium in Renal Disease</p> <p>Speaker: Wajeh Qunibi, MD</p>
<p>Review of the Mediterranean Eating Pattern</p> <p>Speaker: Stephanie De Leon ,MS, RD</p>	<p>Exploration of Optimal Blood Pressure Level</p> <p>Speaker: George Bakris, MD</p>	<p>Endovascular Treatment Options for Vascular Calcium</p> <p>Speaker: Chadi Alraies, MD, MPH</p>
<p>Benefits of a Ketogenic Diet: Fact or Fiction</p> <p>Speaker: Christiane Meireles, PhD, RD</p>	<p>Dietary Potassium as a Savior for Hypertension</p> <p>Speaker: Tareq Nassar, MD</p>	<p>Peripheral Arterial Disease in Patients with Chronic Kidney Disease</p> <p>Speaker: Esther Kim, MD</p>
<p>Does Weight Loss Surgery Have the Potential to Protect the Heart and Kidneys?</p> <p>Speaker: Richard Peterson, MD</p>	<p>Dietary Sodium Restriction: How much is Clinically Meaningful and Feasible?</p> <p>Speaker: Shweta Bansal, MD</p>	<p>Renal Considerations in Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement</p> <p>Speaker: Kianoush B. Kashani, MD, MS</p>
<p>MODERATORS: Carolina Solis-Herrera, MD Christiane Meireles, PhD, RD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Roberto Trevino, MD Stephanie De Leon ,MS, RD Alexandra Wynne, LD Richard Peterson, MD Chandan Prasad, PhD</p>	<p>MODERATORS: Shweta Bansal, MD Tareq Nassar, MD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Matthew Weir, MD George Bakris, MD</p>	<p>MODERATORS: Anand Prasad, MD Wajeh Qunibi, MD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Chadi Alraies, MD, MPH Kianoush Kashani, MD, MS Esther Kim, MD Dawn S. Hui, MD</p>
<p>BREAK 3:50 PM – 4:00 PM</p>		

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TALKS 4:00 PM- 5:20 PM; Q&A 5:20 PM- 5:45 PM		
Fish, Omegas, and Triglycerides Speaker: Alberto Chavez-Velazquez, MD	Secondary Hypertension Workup Speaker: Chandandeep Takkar, MD	Atrial Fibrillation management in Chronic Kidney Disease: Anticoagulation and LAAO Speaker: Manoj Panday, MD
ASCVD Risk stratification in patients with CKD Speaker: Rushit Kanakia, MD	Pregnancy and Hypertension Speaker: Ildiko Agoston, MD	Update on Dual Antiplatelet Therapy Speaker: Amit Amin, MD
Latest in Lipid Management for CKD and CVD patients Speaker: Anand Prasad, MD	Device Therapy for Hypertension Speaker: Ahmed Almomani, MD	Sleep Apnea: Impact on the heart and kidneys Speaker: Sonja D. Brune, MSN, APRN, CCNS
Aspirin: The Controversy and New Guidelines Speaker: Kathleen A. Lusk, PharmD	Influence of Race and Ethnicity on HTN Prevalence, Outcomes, and Management Speaker: Katherine Dodd, DO, MPH	GLP1 Agonists and Cardiorenal Disease Speaker: Curtis Triplitt, PharmD
MODERATORS: Anand Prasad, MD Kathleen A. Lusk, PharmD PANELISTS: Alberto Chavez-Velazquez, MD Robert Chilton, DO Rushit Kanakia, MD	MODERATORS: Chandandeep Takkar, MD Katherine Dodd, DO, MPH PANELISTS: Ildiko Agoston, MD George Bakris, MD Ahmed Almomani, MD	MODERATORS: Sonja Brune, MSN, APRN, CCNS Curtis Triplitt, PharmD PANELISTS: Manoj Panday, MD Marlene Garcia, MD Amit Amin, MD Dawn S. Hui, MD



Saturday, January 30, 2021

<p><i>Heart Failure</i></p> <p>9:00 AM-10:50 AM</p>	TOPIC		SPEAKER	<p>MODERATORS: Shweta Bansal, MD Allen Anderson, MD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Claudio Ronco, MD Matthew Weir, MD Robert Chilton, DO</p>
	9:00-9:20 AM	Keynote: Integration of Cardiorenal Medicine	Claudio Ronco, MD	
	9:20-9:40 AM	Obesity and Cardiorenal Failure	Matthew Weir, MD	
	9:40-10:00 AM	SGLT-2 Inhibitors and Heart Failure	Allen Anderson, MD	
	10:00-10:20 AM	Diuretics Resistance in Advanced Heart and Kidney Failure	Shweta Bansal, MD	
10:20-10:50 AM	Q & A	Panelists		
<p>BREAK 10:50 AM – 11:00 AM</p>				
<p><i>Medical Humanities & Ethics</i></p> <p>11:00 AM-1:00PM</p>	TOPIC		SPEAKER	<p>MODERATORS: Anand Prasad, MD Shweta Bansal, MD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Allen Anderson, MD Abraham Verghese, MD Ruth E. Berggren, MD William L. Henrich, MD Clyde W. Yancy, MD</p>
	11:00-11:30 AM	The Story after the Story: Making Sense of Life, Meaning, and Medicine Post-COVID-19	Abraham Verghese, MD	
	11:30-11:55 AM	Racism in Health Care and the Clinical Learning Environment: “A Call to Action”	Ruth E. Berggren, MD	
	11:55-12:20 PM	Health Disparities and Inequalities in 2020	Clyde W. Yancy, MD, MSc	
	12:20-12:30 PM	COVID-19 Pandemic: Health, Education, and Economy	Mayor Ron Nirenberg	
12:30 –1:00	Q & A	Panelists		
<p>LUNCH 1:00 – 2:00 pm</p>				



Saturday, January 30, 2021 (Concurrent Sessions)

<i>Nephrology on the Cutting Edge</i>	<i>Transplant and Beyond</i>	<i>Ask the Experts</i>
TALKS 2:00 PM- 3:20 PM; Q&A 3:20 PM – 3:50 PM		2:00 – 2:35 PM
Going Beyond Restricting Potassium Intake: Newer Potassium Binders Speaker: Pablo Pergola, MD, PhD	Cardiovascular Disease Before and After Kidney Transplantation Speaker: Matthew Weir, MD	Case-based Discussion: Heart Failure Sonja D. Brune, MSN, APRN, CCNS PANELISTS: Allen Anderson, MD Jason Phillips, MD Shweta Bansal, MD
Latest in Phosphate Binders Speaker: Wajeh Qunibi, MD	Preoperative Cardiac Assessment Prior to Renal Transplant Speaker: Anjlee Mehta, MD	
Low Protein Diet in CKD: Have We Reached a Consensus? Speaker: William Mitch, MD	Renal Transplantation in 2020 Speaker: Suverta Bhayana, MD	2:35 – 3:10 PM
Fidelio-DKD trial: Effects of Finerenone on CKD in Type 2 Diabetes Speaker: George Bakris, MD		Case-based Discussion: SGLT-2 Inhibitor Initiation Carolina Solis-Herrera, MD PANELISTS: Robert Chilton, DO Alberto Chavez-Velazquez, MD Ralph DeFronzo, MD Allen Anderson, MD
Precision Medicine: How can it Impact my Patients? Speaker: Kumar Sharma, MD	Expanding the Living Kidney Donation Program in South Texas Speaker: Elizabeth M. Thomas, DO	
MODERATORS: Kumar Sharma, MD Wajeh Qunibi, MD PANELISTS: Pablo Pergola, MD, PhD George Bakris, MD William E. Mitch, MD	MODERATORS: Anjlee Mehta, MD Suverta Bhayana, MD PANELISTS: Matthew Weir, MD Elizabeth M. Thomas, DO Rupal D. Patel, MD	3:10 – 3:45
		Case -based Discussion: AKI and CVD Shweta Bansal, MD PANELISTS: Anand Prasad, MD Marlene Garcia, MD Jason Phillips, MD
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<i>Nephrology on the Cutting Edge</i>	<i>Transplant and Beyond</i>	<i>Advances in Heart Failure Management</i>
<p>APOL1, PLA2R: New Approaches to GN Management</p> <p>Speaker: Balakuntalam Kasinath, MD</p>	<p>Renal Considerations in VAD and Heart Transplant Patients</p> <p>Speaker: Michael Kwan, MD</p>	<p>Innovations in Heart Failure Drugs</p> <p>Speaker: Ripa Chakravorty, MD</p>
<p>COVID-19 and the Kidneys</p> <p>Speaker: Kumar Sharma, MD</p>	<p>Presidential Executive Order: Dialysis, Transplant and the Future of Kidney Care Payments</p> <p>Speaker: Qasim Butt, MD</p>	<p>Resynchronization Therapy in CKD and ESRD Patients</p> <p>Speaker: Jayasree Pillarisetti, MD</p>
<p>Percutaneous Fistulas in 2020</p> <p>Speaker: Rajeev Narayan, MD</p>	<p>CKD, Dialysis in Women: Gender Specific Considerations</p> <p>Speaker: Silvi Shah, MD, MS</p>	<p>Amyloidosis: A Not So Rare Cause of Heart Failure</p> <p>Speaker: Phillip Habib, MD</p>
<p>Tolvaptan in ADPKD: In Whom and When?</p> <p>Speaker: Ashley Garcia-Everett, MD</p>	<p>Heart-Kidney Interaction in COVID-19 Patients</p> <p>Speaker: Claudio Ronco, MD</p>	<p>Reducing Readmissions in Heart Failure</p> <p>Speaker: Jason Phillips, MD</p>
<p>MODERATORS: Balakuntalam Kasinath, MD Kumar Sharma, MD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Rajeev Narayan, MD Wajeh Qunibi, MD</p>	<p>MODERATORS: Shweta Bansal, MD Suverta Bhayana, MD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Allen Anderson, MD Michael Kwan, MD Qasim Butt, MD Silvi Shah, MD, MS Claudio Ronco, MD</p>	<p>MODERATORS: Jason Phillips, MD Jayasree Pillarisetti, MD</p> <p>PANELISTS: Ripa Chakravorty, MD Phillip Habib, MD Auroa Badin, MD</p>



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