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EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

- Demonstrate improved skill in interpreting CT coronary angiography and coronary calcium scanning.
- More appropriately utilize cardiac CT according to guidelines and appropriate use criteria.
- Describe the clinical implications of CT coronary angiography cases and recognize its value and limitations in clinical cardiology.
- Identify the interactions between nuclear cardiology and cardiac CT in order to select the test or tests which are best suited to the needs of individual physicians.
- Distinguish the interactions between nuclear cardiology, cardiac CT, and cardiac MRI in order to select the imaging modalities best suited to the needs of the patient.
- Reduce the frequency of inappropriate tests for both nuclear cardiology and coronary CT angiography and be better equipped to manage patients based on the information provided by the test or tests.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This educational activity is intended for cardiologists, radiologists, nuclear medical specialists, cardiac imaging technologists, and nurse practitioners in the field. The course focuses on coronary artery disease but also includes a moderate amount of non-coronary disease. The course emphasizes the spectrum of patients routinely seen by cardiologists day-to-day in a typical practice for the evaluation of known or suspected coronary disease as well as other cardiac disease states.

For the first time, the program for each modality culminates with a new workshop format: “Face-Off” Battle of the Experts: Challenging Unknown Cases.

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<td>Jamshid Maddahi, MD, FACC</td>
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<td>Physics, Quality Control and Certification Issues for SPECT and PET: The Essentials</td>
<td>Guido Germano, PhD, MBA, FACC</td>
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<td>Piotr Slomka, PhD, FACC</td>
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<td>Noel Bairey Merz, MD</td>
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**FRIDAY, JANUARY 20, 2012**

**CLINICAL APPLICATIONS OF MYOCARDIAL PERFUSION IMAGING**

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<td>Risk Stratification and Predicting Therapeutic Benefit: Role of SPECT and PET</td>
<td>Rory Hachamovitch, MD, MSc, FACC</td>
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<td>Evaluation of Myocardial Viability: Lessons Learned from the STICH Trial</td>
<td>Robert Bonow, MD, MACC</td>
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<td>Lessons Learned from Myocardial Perfusion Imaging in Randomized Trials</td>
<td>Leslee Shaw, PhD, FACC</td>
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<td>Appropriate Use Criteria, Clinical Guidelines, Clinical Judgment and Patient Management</td>
<td>Robert C. Hendel, MD, FACC</td>
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**NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN PET AND SPECT**

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<td>F-18 Flurpiridaz: Results of Phase I and Phase II Clinical Trial Results with a New PET MPI Radiopharmaceutical</td>
<td>Jamshid Maddahi, MD, FACC</td>
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11:00 PET vs. SPECT for MPI: Comparative Advantages
Timothy M. Bateman, MD, FACC

11:30 New SPECT Cameras and Approaches to Reconstruction
Jack Ziffer, MD, PhD, FACC

12:00 Challenges and Opportunities for SPECT and PET in 2012
Faculty: Drs. Maddahi, Ziffer, Bateman, and Hendel
Moderator: Dr. Berman

12:30 Panel Discussion

12:45 Lunch

1:15 CSMC Cardiac Imaging Laboratories Site Visit
(Optional - this activity is not eligible for CME/CE credit)
Amanda Swift, Chief Technologist

1:45 New Molecular Radionuclide Imaging Agents and Their Potential Clinical Role
Jagat Narula, MD, FACC

2:15 Workshop VII: Prognostication with CT Coronary Calcium Scoring: How does it Fit into a Preventive Algorithm?
John Mahmalian, MD, FACC

2:45 Workshop VIII: Coronary CTA vs. Cardiac SPECT in the ER
Jack Ziffer, MD, FACC
Daniel S. Berman, MD, FACC

3:15 Current Approach to Integrating Cardiac CT and Nuclear Cardiology
Faculty: Drs. Narula, Mahmalian, and Berman
Moderator: Dr. Ziffer

3:45 Panel Discussion

4:00 Break/Break out Session # 4

4:15 Comparative Radiation Doses with SPECT, PET and CT: Methods of Radiation Reduction
Damini Dey, PhD, FACC

NEWER IMAGING MODALITIES: WHY AND WHEN
Jack Ziffer, MD, PhD, FACC, Presiding

4:45 New and Future Cardiac MRI Applications
Rohan Dharmakumar, PhD.

5:15 Workshop IX: Role of Cardiac MRI vs. CT in Clinical Practice: When is MRI the Procedure of Choice?
Louise Thomson, MBChB, FRACP, FACC

5:45 Panel Discussion

6:00 PM Adjourn

SUNDAY, JANUARY 22, 2012

7:30 AM Breakfast

CARDIAC CT AND ITS RELATIONSHIP TO NUCLEAR CARDIOLOGY
James K. Min, MD, FACC, Presiding

8:00 Fundamentals of Coronary CT Angiography: Essentials of Physics and Instrumentation and Guidelines for Acquisition and Processing
Troy LaBounty, MD, FACC

8:30 Workshop X: Achieving a Systematic Approach to Interpretation and Reporting of Coronary CTA
Stephan Achenbach, MD, FACC

9:00 Workshop XI: Stenosis Assessment on Coronary CTA
Victor Cheng, MD, FACC

9:30 Diagnostic and Prognostic Value of Coronary CTA: Where does the Evidence Stand?
James K. Min, MD, FACC

10:00 Panel Discussion
Faculty: Drs. LaBounty, Achenbach and Cheng
Moderator: Dr. Min

10:15 Break/Break-out Session #5

10:30 Workshop XII: Pitfalls of Cardiac CT: Recognizing and Working with Artifacts
Stephan Achenbach, MD

11:00 Non-Coronary Cardiac Findings in Cardiac CT
John Mahmalian, MD, FACC

11:30 Workshop XIII: Cardiac CT in TAVR and other Valve Diseases
Jonathon Leipsic, MD, FRCPC, FSCCT

12:00 Workshop XIV: Assessment of Coronary Physiology using Coronary CT Angiography
James K. Min, MD

12:30 Panel Discussion
Faculty: Drs. Achenbach, Leipsic, Mahmalian and Karlsberg
Moderator: Dr. Min

12:45 Lunch

1:30 Workshop XV: Coronary CTA Applications in Patients After Revascularization
Matthew J. Budoff, MD, FACC

2:00 Workshop XVI: CT “Face-Off”: Battle of the Experts Challenging Unknown Cases
Panelists: Drs. Budoff, Mahmalian and Karlsberg vs. Drs. Min, Cheng and Friedman
Moderator: Dr. Achenbach

3:30 Closing Remarks, Questions and Answers

3:45 PM Adjourn
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