

***Cardiology Update:
The Heart of the Matter 2025
July 30-August 2, 2025***

Times noted are Pacific Daylight Time (PDT)

Wednesday, July 30, 2025

12:20 p.m.	Webcast Log-in for Livestream Attendees
12:50 p.m.	Welcome Announcements
SESSION I	Electrophysiology I
MODERATOR(S):	Luis R. Scott, M.D., FACC and Win-Kuang Shen, M.D., FACC
1:00 p.m.	My Patient has Classic Indication for CRT. Should I Now Consider Conduction System Pacing? What do the Guidelines Say? Win-Kuang Shen, M.D., FACC
1:25 p.m.	What is the Appropriate Use Score in the New ICD Guidelines? Practical Examples in Acute and Chronic CAD Andrea M. Russo, M.D., FACC, FHRS, FAHA
1:50 p.m.	Patient Presents with Complete Heart Block And No ICD Indications: Help Me Decide the Best Type of Pacemaker Siva K. Mulpuru, M.D., M.P.H.
2:15 p.m.	Current and Future State of Leadless Pacemakers and EV-ICD Siva K. Mulpuru, M.D., M.P.H.
2:40 p.m.	Panel Discussion and Q&A Session Faculty
3:00 p.m.	Morning Break

Wednesday, July 30, 2025 *(continued)*

SESSION II	Electrophysiology II
MODERATOR(S):	Luis R. Scott, M.D., FACC and Win-Kuang Shen, M.D., FACC
3:20 p.m.	Device Detected Atrial High Rates. Help Me Decide When to Anticoagulate the Patient Duy T. Nguyen, M.D.
3:45 p.m.	ICDs for Patient with Syncope and No Structural Heart Disease: When to Consider and When to Avoid Them Andrea M. Russo, M.D., FACC, FHRS, FAHA
4:10 p.m.	AFib in Special Circumstances Luis R. Scott, M.D., FACC
4:35 p.m.	Change in Landscape of AF Ablation with PFA. How it is Changing the Practice Komandoor Srivathsan, M.D.
5:00 p.m.	Where are We with Radioablation for Cardiac Arrhythmias in 2025? Konstantinos Siontis, M.D.
5:25 p.m.	Case Discussion: Challenges in AF Ablation Ahmad Naeem Lone, M.B.B.S.
5:40 p.m.	Panel Discussion and Q&A Session Faculty
6:00 p.m.	Adjourn

Thursday, July 31, 2025

7:00 a.m.	Webcast Log-in for Livestream Attendees
7:20 a.m.	Announcements
SESSION III	Ischemic Heart Disease
MODERATOR(S)	Eric H. Yang, M.D., FACC and Barbara Novais, APRN, D.N.P., R.N.
7:25 a.m.	Viability Assessment Pre-Revascularization: Is it Necessary? Eric H. Yang, M.D., FACC
7:50 a.m.	Shorter “DAPT” Duration after PCI Malcolm R. Bell, M.D.
8:15 a.m.	Highlights from 2025 Acute Coronary Syndrome Guidelines Peter M. Pollak, M.D.
8:40 a.m.	ANOCA and MINOCA: Interesting Cases Amy W. Pollak, M.D.
9:05 a.m.	Post MI Management Cecilia Tagle-Cornell, APRN, C.N.P., M.S.
9:30 a.m.	Panel Discussion and Q&A Session Faculty
9:55 a.m.	Morning Break
SESSION IV	Preventative Cardiology
MODERATOR(S)	Eric H. Yang, M.D., FACC and Barbara Novais, APRN, D.N.P., R.N.
10:15 a.m.	Diet for Cardiovascular Diseases: Intermittent Fasting, Mediterranean, Low Fat, Low Sugar, Keto, Carnivore, Plant-based Diets. How to Council My Patients Kyla M. Lara-Breitinger, M.D.

Thursday, July 31, 2025 *(continued)*

- 10:40 a.m. **Exercise for Health and Disease Prevention**
Satyajit T. Reddy, M.D., FACC
- 11:05 a.m. **The Role of GLP 1 Agonist in Cardiovascular
Disease Management**
Regis I. Fernandes, M.D., FACC
- 11:30 a.m. **Options for Lipid Lowering Therapy in 2025:
Beyond Statins**
Susan M. Halli Demeter, APRN, D.N.P., F.N.P.
- 11:55 a.m. **Case Discussions, Illustrative Cases in Acute
Coronary Syndrome:**
- **In Hospital Care of STEMI: From Door to Discharge**
Mohamed N. Allam, M.D.
 - **Outpatient Care Post STEMI:
Goals from Discharge to One Year**
Beani J. Forst, M.D.
- 12:25 p.m. **Panel Discussion and Q&A**
Session Faculty
- 12:45 p.m. **Adjourn**

Friday, August 1, 2025

7:00 a.m. **Webcast Log-in for Livestream Attendees**

7:20 a.m. **Announcements**

SESSION V Valvular and Structural Heart Disease I

MODERATOR(S) **Reza Arsanjani, M.D., FACC and Eric H. Yang, M.D., FACC**

7:25 a.m. **Tricuspid Valve Regurgitation:
Imaging and Classification**
Reza Arsanjani, M.D.

7:50 a.m. **Percutaneous Treatment Options for
Tricuspid Valve Regurgitation**
John P. Sweeney, M.D.

8:15 a.m. **Mitral Valve Regurgitation:
Imaging and Classification**
Bamvi B. Fohtung, M.D.

8:40 a.m. **Percutaneous Treatment Options for
Mitral Regurgitation**
Peter M. Pollak, M.D.

9:05 a.m. **Decision-Making in ACHD: When to Intervene in Congenital Valvular
Lesions Compared to Acquired Valve Disease**
Francois Marcotte, M.D.

9:30 a.m. **Panel Discussion and Q&A**
Session Faculty

10:05 a.m. **Morning Break**

SESSION VI Valvular and Structural Heart Disease II

MODERATOR(S) **Carolyn M. Larsen, M.D. and Luis R. Scott, M.D.**

10:25 a.m. **Imaging Evaluation of Aortic Stenosis**
Said Alsidawi, M.D.

Friday, August 1, 2025 *(continued)*

- 10:50 a.m. **Who Should Get Surgical Aortic Valve Replacement in 2025?**
Pyong D. Yoon, M.D.
- 11:15 a.m. **My Patient has a 5 cm Ascending Aortic Aneurysm: What Should I do?**
George Wang, M.D.
- 11:40 a.m. **Case Discussions, Illustrative Cases in Aortic Valve:**
- **My Patient was Referred for SAVR, but should have a TAVR**
Christopher N. Kanaan, M.D.
 - **My Patient was Referred for TAVR, but should have a SAVR**
Nikita Rafie, M.D.
- 12:15 p.m. **Panel Discussion and Q&A**
Session Faculty
- 12:45 p.m. **Adjourn**

Saturday, August 2, 2025

6:45 a.m. **Webcast Log-in for Livestream Attendees**

7:00 a.m. **Announcements**

SESSION VII Cardiomyopathy

MODERATOR(S) **Caroyn M. Larsen, M.D., FACC and Courtney R. Kenyon, P.A.-C., M.S.**

7:05 a.m. **Acute Myocarditis: Updates on Diagnosis and Management**
Leslie T. Cooper JR, M.D.

7:30 a.m. **Evaluation and Management of Pericarditis and Pericardial Effusions**
Hema Narayanasamy, M.B.B.S.

7:55 a.m. **Sarcoidosis: Evaluation and Treatment**
Justin N. Shipman, M.D.

8:20 a.m. **Diagnosis and Treatment of TTR Cardiac Amyloidosis**
D. Eric Steidley, M.D.

8:45 a.m. **Cardio-Oncology: Chemotherapy Cardiomyopathy Cases**
Carolyn M. Larsen, M.D.

9:10 a.m. **Panel Discussion and Q&A**
Session Faculty

9:35 a.m. **Morning Break**

SESSION VIII Heart Failure

MODERATOR(S)

9:55 a.m. **Case-based Approach to Initiating Therapy for HFrEF**
Courtney R. Kenyon, P.A.-C., M.S.

Saturday, August 2, 2025 *(continued)*

- 10:20 a.m. **How I Evaluate and Treat HFpEF:
New Drugs and Devices**
D. Eric Steidley, M.D.
- 10:45 a.m. **Exercise Therapy for Advanced Heart Failure**
Courtney M. Wheatley-Guy, Ph.D.
- 11:10 a.m. **Now that I Know, Which Anticoagulant? Are
They All the Same? Give me a Practical Approach**
Fadi E. Shamoun, M.D., FACC
- 11:35 a.m. **Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension:
Diagnosis and Treatment**
Robert L. Scott, M.D., Ph.D.
- 12:00 p.m. **Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy: Updates in
Diagnosis and Treatment**
Said Alsidawi, M.D.
- 12:25 p.m. **Panel Discussion and Q&A**
Session Faculty
- 12:50 p.m. **Adjourn**