Annual Scientific Meeting
Monday through Wednesday, October 17 through 19, 2016 • Venetian Ballroom

Join GI physicians from around the U.S. and the world for the ACG Annual Scientific Meeting. The meeting promises to deliver the latest clinical information on timely topics in gastroenterology. As an ACG member, you can attend the three-day Annual Meeting for free—there is no registration fee. Choose from 12 symposia, over 65 oral abstract presentations, multiple networking events, and see the latest advances in technology and therapeutics from exhibitors from around the globe. Additional breakfast sessions, 16 in total, will be offered for a nominal fee. Register today!

Be sure to visit poster presentations in the Exhibit Hall on Sunday, October 16th beginning at 3:30 pm, and enjoy the Opening Reception in the Exhibit Hall beginning at 5:15 pm on Sunday.

Program Description
The field of gastroenterology and hepatology continues to see advancements in areas relating to diagnostic measures, therapeutic options, and technology. To provide appropriate and top-quality patient care, the clinician is challenged to stay abreast of the changes and advancements affecting the management of many gastrointestinal and liver disease states. Throughout the three-day Annual Meeting, you will be exposed to updates in a variety of topics, including hepatitis C, quality colonoscopy practices, IBD therapies and management, IBS treatment, PPIs, hepatology, NAFLD and NASH treatment, GERD, and more.

Twelve scientific symposia and over 65 oral abstract presentations will allow attendees to hear lecture presentations from experts and to participate in interactive question and answer sessions with the faculty.

In addition, 16 optional scientific breakfast sessions will be offered, where a smaller setting allows for heightened interaction with the speakers and greater audience involvement.

Finally, ACG’s 4th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum will feature the best video presentations submitted from colleagues from across the U.S. and around the world.

The Annual Scientific Meeting program is designed primarily for physicians in gastroenterology and hepatology, as well as physician assistants, nurse practitioners, and other advanced practice healthcare professionals interested in the latest information on state-of-the-art treatment of these illnesses.

Accreditation / CME / MOC
The American College of Gastroenterology is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The American College of Gastroenterology designates this live activity for a maximum of 21 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ are awarded as follows: 16.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ for the Annual Meeting, 1.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ for each Monday Breakfast Session, and 1.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ for each Breakfast Session Tuesday and Wednesday (breakfasts must be purchased separately).

Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn up to 16.75 MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine’s (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. Participants will earn MOC points equivalent to the amount of CME credits claimed for the activity. It is the CME activity provider’s responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.

Pre-Registration now open for ACG 2016
Registration for the ACG Annual Scientific Meeting, Postgraduate Course, and Friday half-day and full-day optional programs, is online only.

Pre-registration will remain open until Friday, October 7, 2016.
After this date on-site registration will be required.

For questions regarding registration, contact ACG Meeting Services at registration@gi.org or 301-263-9000.

Register at ACG’s secure website, www.acgmeetings.gi.org

Housing is now open for ACG 2016 – see page 6. Hotel reservation deadline is September 28, 2016.
Book your hotel room online using the ACG Housing Bureau website at http://acg.registration.meetingsites.net
Monday, October 17, 2016
6:30 am – 6:00 pm

6:00 am – 4:45 pm  Registration (Level 1 Registration)

6:30 am – 7:45 am  4 OPTIONAL BREAKFAST SESSIONS
Cost is $60 per person/per session. Separate registration required; see page 5.

BREAKFAST D: New Data and Evolving Approaches to Diverticular Disease
MODERATOR: Neil H. Stollman, MD, FACG

Antibiotics for Acute Diverticulitis: Obligate for All?
Neil H. Stollman, MD, FACG
Appraise the role of antibiotics in patients with acute uncomplicated diverticulitis.

Prevention of Recurrent Diverticulitis: What Can We Do?
Lisa L. Strate, MD, MPH, FACG
Evaluate preventive measures in the care of recurrent diverticular disease.

Fiber and Diverticular Disease: An Important Etiology? An Effective Treatment?
Anne F. Peery, MD
Summarize current data on the role of fiber in the etiology and treatment of diverticular disease.

6:00 am – 4:45 pm  REGISTRATION (Level 1 Registration)

7:50 am – 6:00 pm  SCIENTIFIC MEETING

7:50 am – 8:00 am  OPENING REMARKS
(Venetian Ballroom)
Kenneth R. Devault, MD, FACG
ACG President

8:00 am – 9:00 am  PRESIDENT’S PLENARY SESSION 1
(Venetian Ballroom)
MODERATORS: Kenneth R. Devault, MD, FACG
John R. Saltzman, MD, FACG

1. Aprepitant for Symptoms of Gastroparesis and Related Disorders: The APRON Randomized Clinical Trial
Pankaj Jay Pasricha, MD, MBBS, Katherine Yates, PhD, Irene Sarosiek, MD, Richard McCallum, MD, FACG, John Clarke, MD, Linda Nguyen, MD, Sameer Dhalla, MD, Ellen Stein, MD, Kenneth Koch, MD, Thomas Abell, MD, William Hasler, MD, William Snape, MD, Linda Lee, MD, Madhusudan Grover, MD, Laura Mriel, BS, Mark Van Natta, MHS, Gianricco Farrugia, MD, James Tonascia, PhD, Frank Hamilton, MD, Henry Parkman, MD, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, El Paso, TX, Stanford University Medical Center, Stanford, CA, Wake Forest University School of Medicine, Wake Forest, NC, University of Louisville School of Medicine, Louisville, KY, University of Michigan School of Medicine, Ann Arbor, MI, California Pacific Medical Center, San Francisco, CA, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, Temple University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA

2. Outcomes and Quality of Life Assessment After Gastric Per Oral Endoscopic Pyloromyotomy (G-POEM)
2016 ACG Governors Award for Excellence in Clinical Research
Sunil Dacha, MD, Lianyong Li, MD, Parit Mekaroonkamol, MD, Nikrad Shahnazav, MD, Steven Keliin, MD, Field Willingham, MD, MPH, Jennifer Christie, MD, Qiang Cai, MD, PhD, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA

Breakfast A: What Is New in Functional GI Disorders: Practical Tips for Nonmedical Therapy
MODERATOR: Scott L. Gabbard, MD

How to Talk to Your Patients About Functional GI Disorders
Scott L. Gabbard, MD
Demonstrate a mechanism by which clinicians can improve patients’ knowledge regarding functional GI disorders.

How to Incorporate Psychological Approaches for FGIDs
Laurie A. Keefe, PhD
Illustrate the benefits of psychological therapies for functional gastrointestinal disorders in a community-based practice.

Dietary Therapy for FGIDs
Baharak Moshiree, MD, MS-CI
Summarize the evidence for and against dietary therapy for functional gastrointestinal disorders.

Breakfast B: The Circle of Life: The Young, the Gravid, and the Old With IBD
MODERATOR: Uma Mahadevan, MD, FACG

Transitioning the Pediatric Patient
Samra S. Blanchard, MD, FACG
Identify challenges in transitioning the pediatric patient to an adult GI practice.

The Pregnant Patient
Uma Mahadevan, MD, FACG
Describe differences in medical therapy for the pregnant patient.

The Elderly Patient
Seymour Katz, MD, MACG
Recognize differences in medical therapy for the elderly patient.

Breakfast C: General Hepatology Update for the Gastroenterologist
MODERATOR: Renuka Umashanker, MD, FACG

Approach to the Patient With Abnormal LFTs: The New ACG Guidelines
Paul Y. Kwo, MD, FACG
Describe the approach to the patient with abnormal LFTs using the new 2016 ACG guidelines.

Approach to the Patient With an Incidental Liver Lesion
Joseph Ahn, MD, MS, FACG
Discuss the approach to the patient with an incidental liver lesion found on imaging study.

“Primary Care” for Cirrhotics
Renuka Umashanker, MD, FACG
Explain the general screening and surveillance modalities in patients with cirrhosis.
3. Cholecystectomy During Index Admission for Gallstone Pancreatitis Lowers 30-Day Readmission Rates: Analysis of the Nationwide Readmission Database
Somashekar G. Krishna, MD, MPH, Alice Hinton, PhD, Dhiraj Yadav, MD, MPH, Darwin L. Conwell, MD, MS, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center, Columbus, OH, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pittsburgh, PA

4. Acute Pancreatitis Clinical Activity Index (AP-CAI) at Discharge Predicts Readmission for Acute Pancreatitis
◆ 2016 ACG Lawlor Resident Award
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5. A 10-year Follow-Up Study of the Effects of Treatment on the Progression of Eosinophilic Esophagitis in Adults
◆ 2016 ACG Governors Award for Excellence in Clinical Research
Alexander Podbov, MD, Katarina Pierce, BS, Kristin Mara, BS, Deb Geno, CCRP, Jeff Alexander, MD, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

7. Redefining Cure in Clostridium difficile Infection: Clinical Assessment 4 Weeks After Fecal Microbiota Transplantation Is Predictive of Standard 8-week Cure Endpoint
◆ 2016 ACG Category Award (Colon)
Jessica R. Allegretti, MD, MPH, Emmalee Phelps, BS, Huiping Xu, PhD, Zain Kassam, MD, MPH, Monika Fischer, MD, MS, Brigham & Women’s Hospital, Cambridge, MA, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN, OpenBiome, Medford, MA

8. Home Exercise Therapy Is Well-Tolerated and Improves Exercise Capacity in Patients with Child Pugh A and B Cirrhosis
◆ 2016 ACG Governors Award for Excellence in Clinical Research
Calvin Kruger, Mark Haykowsky, PhD, Margaret McNeeley, PhD, Juan Abraides, MD, MSc, Michelle Carbonneau, NP, Kim Newman, NP, Mang Ma, MD, Richard Thompson, PhD, Puneeta Tandon, MD, MSc(Epi), University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, University of Texas, Arlington, TX, Alberta Health Services, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada

9. A Placebo-Controlled Trial of Pregabalin for Irritable Bowel Syndrome
◆ 2016 ACG Governors Award for Excellence in Clinical Research
Yuri A. Saito, MD, MPH, Ann E. Almazar, MS, Katherine Tilkes, Rok Seon Choung, MD, PhD, G. R. Locke, III, MD, Alan Zinsmeister, PhD, Nicholas J. Talley, MD, PhD, FACC, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, University of Newcastle, New South Wales, Australia

10. Comparative Effectiveness and Safety of Infliximab and Adalimumab in Inflammatory Bowel Diseases: A Nationwide Danish Cohort Study
◆ 2016 ACG Governors Award for Excellence in Clinical Research
Siddharth Singh, MD, MS, Nynne Nyboe Andersen, MD, PhD, Mikael Anderss, MSSc, Edward V. Loftus, Jr., MD, FACC, Tine Jess, MD, DMsc, University of California San Diego, San Diego, CA, Kobenhavn, Denmark, Statens Serum Institut, Copenhagen, Denmark, Mayo Clinic College of Medicine, Rochester, MN, Institute of Preventive Medicine, Bispebjerg-Frederiksberg Hospital, Frederiksberg, Denmark

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9:00 am – 9:30 am 
PRESIDENT’S ADDRESS
(Venetian Ballroom)
Kenneth R. DeVault, MD, FACG
Introduced by:
Carol A. Burke, MD, FACG
ACG President-Elect

9:30 am – 10:30 am 
PRESIDENT’S PLENARY SESSION 2
(Venetian Ballroom)
MODERATORS: Carol A. Burke, MD, FACG
John R. Saltzman, MD, FACG

6. The Sum of Adenoma Diameters on Index Colonoscopy Predicts Risk of Metachronous Colorectal Adenomas as Accurately as the Current Surveillance Paradigm: Implications for Resect and Discard
◆ 2016 ACG Auxiliary Award (Member)
Joseph C. Anderson, MD, FACC, Carolyn Morris, MPH, Douglas Robertson, MD, MPH, Elizabeth L. Barry, PhD, Jane Figueiredo, PhD, Marcia Cruz, MD, PhD, Robert M. Bostick, MD, MPH, Dennis Ahnen, MD, FACC, John Baron, MD, MS, MSc, Dartmouth College Geisel School of Medicine, Hanover, NH, White River Junction VA Medical Center, White River Junction, VT, University of Southern California Norris Comprehensive Cancer Center, Los Angeles, CA, University of Puerto Rico Comprehensive Cancer Center, San Juan, Puerto Rico, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, Aurora, CO, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC

10:00 am – 4:45 pm 
EXHIBIT HALL OPENS
(Exhibit Hall C)
10:00 am – 4:45 pm 
HANDS-ON WORKSHOP CENTER
(Exhibit Hall C)
10:30 am – 11:30 am 
BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS
(Exhibit Hall C)
10:30 am – 11:30 am 
EXHIBITOR THEATER
(Exhibit Hall C)
10:30 am – 4:00 pm 
POSTER SESSION
(Exhibit Hall C)
ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016

11:30 am – 12:45 pm SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA SESSIONS

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIUM 1A: Eosinophilic Esophagitis: Advances in and Controversies in EoE
MODERATOR: Sandeep K. Gupta, MD, FACG

The PPI Is Ineffective: What’s Next?
Sandeep K. Gupta, MD, FACG
Explain effective dietary and medical therapeutic options for EoE.

Optimal Monitoring of Disease
Nirmala Gonzalves, MD
Describe reasons and best practices for monitoring EoE.

Complex EoE Patients
Evan S. Dellon, MD, MPH
Recognize and manage patients with complex EoE disease in a case-based format.

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIUM 1B: NAFLD and NASH: The New Epidemic in Liver Disease – The 2016 Treatment Debate
MODERATOR: Joseph K. Lim, MD, FACG

Medical Treatment
Manal F. Abdelmalek, MD, MPH, FACG
Compare the various medical treatment modalities for Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease.

Endoscopic Treatment
Violeta B. Popov, MD, PhD
Evaluate the various endoscopic treatment modalities for Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease.

Surgical Treatment
Julie K. Heimbach, MD, FACS
Discuss the various surgical treatment modalities for Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease.

2:15 pm – 3:00 pm SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSIONS

Session 1: Colorectal Cancer Prevention
MODERATORS: Mark B. Pochapin, MD, FACG
Elena M. Stoffel, MD

11. Edible Colon Preparation Shows Excellent Efficacy, Safety and Tolerability in a Phase 2, Randomized Trial
Douglas K. Rex, MD, MACG, L. Campbell Levy, MD, Steve Bensen, MD, Arifa Toor, MD, Siddhartha Parker, MD, Douglas Knuth, RD, Michael K. Aliio, Herbert B. Stern, Corey A. Siegel, MD, MS, Indiana University Hospital, Indianapolis, IN, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, Lebanon, NH, ColonaryConcepts, Boston, MA

12. The Utility of Timed Segment Withdrawal During Screening Colonoscopy for Increasing Adenoma Detection Rate: A Pilot Randomized Controlled Trial
Yi Jia, MD, PhD, Marc J. Zuckerman, MD, FACG, Majd Michael, MD, Jose Martinez, MD, Antonio Mendoza-Ladd, MD, Cesar Garcia, MD, Joseph Sunny, MD, Veronica Caro Delgado, RN, Berenice Hernandez, RN, Christopher Dodoo, MD, Alok Dwivedi, PhD, Mohamed Othman, MD, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso, El Paso, TX, Harbor UCLA Medical Center, Torrance, CA, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX


◆ 2016 ACG Category Award (CRC Prevention)
Thomas F. Imperiale, MD, Timothy Imler, MD, Eric A. Sherer, PhD, Charles Kahi, MD, Jason Larson, Jon Cardwell, Cynthia S. Johnson, MS, Fadi Antaki, MD, Christopher Ashley, MD, Gyorgy Baffy, MD, Ilseung Cho, MD, Jason A. Dominitz, MD, MHS, Jason K. Hou, MD, Mark A. Korsten, MD, Anil B. Nagar, MD, Swati Patel, MD, Kittichi Promrat, MD, Douglas Robertson, MD, MPH, Sameer Saini, MD, Robert Shaw, MD, Amandeep Shergill, MD, MPH, Walter E. Smallley, MD, MPH, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN, Louisiana Tech, Ruston, LA, Roudebush VAMC, Indianapolis, IN, John D. Dingell VA Medical Center & Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, Samuel S. Stratton VAMC, Albany, NY, VA Boston HealthCare System, Boston, MA, New York University, New York, NY, NY, VA Puget Sound Healthcare System, Seattle, WA, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX, James J. Peters VAMC, Bronx, NY, West Haven VAMC, West Haven, CT, Denver VAMC, Denver, CO, Brown University, Providence, RI, White River Junction VA Medical Center, White River Junction, VT, Ann Arbor VA Healthcare System, Ann Arbor, MI, NY VAMC, Northport, NY, San Francisco VA Medical Center, San Francisco, CA, Nashville VAMC, Nashville, TN

14. Providing Data to Establish Benchmarks for Serrated Polyp Detection Rates: An Analysis of the New Hampshire Colonoscopy Registry (NHCR)
Joseph C. Anderson, MD, FACG, Lynn Buttery, MD, Julie Weiss, MS, Christina M. Robinson, MS, Dartmouth College Geisel School of Medicine, Hanover, NH, New Hampshire Colonoscopy Registry, Lebanon, NH

12:45 pm – 1:20 pm EXHIBITOR THEATER
(Exhibit Hall C)

12:45 pm – 2:15 pm LUNCH BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS – VIEW POSTERS
(Exhibit Hall C)

1:40 pm – 2:15 pm EXHIBITOR THEATER
(Exhibit Hall C)
Session 2: Liver

MODERATORS: Paul Y. Kwo, MD, FACG
Tram T. Tran, MD, FACG

15. Analysis of the Efficacy of OCA in Primary Biliary Cholangitis by Baseline Biochemistry Across Three Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Clinical Trials
Paul J. Pockros, MD, FACG, Karen Lutz, PhD, Richard Pencek, PhD, Tonya Marmon, DrPH, Leigh MacConell, PhD, Luigi Picaro, MD, Luciano A dorini, MD, David Shapiro, MB, ChB, FRCP, Scripps Clinic, La Jolla, CA, Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc., San Diego, CA, Intercept Pharma Europe Ltd., London, England

Brian D. Liem, DO, Brian Torski, DO, Stephen MJ Hoffman, DO, FACG, Ronald J. Rasansky, DO, FACG, Jack Tocco, DO, Michael Shaw, PhD, St. John Macomb-Oakland Hospital, Madison Heights, MI

17. A Comparison of the Rates of Gastrointestinal Bleeding and Mortality in Cirrhotic Patients with Coronary Artery Disease Treated with Cardiac Stents vs Medical Management
Timothy Krill, MD, Geri Brown, MD, Rick Weideman, PharmD, Stuart J. Spechler, MD, FACG, Linda A. Feagins, MD, Emmanuelu Briakis, MD, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas, Dallas, TX, Dallas VA Medical Center, Dallas, TX

18. Acute Alcoholic Hepatitis in the United States: Clinical Characteristics, Outcomes and Relationship with PNPLA3 Genotype and Coffee Drinking
Naga P. Chalasani, MD, FACG, Vijay Shah, MD, Arun J. Sanyal, MD, MBBS, Suthat Liangpunsakul, MD, MPH, Qing Tang, MS, Megan Comerford, BS, Puneet Puri, MD, Svetlana Radaeva, PhD, Barry P. Katz, PhD, David Crabb, MD, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA, NIN/NIAAA/DMHE, Rockville, MD

3:00 pm – 3:45 pm
THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF GASTROENTEROLOGY LECTURE
(Venetian Ballroom K)
Hepatitis C: The Past, the Present, and the Future
Tram T. Tran, MD, FACG
Explain the current guidelines and therapy for hepatitis C infection.
Introduced by: Brian E. Lacy, MD, PhD, FACG, and Brennan M.R. Spiegel, MD, MSHS, FACG
See page 11 for more information.

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm
BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS
(Exhibit Hall C)

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm
EXHIBITOR THEATER
(Exhibit Hall C)
SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA 2C: Live from Las Vegas!
The 4th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum

MODERATOR: Seth A. Gross, MD, FACG

JUDGES: John R. Saltzman, MD, FACG, Laith H. Jamil, MD, FACG, Vivek Kaul, MD, FACG, and Sunanda V. Kane, MD, MSPH, FACG

This Video Forum Symposium will feature the best video presentations submitted by colleagues from across the U.S. and around the world. Submitted during ACG's Call for Abstracts and peer-reviewed and selected for presentation, the cases will feature endoscopy techniques, challenging or unique cases, and cases in the area of GI endoscopy. During the session, the audience, along with the judges, will vote to select the best video of ACG 2016. Attendees will view videos showcasing interesting endoscopic findings and techniques encountered in daily clinical practice.

V1. Just GIST: Loop and Let Go
Krishna Gurram, MD, Vamsi Kantamaneni, MD, Mrinal S. Garg, MD, Harika Boinpally, MBBS, Manish Dhawan, MD, Allegheny Health Network, Pittsburgh, PA

V2. Hydrogen Peroxide - Assisted Endoscopic Necrosectomy of Walled off Pancreatic Necrosis
Ahmed Messallam, MD, Sunil Dacha, MD, Qiang Cai, MD, PhD, FACG, Steven Keilin, MD, Field Willingham, MD, MPH, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA

V3. A Dual-Modality Approach of Intrabiliary Radiofrequency Ablation and Metal Stent Placement to Control Biliary Bleeding
Christopher M. Linz, MD, Rohan M. Modi, MD, Somashekar G. Krishna, MD, MPH, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center, Columbus, OH

V4. Peroral Endoscopic Myotomy After Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass Surgery
Daniel von Renteln, MD, Mohammed Al Mahroos, MD, Melina C. Vassiliou, MD, Mickael Bouin, MD, PhD, Université de Montréal, McGill University Health Center, Centre de Recherche du Centre Hospitalier de l’Université de Montréal, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

V5. Multimodal Treatment Approach for Migrated and Epithelialized Metal Biliary Stents
Shivangi Kothari, MD, Shyam Thakkar, MD, Bharat Rao, MD, Truptesh Kothari, MD, Mrinal S. Garg, MD, Vivek Kaul, MD, FACG, Allegheny Health Network, Pittsburgh, PA; University of Rochester Medical Center, Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, NY; Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, MI;

V6. Trimming the Fat
Amita Kalra, MD, Shahzad Iqbal, MD, FACG, State University of New York Downstate Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

V7. Endoscopic Treatment of Hepaticoduodenal Fistula and Recurrent Liver Abscesses Secondary to an Unusual Clinical Entity
Jayakrishna Chintanaboina, MD, MPH, Ryan Gaffney, DO, Abraham Mathew, MD, MSc, Penn State University Milton S. Hershey Medical Center, Hershey, PA

V8. At the Crossroads: Resection of a Gastroesophageal Junctional Tumor
Derrick Cheung, MD, Mukul Arya, MD, Vincent Notar-Francesco, MD, New York Methodist Hospital, Brooklyn, NY

V9. A Preparation-Free X-ray Imaging Capsule for Colon Cancer Screening
Seth A. Gross, MD, FACG, Natan Gluck, MD, Menachem Moshkowitz, MD, Beni Shpak, MD, Nadir Arber, MD, New York University Langone Medical Center, New York, NY; Lanyadau Medical Center, Netanya, Israel; Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center, Tel Aviv, Israel; Laniado Hospital, Netanya, Israel; Integrated Cancer Prevention Center, Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center, Tel Aviv, Israel
Tuesday, October 18, 2016
6:45 am – 6:20 pm

6:00 am – 5:00 pm  **REGISTRATION**  (Level 1 Registration)

6:45 am – 8:15 am  **10 OPTIONAL BREAKFAST SESSIONS**
Cost is $60 per person/per session. Separate registration required; see page 5.

**BREAKFAST E: Case-based Dilemmas in Pancreatolgy**
**MODERATOR:** Girish Mishra, MD, MS, FACP

**My Patient Has an Elevated Lipase: What Should I Do?**
Girish Mishra, MD, MS, FACP
Summarize the diagnostic algorithm for a patient with an elevated lipase of unknown cause.

**Genetic Testing for Chronic Pancreatitits: Who, When, and How?**
Tyler Stevens, MD, FACP
Describe the role and implications of genetic testing in patients with chronic pancreatitis.

**My MRI Showed Pancreas Divisum, Now What?**
Harry R. Aslanian, MD
Identify the clinical significance and management of pancreas divisum.

**BREAKFAST F: Persistent Ring of Fire: Diagnosis and Management of Complex GERD Patients**
**MODERATOR:** Christine Y. Hachem, MD, FACP

**Refractory Heartburn: Testing, Optimizing Therapy, and Role for Surgery**
Christine Y. Hachem, MD, FACP
Discuss optimal diagnostic tools and management of patients with refractory heartburn.

**Atypical GERD: Optimizing Management of Patients With Cough, LPR, Asthma – The Role of GERD Therapy**
James C. Reynolds, MD, FACP
Recognize role of acid reflux in patients with respiratory/laryngeal complications of GERD.

**GERD and Optimal Management: Smoke and Mirror of PPI Adverse Events**
Philip O. Katz, MD, FACP
Differentiate myths versus facts, and optimal management of patients on long-term PPI.

**BREAKFAST G: Tush Talk: Practical Tips for Managing Anorectal Disease**
**MODERATOR:** Harry E. Sarles, Jr., MD, FACP

**Perianal Lumps and Bumps**
Susan Gandaldiuk, MD, FACP, FACS, FASCRS
Recognize anal rectal pathology and its appropriate management options.

**Hemorrhoids: Fair Game for the Gastroenterologists**
Harry E. Sarles, Jr., MD, FACP
Identify and describe local hemorrhoidal treatments available to practicing gastroenterologists.

**Invisible Mauraders: Perianal Pruritus, Proctalgia Fugax, and Fecal Incontinence**
Arnold Wald, MD, MACG
Describe treatment options for common perianal symptoms.

**BREAKFAST H: Endoscopic Controversies in IBD**
**MODERATOR:** Ashish Atreja, MD

**Balloon Dilation of Crohn’s Strictures**
Ashish Atreja, MD
Define the technique and success rates associated with balloon dilation of Crohn’s strictures.

**Fixing Fistulas and Sinus Tracts Endoscopically**
Bo Shen, MD, FACP
Describe endoscopic options for minimally invasive management of Crohn’s fistulas.

**Controversies in Chromoendoscopy**
Tonya R. Katenbach, MD, MS, FACP
Compare the evidence for and against chromoendoscopy in IBD surveillance.

**BREAKFAST I: Gastroenterologist in Cyberspace: Lessons Learned**
**MODERATOR:** Ryan D. Madanick, MD

**Reputation Defender**
Ken J. Brown, MD
Apply techniques to ensure positive reviews and deflect negative reviews in cyberspace.

**To Tweet or Not to Tweet**
Ryan D. Madanick, MD
Recognize the risks and benefits of your social media presence.

**Technology to Help You and Your Patients**
Brennan M.R. Spiegel, MD, MSHS, FACP
List apps and other technological modalities that can add value to your practice and improve the health of your patients.

**BREAKFAST J: Small Bowel Bleeding**
**MODERATOR:** Seth A. Gross, MD, FACP

**Diagnostic Dilemmas of Capsule Endoscopy**
Carol E. Semrad, MD, FACP
Distinguish between insignificant lesions seen on capsule endoscopy versus those that require further evaluation.

**Deep Enteroscopy: Has It Solved the Problem?**
Lauren B. Gerson, MD, MSc, FACG
Recognize the value and shortcomings of deep enteroscopy in small bowel bleeding.

**Management of the Patient With Small Bowel Bleeding**
Seth A. Gross, MD, FACP
Summarize the diagnosis and management of patients with small bowel bleeding.
BREAKFAST K: The Rome IV
MODERATOR: William D. Chey, MD, FACG

Esophageal Disorders
Ronnie Fass, MD, FACG
Describe the updated Rome IV criteria and recommendations, and highlight the differences from Rome III for functional esophageal disorders.

Gastrointestinal Disorders
Nicholas J. Talley, MD, MBBS, PhD, MMedSci, FACG
Describe the updated Rome IV criteria and recommendations and highlight the differences from Rome III for functional gastrointestinal disorders.

Bowel Disorders
William D. Chey, MD, FACG
Describe the updated Rome IV criteria and recommendations and highlight the differences from Rome III for functional bowel disorders.

BREAKFAST L: ERCP Conundrums
MODERATOR: Jeffrey H. Lee, MD, MPH, FACG

Is Your Scope Clean?
Andrew S. Ross, MD
Describe the current status of CRE infections and endoscope re-processing.

Pancreatic Cancer: How Best to Manage Endoscopically
Jeffrey H. Lee, MD, MPH, FACG
Recall the step-wise approach in managing drain of malignant biliary obstruction.

Interventions in Chronic Pancreatitis
Douglas G. Adler, MD, FACG
List the indications, techniques, and complications of pancreatic endotherapy in chronic pancreatitis.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2016

ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING

REGISTRATION (Level 1 Registration)
8:00 am – 8:30 am
8:30 am – 6:20 pm
8:30 am – 10:00 am

SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSIONS

Session 1: Esophagus/Small Intestine
MODERATORS: Nicholas J. Shaheen, MD, MPH, FACG
Felice Schnoll-Sussman, MD, FACG

19. A Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Trial of a Novel Recombinant, Humanized, Anti Interleukin-13 Monoclonal Antibody (RPC4046) in Patients with Active Eosinophilic Esophagitis: Results of the HEROES Study
Evans D. Dellon, MD, MPH, Margaret Collins, MD, Yehudith Assouline-Dayan, MD, Larry Evans, DO, Sandeep K. Gupta, MD, Alain Schoepfer, MD, Alex Straumann, MD, Michael Grimm, MD, Heather Smith, MBA, Cindy-Anne Tompkins, Amy Woo, Robert Peach, PhD, Paul A. Frohna, MD, PhD, Sheila Gujrathi, MD, Richard Aranda, MD, Allan Olson, MBA, MD, Darryl Penenberg, PhD, Ikuo Hirano, MD, FACG, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, Chapel Hill, NC, University of Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, OH, University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine, Iowa City, IA, Grand Teton Research Group, Idaho Falls, ID, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN, Centre Hospitalier Universitaire Vaudois, Lausanne, Switzerland, University Hospital Basel, Basel-Stadt, Switzerland, Receptos, Inc., San Diego, CA, Celgene Corporation, San Diego, CA, Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL

20. Gene-environment Interaction in Pediatric Eosinophilic Esophagitis
Elizabeth T. Jensen, MPH, PhD, Jonathan Kuhl, Lisa J. Martin, PhD, Carl D. Langefeld, PhD, Marc Rothenberg, MD, PhD, Evans D. Dellon, MD, MPH, Wake Forest University School of Medicine, Winston-Salem, NC, Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, OH, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, Chapel Hill, NC

Anthony J. Horton, BS, Nirav Patil, MBBS, MPH, Steven Clayton, MD, University of South Carolina School of Medicine Greenville, Greenville, SC, Greenville Health System, Greenville, SC

22. Baseline Impedance Measured During High-Resolution Esophageal Impedance Manometry Reliably Discriminates GERD Patients
Karthik Ravi, MD, Deb Geno, CCRP, Marcelo Vela, MD, David Katzka, MD, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, Mayo Clinic, Scottsdale, AZ

23. Comparison of Objective Esophageal pH Study Findings After Peroral Endoscopic Myotomy vs Laparoscopic Heller Myotomy in Achalasia
Nicholas J. Shaheen, MD, MPH, FACG, Prashanthi Thota, MD, Umar Hayat, MD, Ramprasad Jagadeesan, MD, Rocio Lopez, MS, Monica Ray, MD, Scott Gabbard, MD, Neha Wadhwa, MD, Sudish Murthy, MD, Siva Raja, MD, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, Mayo Clinic, Scottsdale, AZ

24. Peroral Endoscopic Shorter versus Longer Myotomy for the Treatment of Achalasia: A Comparative Study
Xiaowei Tang, MD, PhD, Silin Huang, MD, Yutang Ren, MD, PhD, Qiaoping Gao, MD, Jieqiong Zhou, MD, Xiaofeng Zhang, MD, Bo Jiang, MD, PhD, Wei Gong, MD, PhD, FACG, First People’s Hospital of Hangzhou, Hangzhou, Zhejiang, People’s Republic of China, Nanfang Hospital, Southern Medical University, Guangzhou, Guangdong, People’s Republic of China, Beijing Tsinghua Changgung Hospital Medical Center, Tsinghua University, Beijing, People’s Republic of China

25. Development and Validation of a Prediction Model Associated with Neoplastic Progression of Barrett’s Esophagus (BE): Data from a Multi-Center Prospective Cohort
Sarvath Parasa, MD, Marco Bruno, MD, PhD, Sreekar Vennerlaganti, MD, Srinivas Gaddam, MD, Patrick Young, MD, Neil Gupta, MD, MPH, Prashanthi Thota, MD, Brooks D. Cash, MD, Sharad Mathur, MD, Prashanth Vennerlaganti, MD, Manon Spaander, MD, Richard Sampliner, MD, Fouad Moawad, MD, David Lieberman, MD, Ayaj Bansal, MD, Kevin Kennedy, MS, John Vargo, MD MPH, Gary W. Falk, MD, MS, Prateek Sharma, MD, FACG, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS, University Medical Center, Rotterdam, Netherlands, Kansas City VA Medical Center, Kansas City, KS, Barnes-Jewish Hospital at Washington University, St. Louis, MO, Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Bethesda, MD, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH, University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, Oregon Health & Science University, Portland, OR, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, MO, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA

27. Real-Life Case Finding of Undiagnosed Celiac Disease: Exposing the Celiac Ugly Truth?

28. Onset of Efficacy of Tofacitinib for Induction Therapy in Patients with Active Ulcerative Colitis in Two Multinational Phase 3 Clinical Trials

29. Tofacitinib Has Induction Efficacy in Moderately to Severely Active Ulcerative Colitis, Regardless of Prior TNF Inhibitor Therapy

30. Safety and Efficacy of Long-Term Treatment with Ozanimod, an Oral S1P Receptor Modulator, in Moderate to Severe Ulcerative Colitis: Touchstone Extension

31. Covariates Influencing the Exposure-Response Relationship for Certolizumab Pegol During the Induction and Maintenance Phases in Patients with Crohn’s Disease

32. Evaluating Transfer of Certolizumab Pegol into Breast Milk: Results from CRADLE, a Prospective, Postmarketing Multicenter Pharmacokinetics Study

33. Low Risk of Pneumocystis Jirovecii Pneumonia in Inflammatory Bowel Disease Patients Receiving Immunosuppressive Therapy: A Population-Based Cohort Study

34. Subanalysis of Teduglutide Efficacy and Safety Data from Patients with Crohn’s Disease and Ulcerative Colitis in the STEPS Study

35. Rapid Infliximab Infusions Are Safe and Well Tolerated in Inflammatory Bowel Disease Patients

36. Reserved for Late Breaking Abstract
10:05 am – 10:35 am  J. EDWARD BERK DISTINGUISHED LECTURE (Venetian Ballroom K)  
Endoscopy 2020: Preparing for the Future  
Kenneth K. Wang, MD, FACG  
Identify three important areas to develop for future endoscopic practice; analyze how quality metrics will influence endoscopic procedures; appraise the best training for new procedures.  
Introduced by:  
Kenneth R. DeVault, MD, FACG  
ACG President  
See page 11 for more information.

10:00 am – 4:30 pm  EXHIBIT HALL OPENS  
(Exhibit Hall C)

10:00 am – 4:30 pm  HANDS-ON WORKSHOP CENTER  
(Exhibit Hall C)

10:35 am – 11:30 am  BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS  
(Exhibit Hall C)

10:35 am – 11:30 am  EXHIBITOR THEATER  
(Exhibit Hall C)

10:30 am – 4:00 pm  POSTER SESSION  
(Exhibit Hall C)

11:30 am – 12:45 pm  SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA SESSIONS

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIUM 3a: GI Bleeding  
MODERATOR: John R. Saltzman, MD, FACG

Beyond Epinephrine: Clips, Glues, Spray  
John R. Saltzman, MD, FACG  
Identify new technologies to treat GI bleeding.

Lower GI Bleeding  
Lisa L. Strate, MD, MPH, FACG  
Discuss the new ACG guidelines for lower GI bleeding.

Management of the Bleeding Patient on Anticoagulant and Antiplatelet Agents  
Neena S. Abraham, MD, MSc (Epid), FACG  
Evaluate patients with GI bleeding on anticoagulant and antiplatelet agents and discuss strategies for managing risk.

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIUM 3b: Biologics and Biosimilars for IBD: The Past, Present, and Future  
MODERATOR: David T. Rubin, MD, FACG

Biosimilars Are Here! What Every Gastroenterologist Needs to Know  
David T. Rubin, MD, FACG  
Describe the role of biosimilars in clinical practice.

De-escalation of IBD Therapy: Who, When, and Why?  
Peter Higgins, MD, PhD, MSc  
Formulate a plan for discontinuing therapy in the appropriate patient.

Tailoring Concomitant Therapy to Your Patient  
Russell D. Cohen, MD, FACG  
Distinguish the appropriate patient for mono versus combination therapy.

12:45 pm – 1:20 pm  EXHIBITOR THEATER  
(Exhibit Hall C)

12:45 pm – 2:15 noon  LUNCH BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS – VIEW POSTERS  
(Exhibit Hall C)

1:40 pm – 2:15 pm  EXHIBITOR THEATER  
(Exhibit Hall C)

2:15 pm – 3:45 pm  SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSIONS

Session 1: Colon/Stomach  
MODERATORS:  
David A. Greenwald, MD, FACG  
Colleen R. Kelly, MD, FACG

Daniel A.P. von Renteln, MD, Joseph C. Anderson, MD, FACG, Heiko Pohl, MD, Université de Montréal, Montréal, Quebec, Canada, Dartmouth College Geisel School of Medicine, Hanover, NH, White River Junction VA Medical Center, White River Junction, VT

38. Stool Processing Speed and Storage Duration Do Not Impact Clinical Effectiveness of Fecal Microbiota Transplantation Across 1,924 Clostridium difficile Infection Patients  
Ryan J. Elliott, BA, Mary Njenga, BS, Alim Ladha, Kurt Warren, BS, Dan Blackler, BS, Zachery Stoltzner, BS, Kelsey O’Brien, BA, MPH, Mark Smith, PhD, Jessica R. Allegritti, MD, MPH, Zain Kassam, MD, MPH, OpenBiome, Medford, MA, Brigham & Women’s Hospital, Cambridge, MA

39. Rates, Leading Causes, and Predictors of 30-day Readmission Following a Clostridium difficile Infection: A Nationwide Analysis  
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2016 ACG Fellows-In-Training Award (Outcomes Research Category)  
Vijay Dalapathi, MD, Kalpesh G. Patel, MD, PharmD, Pavan Mankal, MD, MA, Donald Kotler, MD, Mount Sinai St. Luke’s and Mount Sinai Roosevelt, New York, NY, Rutgers New Jersey Medical School, Newark, NJ

40. Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass Surgery Is Associated with a Paradoxical Temporal Increase in Clostridium difficile Admissions and Relapse  
*
2016 ACG Obesity Award  
Emmanuel Ugbarugba, MD, MPA, Steven Clinton, MD, Michael Bailey, MD, Kyle Porter, MAS, Bradley Needleman, MD, Sabrena Noria, MD, Benjamin O’Donnell, MD, Hisham Hussan, MD, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center, Columbus, OH

41. The Trend and Outcomes of Anti-platelet and Anti-Thrombotic-Associated Upper Gastrointestinal Hemorrhage in the United States  
*
2016 ACG Category Award (Stomach)  
Chung-Jyi Tsai, MD, FACG, *Ahyoung Kim, MD, Rocio Lopez, MS, MPH, Cleveland Clinic Lerner College of Medicine, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH

*indicates Presenting Author
42. 4-Factor Prothrombin Complex Concentrate Reduces Time to Procedure in Vitamin K Antagonist-Treated Patients Experiencing Gastrointestinal Bleeding
Majed Refaai, MD, Shana Straub, MD, Jacob Falcon, MD, Ravi Sarode, MD, Joshua Goldstein, MD, PhD, Truptesh H. Kothari, MD, MS, Andres Brainsky, MD, Laurel Omert, MD, Martin Lee, PhD, Truman Milling, MD, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY, Seton Dell Medical School Stroke Institute, Dell Children’s Medical Center, University Medical Center at Brackenridge, Austin, TX, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, CSL Behring, King of Prussia, PA, UCLA Fielding School of Public Health, Los Angeles, CA

43. Topical Hemostatic Agents for the Management of Malignancy-Related Gastrointestinal Bleeding: A Meta-Analysis
Mandeep Sandhu, MD, Sara-Pier Piscopo, BSc, Lilia Antonova, PhD, Paul D. James, MD, MSc, FRCP, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, The Ottawa Hospital Research Institute, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada

44. Outcomes of Early versus Delayed Colonoscopy in Lower Gastrointestinal Bleeding Using a Hospital Administrative Database
Neha Nigam, MD, Parita Patel, MD, Neil Sengupta, MD, University of Chicago Medical Center, Chicago, IL

45. Reserved for Late Breaking Abstract

Session 2: Liver
MODERATORS: Joseph Ahn, MD, MS, FACG
David E. Bernstein, MD, FACG

46. Nonalcoholic Steatohepatitis (NASH) Has Surpassed Hepatitis C as the Leading Etiology for Listing for Liver Transplant: Implications for NASH in Children and Young Adults
Bubu A. Banini, MD, PhD, Manuela Mota, MD, Martha Behnke, MS, PhD, Amit Sharma, MD, MPHil, Arun J. Sanyal, MD, MBBS, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA, Systems Imaging, Inc., Scottsdale, AZ

47. Vitamin D Is Associated with Severity and Mortality of Non-alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease in the United States: A Population-Based Study
Hyun-seok Kim, MD, MPH, Laura Rotundo, MD, Neil Kothari, MD, Sung-hoon Kim, MD, PhD, Nikoala Pyrsopoulos, MD, PhD, MBA, Rutgers New Jersey Medical School, Newark, NJ, Kyung-hee University, Seoul, Korea

48. Comparison of Alcohol vs Non-Alcohol-Related Cirrhosis: Trends in Hospitalization, Inpatient Mortality, and Cirrhosis-Related Complications in United States from 2002 to 2011
Kalpit Devani, MD, Paris Charlaou, MD, MPh, Febin John, MD, Pranav Patel, MD, Mark Young, MD, Chakradhar Reddy, MD, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, TN, Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School/Saint Peters University Hospital, New Brunswick, NJ

49. Racial Differences in Phenotype and Outcome Among Patients with Primary Sclerosing Cholangitis Listed for Liver Transplant
◆ 2016 ACG Fellows-In-Training Award (Liver Category)
Julius M. Wilder, MD, PhD, Jackie Henson, BS, Yuvad Patel, MD, Jiayin Zheng, PhD, Sheen-Chung Chow, PhD, Andrew Muir, MD, Duke University, Durham, NC

50. African Americans with Hepatocellular Carcinoma Have Significantly More Advanced Disease at Presentation: A Safety-Net Hospital Experience
Jonathan Chan, MD, Taft Bhuket, MD, Benny Liu, MD, Robert Wong, MD, Alameda Health System, Highland Hospital, Oakland, CA

51. The Effect of Diagnostic Phlebotomy on Hemoglobin Levels Among Hospitalized Patients with Cirrhosis
Vincent C. Ganapini, DO, Suthat Liangpunsakul, MD, MPH, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN

52. Defining the Clinical and Biochemical Course of Ischemic Hepatitis in a Large ICU Patient Population With and Without Sepsis
Mohammed M. Aboelsoud, MBCh, Amir I. Javaid, MD, Mazen O. Al-Qadi, MD, James H. Lewis, MD, FACG. Memorial Hospital of Rhode Island/ Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Pawtucket, RI, Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, DC

53. Reserved for Late Breaking Abstract

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3:45 pm – 4:30 pm BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS
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3:45 pm – 4:30 pm EXHIBITOR THEATER
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4:30 pm – 5:00 pm EMILY COURIC MEMORIAL LECTURE
(Venetian Ballroom K)
Why the Esophageal Health of a Masai Tribesman in Kenya Matters to GI Docs in the U.S.
David E. Fleischer, MD, FACG
Recognize the importance of early diagnosis and identifying precursor lesions for patients with esophageal cancer.
See page 11 for more information.
Sponsored by the ACG, the Virginia Gastroenterological Society and the Old Dominion Society of Gastroenterology Nurses and Associates
Introduced by:
Kenneth R. DeVault, MD, FACG
ACG President
5:05 pm – 6:20 pm  
SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA SESSIONS

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA 4A: Controversies in Barrett’s Esophagus – The Great Debate: Personalized Barrett’s Management
MODERATOR: Philip O. Katz, MD, FACP

40-year-old With C5M6 With Persistent Barrett’s With HGD After 4 Radiofrequency Ablations
Identify options for personalized management of Barrett’s esophagus.
  
  Continue Ablative Techniques
  Prateek Sharma, MD, FACP
  
  Patient Needs Surgery
  Steven R. DeMeester, MD, FACP

33-year-old With C6M6 Non-dysplastic Barrett’s
Compare strengths and limitations of therapeutic options.
  
  Ablate
  Nicholas J. Shaheen, MD, MPH, FACP
  
  Surveillance Is Sufficient
  Prateek Sharma, MD, FACP

43-year-old With Short Segment BE With LGD
Discuss risk factors for malignant progression in Barrett’s esophagus and individualizing therapeutic options accordingly.
  
  EMR Is Sufficient
  Steven R. DeMeester, MD, FACP
  
  RFA Is Sufficient
  Felice Schnoll-Sussman, MD, FACP

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA 4B: Fecal Microbiota Transplantation in Your Practice
MODERATOR: Bret A. Lashner, MD, FACP

FMT in C. difficile
Neil H. Stollman, MD, FACP
Recognize the appropriate patient for FMT in C. difficile.

FMT in IBD and Other Conditions: What Is the Evidence?
Colleen R. Kelly, MD, FACP
Interpret the evidence supporting the use of FMT in various GI conditions.

How to Bring FMT to Your Practice
Bret A. Lashner, MD, FACP
Explain the logistics of performing FMT.

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA 4C: Practice Management: Protecting Your Practice
MODERATOR: James S. Leavitt, MD, FACP

Maintaining Practice Independence
James S. Leavitt, MD, FACP
Describe the factors impacting small practices in their decision to remain independent versus merging with a larger group.

Incorporating Alternative Payment Models in Your Practice
Michael S. Morelli, MD, CPE, FACP
Analyze the factors impacting your decision to include alternate payment models in your practice.

Patient Satisfaction and CG-CAHPS: How it Works and Real Solutions
Louis J. Wilson, MD, FACP
Summarize how CG-CAHPS and measuring patient satisfaction will impact practicing physicians as well as compare and illustrate practical solutions that can improve survey results and patient communication.

6:20 pm  
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**BREAKFAST M: Controversies in Pancreatology**
**MODERATOR:** Timothy B. Gardner, MD, MS, FACG
**Am I Going to Develop Pancreatic Cancer? Who, When, and How to Screen?**
Manoop S. Bhutani, MD, FACG
Compare indications and implications of genetic testing and latest screening options.

**TPIAT: Who is the Ideal Candidate and What to Expect After Surgery?**
Timothy B. Gardner, MD, MS, FACG
Distinguish who can benefit from TPIAT and create realistic expectations for results.

**Do Enzymes Treat Pain in Chronic Pancreatitis? The Great Debate**
Luis F. Lara, MD
Analyze the evidence as to whether pancreatic enzymes treat pancreatic cancer type pain.

**BREAKFAST N: Esophageal Technology Update – What’s New?**
**MODERATOR:** Prasad G. Iyer, MD, MS, FACG

**Enhancing Surveillance in Barrett’s – OCT, Confocal, NBI, VLE**
Prasad G. Iyer, MD, MS, FACG
Discuss the role of advanced endoscopic imaging in surveillance of Barrett’s.

**GERD Treatment – Endoscopy, Magnets, Plication, Stimulators**
Lauren B. Gerson, MD, MSc, FACG
Describe the efficacy of new devices in the treatment of GERD.

**Esophageal Function Testing – HRM/Impedance, Tissue Impedance, Telemetry Capsule**
John E. Pandolfino, MD, MSCI, FACG
Identify the optimal use of techniques for evaluation of dysphagia and chest pain.

**BREAKFAST O: Battle of the Bulge**
**MODERATOR:** Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD

**Establishing a Bariatric Program in Your Practice**
Violeta B. Popov, MD, PhD
Evaluate challenges and strategies to prepare your practice for balloons; credentialing; current trends in balloon use one year after FDA approval.

**Endoscopic Bariatric Buffet: Balloons, Sleeves, and Sutures**
Christopher C. Thompson, MD, MSc, FACG
Describe and explain about the use of the latest modalities to treat obesity endoscopically.

**No Longer the Biggest Loser: The Weight Is Back**
Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD
Manage the patient who regains weight after a prior weight loss intervention.

**BREAKFAST P: Individualizing Colon Cancer Screening: One Size Does Not Fit All**
**MODERATOR:** Aasma Shaukat, MD, MPH, FACG

**Should Screening Recommendations Differ by Age, Race, or Gender?**
Aasma Shaukat, MD, MPH, FACG
Recognize differences in cancer risk in various populations.

**Hereditary Colorectal Cancer Risks: Application to Clinical Practice**
Carol A. Burke, MD, FACG
Identify genetic differential risk profiles.

**Risk Stratification and Alternate Screening Modalities**
Theodore R. Levin, MD, FACG
Compare and contrast alternate modalities for colon cancer screening.

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**Session 1: Pancreatico-Biliary/Endoscopy**
**MODERATORS:** Darwin L. Conwell, MD, MS  
Field F. Willingham, MD, MPH, FACG

Shounak Majumder, MD, William R. Taylor, MS, Tracy C. Yab, BS, Calise K. Berger, BS, Douglas W. Mahoney, MS, Harry R. Aslanian, MD, James J. Farrell, MD, William E. Fisher, MD, Bonnie Gould Rothberg, MD, PhD, MPH, Ronald R. Salem, MD, Diane M. Simeone, MD, George J. Van Buren, MD, Massimo Raimondo, MD, Suresh T. Chari, MD, John B. Kisiel, MD, Mark D. Topazian, MD, David A. Ahlquist, MD, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, CT, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX, Yale Cancer Center, New Haven, CT, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, FL

**56. DNA Analysis of Pancreatic Cystic Lesions Has Value in Assessing Risk of Future Malignancy**
James J. Farrell, MD, Sara Jackson, PhD, Nicole Toney, MPH, Tamas Gonda, MD, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, CT, Interpace Diagnostics Corporation, Pittsburgh, PA, New York-Presbyterian/Columbia University Medical Center, New York, NY
57. Needle Based Confocal Laser Endomicroscopy Can Reliably Distinguish Mucinous from Non-mucinous Pancreatic Cystic Lesions: An International External Inter-and Intra-observer Study

2016 ACG Category Award (Biliary/Pancreas)

Somashekar G. Krishna, MD, MPH, William R. Brugge, MD, MPH, John M. Dewitt, MD, Pradernchhai Kongkam, MD, Bertrand Napoleon, MD, Carlos Robles-Medranda, MD, Damien Tan, MBBS, Smer Eli-Dika, MD, Sean McCarthy, MD, Jon Walker, MD MS, Mary E. Dillhoff, MD, MS, Andrei Manilchuk, MD, Carl Schmidt, MD, Philip A. Hart, MD, Darwin L. Conwell, MD, MS, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center, Columbus, OH, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, Indiana University Medical Center, Indianapolis, IN, Chulalongkorn University and King Chulalongkorn Memorial Hospital, Bangkok, Thailand, Hospital Prive Jean Mermoz, Generale de Sante, Lyon, France, Instituto Ecuatoriano de Enfermedades Digestivas, Guayaquil, Ecuador, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore

58. Prospective Study of Safety and Effectiveness of Lauramicrogal for Ablation of Small Pancreatic Cystic Neoplasms Under EUS

2016 ACG International Award

Chen Du, Huikai Li, MD, Enqiang Linghu, PhD, Bo Ning, Mingyao Li, Chai Ningli, PhD, Zhiquiang Wang, PhD, Xiangdong Wang, MS, Ping Tang, MS, Xu Guo, PhD, YuFa Sun, PhD, Wei Xu, PhD, Beijing Military General Hospital of PLA, Beijing, People’s Republic of China, Chinese People’s Liberation Army Medical College, Beijing, People’s Republic of China

59. Multicenter Evaluation of the Clinical Utility of Laparoscopy-Assisted ERCP in Patients with Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass (RYGB)

Ali Abbas, MD, MPH, Benjamin Bick, MD, Ihab I El Hajj, MD, Stuart Sherman, MD, David L. Diehl, MD, Brian C. Brauer, MD, Mihir S Wagh, MD, Bruce D Greenwald, MD, Iris H. Lee, MD, Lance Uradomo, MD, Rebecca Burbridge, MD, Alyson McGhan, MD, Jaroslav Zviny, MD, Shahrad Hakimian, MD, Marcelo Falcão, MD, Paul Tarnasky, MD, Christopher E. Forsmark, MD, Dennis Yang, MD, Anand Gupta, MD, Shailendra Chauhan, MD, Steven J. Hughes, MD, Karen Saks, MD, Brintha K. Eneveldt, MD, MBA, Gennadiy Bakis, MD, Alireza Sedarat, MD, Adarsh M. Thaker, MD, Rishi Pawa, MD, John A. Evans, MD, Thiruvengadam Muniraj, MD, Priya Jamidar, MD, Kartik Sampath, MD, Timothy B. Gardner, MD, Eduardo Guimarães Hourneaux de Moura, MD, Almino Cardoso Ramos, MD, Marco Aurelio Santo, MD, Andrew Nett, MD, Richard S. Kwon, MD, Alejandro L. Suarez, MD, Gregory A. Coté, MD, MS, Badih Elmunzer, MD, Kulwinder S. Dua, MD, Murad Aburajab, MD, Michael J. Nosler, MD, Andrew Y. Wang, MD, Daniel S. Strand, MD, Vivek Kaul, MD, FACG, Shivangi Kothari, MD, Asad Ullah, MD, Pushpack Taunk, MD, Patrick Brady, MD, Jordan Holmes, MD, Rahul Pannala, MD, Jeffrey Tokar, MD, Demetrios Tzimas, MD, Juan Carlos Bucobo, MD, Brent W. Acker, MD, Andrew Ross, MD, Jen Higa, MD, Peter Draganov, MD, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL; Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN; Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, PA; University of Colorado, Denver, Denver, CO; University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD; Duke University, Durham, NC; University of Massachusetts, Worcester, MA; Cirugia Digestiva e Obesidade, Salvador, Bahia, Brazil; Methodist Dallas Medical Center, Dallas, TX; Oregon Health & Science University, Portland, OR; University of California Los Angeles (UCLA), Santa Monica, CA; Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center, Winston Salem, NC; Yale School of Medicine, New Haven, CT; Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, Lebanon, NH; University of São Paulo Medical School, São Paulo, Brazil; Gastro-Obeso-Center Institute, São Paulo, São Paulo; University of São Paulo Medical School, São Paulo, São Paulo; University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI; Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC; Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI; Poudre Valley Hospital, Fort Collins, CO; University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA; University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, NY; University of South Florida, Tampa, FL; Mayo Clinic Scottsdale, Scottsdale, AZ; Mayo Clinic Scottsdale, Scottsdale, AZ; Fox Chase Cancer Center, Philadelphia, PA; Stony Brook University School of Medicine, Stony Brook, NY; University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL; Virginia Mason Medical Center, Seattle, WA

60. Digital SpyGlass™ Cholangioscopy Confirmed Common Bile Duct Stones Clearance Without Fluoroscopy

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61. Pain Abdomen: A Retrospective Analysis of Patients with Lead Toxicity Due to Ayurvedic Medicines

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62. Visceral Adipose Tissue Predicts Acute Necrosis and Multi-system Organ Failure in Acute Pancreatitis

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63. Evaluation of Factors Associated with Pathogenic PRSS1, SPINK1, CTRF, And/or CTRC Gene Mutation(s) in Patients with Idiopathic Pancreatitis

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Plenary Session 2: IBD/Functional GI
MODERATORS: Eamonn M. M. Quigley, MD, MACG
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64. The Effect of Tenapanor on Global Endpoints in Patients with Constipation Predominant Irritable Bowel Syndrome: Results from a 12-Week, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Randomized Phase 2b Trial
William D. Chey, MD, FACG, Anthony Lembo, MD, David Rosenbaum, PhD, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, Ardelyx, Inc., Fremont, CA

65. Onset of Action of Naldemedine in the Treatment of Opioid-Induced Constipation in Patients with Chronic Non-Cancer Pain: Results from Two Randomized, Placebo-Controlled Phase 3 Trials
James Wild, MD, Martin Hale, MD, Jyotsna Reddy, MD, Tadaaki Yamada, MS, Juan Camilo Arjona Ferreira, MD, Upstate Clinical Research Associates, Williamsville, NY, Gold Coast Research, LLC, Plantation, FL, Shionogi Inc., Florham Park, NJ

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67. Increased Blood Transfusion Requirements with Pharmacologic Venous Thromboembolism Prophylaxis During IBD Exacerbation
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68. Creation of a Novel Prospectively Based Inflammatory Bowel Disease Readmission Index
Mena Boules, MD, Madonna Michael, MD, Rocio Lopez, MS, MPH, Maged K. Rizk, MD, FACG, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH

69. Decreased Emergency Room Utilization and Hospitalizations, and Improved Quality of Life in the First Year of an Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) Patient Centered Medical Home (PCMH)
Miguel Regueiro, MD, FACG, Jana G. Hashash, MD, MSc, Sandra McAnallen, BSN, RN, MS, S. Ramalingam, MD, Stephen Perkins, MD, Chronis Manolis, PharmD, Jane Kogan, PhD, Andrew Watson, MD, David G. Binion, MD, FACG, Marion McGowan, RN, Alyce Anderson, BS, Benjamin Click, MD, Heather Bell-Temin, MS, RD, Emily Weaver, MS, Joanna Fultz, Marquita Graziani, RN, Deidre Smith-Seiler, MSN, CRNP, Eva Szigelth, MD, PhD, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pittsburgh, PA

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10:20 am – 10:50 am  DAVID Y. GRAHAM LECTURE
(Venetian Ballroom)
A View From the Other Side of the Bed: Lessons Learned
Philip O. Katz, MD, FACG
Discuss the opportunities to enhance our patients’ experience when hospitalized.
Introduced by:
Kenneth R. DeVault, MD, FACG
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See page 11 for more information.

10:50 am – 11:00 am  BREAK

11:00 am – 12:15 pm  SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA SESSIONS

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA 5A: Hepatitis C Therapy: Are We Finally There?
MODERATOR: Stanley M. Cohen, MD, FACG

Hepatitis C Treatment of Genotype 1
Stanley M. Cohen, MD, FACG
Describe the latest guideline-based treatment options for HCV patients with genotype 1 disease.

Hepatitis C Treatment of Genotype 2 & 3
Joseph K. Lim, MD, FACG
Explain the latest guideline-based treatment options for HCV patients with genotype 2 & 3 disease.

Treatment of the Complicated HCV Patient
Fred Poordad, MD
Identify the latest guideline-based treatment options for complicated HCV patients post-transplant with renal failure, non-responders to prior DAA, or with coinfection.

SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA 5B: Colon Controversies
MODERATOR: William D. Chey, MD, FACG

New Tricks for an Old Problem: Opioid Induced Constipation
William D. Chey, MD, FACG
Explain new treatment options in the treatment of opioid induced constipation

Symptomatic Uncomplicated Diverticular Disease (SUD): Is it a ‘Thing’? Can We Treat it?
Brennan M.R. Spiegel, MD, MSHS, FACG
Propose SUD as a diverticular disease manifestation and assess potential treatment regimens.

New and Emerging Therapies: Defining Their Place in the IBS Treatment Hierarchy
Brooks D. Cash, MD, FACG
Apply current evidence-based strategies to optimize IBS treatment.

12:15 pm  ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING ADJOURNS
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