



## PROGRAM

### Friday, February 28, 2014

5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

**Reception (Sun Down Room)**

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### Saturday, March 1, 2014

6:30 am – 7:00 am

**Breakfast with the Vendors**

7:00 am – 9:30 am

**Session: Oncology: PET Tracers for Management of Prostate Cancer: Initial Staging and Biochemical Failure**

*Session Chair: James W. Fletcher, MD*

**Choline PET in Prostate Cancer for Staging and Biochemical Recurrence**

*Speaker: Val Lowe, MD*

**Molecular Imaging of Prostate Cancer: Beyond the Bone Scan**

*Speaker: David Schuster, MD*

**C-11 Acetate-PET in Prostate Cancer: Staging and Biochemical Failure**

*Speaker: Mark Tann, MD*

**18F-Choline in Prostate Cancer**

*Speaker: Marina Hodolič, MD, PhD*

1:00pm – 2:30pm

**Educational Session & Luncheon – Sponsored by: Siemens**

**Session: New SPECT Technologies**

*Speaker: Hans Vija*

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

**Afternoon break with the Vendors**

Saturday, March 1, 2014, cont'd.

4:30 pm– 7:30 pm

**Session: The Future of Nuclear Cardiology: Response to Threats**

*Session Chair: Robert Hendel, MD*

**Declining Volumes: Evolution or Extinction**

*Speaker: Robert Hendel, MD*

**PET: Will It Change the Future?**

*Speaker: Gary Heller, MD, PhD*

**Radiation: Concerns and Responses**

*Speaker: Leslee Shaw, MD*

**ASNC Registry: Opportunities and Limitations**

*Speaker: Kathy Flood*

**Reimbursement Challenges**

*Speaker: Denise Merlino*

**Where Does Nuclear Cardiology Fit in the Value-Based Imaging Era**

*Speaker: Daniel Berman, MD*

*Panel Participant: Ernie Garcia, MD*

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Sunday, March 2, 2014

6:30 am – 7:00 am

***Breakfast with the Vendors***

7:00 am – 9:30 am

**Session: MIBG: The Era of Neurohumoral Cardiac Imaging**

*Session Chairs: Ernest Garcia, PhD, Robert Hendel, MD*

**Cardiac Neurology**

*Speaker: Robert Hendel, MD*

**Techniques**

*Speaker: Ernest Garcia PhD*

**Clinical Applications**

*Speaker: Mark Travin, MD*

**Patient Selection**

*Speaker: Arnold Jacobson, MD*

**Discussion: Clinical impact and economic feasibility**

1:00pm – 2:30pm

**Educational Session & Luncheon – Sponsored by: Phillips**

**Session: Digital PET: Challenges and Expectations**

*Speaker: Peter F. Faulhaber, MD*

**Sunday, March 2, 2014, cont'd.**

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

***Afternoon break with the Vendors***

4:30 pm– 7:30 pm

**Session: Neurology: FDA Approved! CMS Covered! Now What?**

*Session Chair: Dan Silverman, MD, PhD*

**Post-FDA Approval: Lessons from Dopamine Transporter Imaging with DaTscan**

*Speaker: C. Rick Jarecke, PharmD*

**Molecular Imaging of Amyloid and Tau in Alzheimer's Disease Clinical Trials**

*Speaker: Michael D. Devous, Sr., Ph.D.*

**CMS and CED**

*Speaker: Joseph Hutter, MD, MA*

*Lead Medical Officer, Coverage and Analysis Group*

*US Public Health Service, CMS Center for Clinical Standards and Quality*

*Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services*

**When and Why to Image What in Whom: Current Status (and Limitations) of the Prodromal Dementia Evidence**

*Speaker: Dan Silverman*

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**Monday, March 3, 2014**

6:30 am – 7:00 am

***Breakfast with the Vendors***

7:00 am – 9:30 am

**Session: Radiopharmaceuticals: Progress in Commercial Adoption of Tc-99m from LEU-produced Mo-99 & Reimbursement: Surviving in the World of the Affordable Health Care Act**

*Session Chair: Ira Goldman*

**U.S. Government Initiatives for Security of Supply of Medical Radioisotopes – Transition to non-HEU Sources**

*Speaker: Parrish Staples, PhD*

*Director of European and African Threat Reduction*

*Global Threat Reduction Initiative, NNSA*

**Conversion to LEU-produced Mo-99**

*Speaker: Roy Brown*

**Integrating Low Enriched Uranium Tc-99m Generators into Nuclear Pharmacy Operations**

*Speaker: William (Cal) Calmes Gray*

**Commercial Experience with LEU Generators**

*Speaker: Ira Goldman*

**Legislative Update on Issues Impacting Nuclear Medicine**

*Speaker: Sue Bunning*

*Panel Participants: Gary Dillehay, PhD*

**Monday, March 3, 2014, cont'd.**

1:00pm – 2:30pm

**Educational Session & Luncheon – Sponsored by: Siemens**

**Session: New PET Acquisition Workflows**

*Speaker: Bernard Bendriem*

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

***Afternoon break with the Vendors***

4:30 pm– 6:30 pm

**Session: Moving the Cart After the Horse – Or At Least Level With It: Companion Imaging Diagnostics**

*Session Chair: Adrian Nunn, PhD*

**Overview**

*Speaker, Adrian Nunn, PhD*

**Companion Imaging agents for Oncology (Etarfolatide)**

*Speaker: Ron Ellis, MBA*

**HX4 as a PET Companion Diagnostic for Hypoxia-Targeted Drugs**

*Speaker: Katrin Szardenings, MBA*

**Antibodies For Targeted Therapy.... and Imaging**

*Speaker: Anna M. Wu, PhD*

6:30– 8:30pm

***Banquet: Food, Wine and Beer Pairing (\$50 per person)***

6:30pm – 7pm: Presentation in Colorado Ballroom

7pm – 8:30pm: Pairings Event in Grand Ballroom Salon E

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**Tuesday, March 4, 2014**

6:30 am – 7:00 am

***Breakfast with the Vendors***

7:00am – 9:30am

**Session: The Future of PET/MRI: Fulfilling a Clinical Need or an Expensive Research Tool?**

*Session Chair: Andreas Kjaer, MD, PhD*

**PET/MRI Instrumentation: Current State and Recent Advances**

*Speaker: Michael Wissmeyer, MD, PhD*

**PET/MRI As A Clinical Research Tool: Experiences From A European PET Center**

*Speaker: Andreas Kjaer, MD, PhD*

**Clinical PET/MRI In The US: Has The Time Come?**

*Speaker: Dominique Delbeke, MD, PhD*

**Discussion: PET/MRI do we really need it and what are the first applications?**

*Panel: Speakers*

Tuesday, March 4, 2014, cont'd.

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

***Afternoon break with the Vendors***

4:30 pm – 7:30 pm

**Session: Radionuclide Therapy**

*Session Chair: Michael Wissmeyer*

**Radioembolisations**

*Speaker: Irene Burger, PhD*

**PRRT**

*Speaker: Andreas Kjaer, MD, PhD*

**Alpharadin (Xofigo)**

*Speaker: Michael Wissmeyer*

**Dosimetry: Need or Luxury?**

*Speaker: Michael Wissmeyer*

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Wednesday, March 5, 2014

6:30 am – 7:00 am

***Breakfast with the Vendors***

7:00 am – 9:30 am

**Session: Accessing Impact of Diagnostic Imaging on Clinical Management and Outcome**

*Session Chair: Michael Graham*

**Follow-Up On NOPR and Its Effect On CMS Reimbursement**

*Speaker: Bruce Hillner*

**Definition and Measurement of the Effect of Nuclear Medicine Imaging on Clinical Management**

*Speaker: Brian Bresnahan*

**Utility of Screening and Surveillance Using Nuclear Medicine Methodology**

*Speaker: Michael Graham*

**Effect of Increased Emphasis on Patient-Centered Care, CER, and ACOs on Nuclear Medicine**

*Speaker: Larry Kessler*

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