



The 44th Annual
High Country
Nuclear
Medicine
Conference

March 10-14, 2023
Sun Valley Inn | Sun Valley, ID

Saturday, March 11, 2023

All session times are in Mountain Time

6:30 AM – 7:00 AM

Breakfast with the Vendors

7:00 AM – 9:30 AM

Alpha Therapy

Session Chair: Andreas Kjaer, MD, PhD

Session Topics:

Isotope Availability Now and in the Future - Focus on Alphas

Speaker: Roy Brown, MBA

Targeted alpha therapy in neuroendocrine tumors: results from ^{212}Pb -DOTAMTATE clinical trials

Speaker: Dr. Ebrahim Delpassand, MD

VMT-alpha-NET - why does it have to be alpha?

Speaker: Michael K. Schultz, PhD

^{211}At - an Ideal Alpha Emitter?

Chair: Andreas Kjaer, MD, PhD

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Roundtable: General Oncology

Chair: Mike Graham, MD, PhD

4:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Prostate Update

Session Chair: Bitai Savir-Baruch, MD

Co-Chair: Jeremie Calais, MD, MSc / Michael Graham, MD, PhD

Session Topics:

PSMA PET- Appropriate use criteria and patient selection for radioligand therapy

Speaker: Hossein Jadvar, MD, PhD, MPH, MBA, FACNM, FSNMMI

Therapy of prostate cancer with Lu177-PSMA

Speaker: Tom Hope, MD

Radioligand therapy Beyond Vision and TheraP trials- Review of clinic trials for Prostate cancer

Speaker: Jeremie Calais, MD, MSc

How to build and design a Theranostic center

Chair: *Bital Savir-Baruch, MD, FACNM*

Sunday, March 12, 2023

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6:30 AM – 7:00 AM

Breakfast with the Vendors

7:00 AM – 9:30 AM

Contemporary Nuclear Cardiology

Session Chair: Rob Miller

Co-Chair: Dan Berman, MD

Session Topics:

F-18 Sodium fluoride; applications in coronary disease

Speaker: David Newby, PhD

F-18 Flurpiradaz Perfusion Imaging; the Time is Now

Speaker: Jamshid Maddahi, MD, FACC, FASNC

Title Coming

Speaker: Krishna K. Patel, MD, MSc

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Roundtable: Controversies in Nuclear Cardiology

Lead: Rob Miller

Co Chair: Dan Berman, MD

Session Topics:

Emerging novel tracers including GP1, FAPI, and valvular applications of F18

Speaker: David Newby, PhD

4:00 PM – 6:30 PM

Instrumentation

Session Chair: Piotr Slomka, PhD

Co-Chair: Ramsey Badawi, PhD

Scheduled Topics:

PhD Whole Body PET

Speaker: Ramsey Badawi, PhD

Digital PET

Speaker: Keisha McCall, PhD

Latest developments in digital CZT SPECT

Speaker: Benjamin Auer, PhD

Latest SPECT developments

Speaker: Hans Vija

7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Sunday Night Dinner & Hal O'Brien Rising Star Award Ceremony

Open to all in-person attendees with meeting registration. Additional tickets available for guests.

Monday, March 13, 2023

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6:30 AM – 7:00 AM

Breakfast with the Vendors

7:00 AM – 9:30 AM

Policy and Regulatory Updates

Session Chair: Ira Goldman, MA

Co-Chair: Cathy Cutler

Scheduled Topics:

SNMMI Update

Speaker: Cathy Cutler

Reimbursement hot topics

Speaker: Denise Merlino, CNMT, CPC, MBA

FIND Act update

Speaker: Ira Goldman, MA

PAMA/AUC Update

Speaker: Kathy Flood

Current NRC nuclear medicine topics including Emerging Medical Technologies

Speaker: Celimar Valentin-Rodriguez, PhD

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Roundtable: Barriers to Access/Equity & Diversity in Clinical Trials/Barriers to a more diverse workforce

4:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Neuroimaging

Session Chair: Andrew Stephens, MD, PhD

Co-Chair: Maria Ponisio, MD

Scheduled Topics:

Update on AD clinical trials and the role of imaging biomarkers

Speaker: Mike Pontecorvo, PhD

Relationship between tau deposition and the functional network architecture of the brain

Speaker: Nicolai Franzmeier, PhD

Neuroimaging in CTE/TBI

Speaker: Mike Alosco, CTE

Imaging primary tauopathies and movement disorders

Speaker: Andrew Stephens, MD, PhD

New tracers for imaging neuroinflammation and tau

Speaker: Neil Vasdev, PhD

Tuesday, March 14, 2023

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6:30 AM – 7:00 AM

Breakfast with the Vendors

7:00 AM – 9:30 AM

AI/machine learning

Session Chair: Piotr Slomka, PhD

Co-Chair: Joyita Dutta, PhD

Scheduled Topics:

AI-Enabled PET Imaging for Alzheimer's Disease

Speaker: Joyita Dutta, PhD

AI-powered nuclear cardiology

Chair: Piotr Slomka, PhD

How AI can help cardiovascular imaging clinicians

Speaker: Rob Miller, MD

Addressing clinical challenges in prostate cancer with an automated AI-based analysis of PSMA prostate images

Speaker: Sai Duriseti, MD

2:30 PM – 3:45 PM

Roundtable: AI

4:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Thyroid Controversies in Thyroid Cancer Therapy

Session Chair: Mike Graham, MD, PhD

Co-Chair: Michael Wissmeyer, MD, PhD

Scheduled Topics:

Recombinant human thyrotropin versus thyroid hormone withdrawal in the management of differentiated thyroid cancer: examining the evidence

Speaker: Jennifer Kwak, MD

Update on the 2022 Joint SNMMI-EANM Thyroid Cancer Guidelines

Speaker: Anca Avram, MD

Radioiodine in differentiated thyroid carcinoma, an ever hot topic

Speaker: Michael Kreissl, MD

The Swiss consensus in low risk thyroid carcinoma

Speaker: Michael Wissmeyer, MD, PhD