



**WESTERN  
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**ADVANCE PROGRAM**

# **38<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting**

**Sept. 9–12, 2023**

**Grand Hyatt Kauai Resort and Spa  
Hawaii**

**#WesternVascular2023**

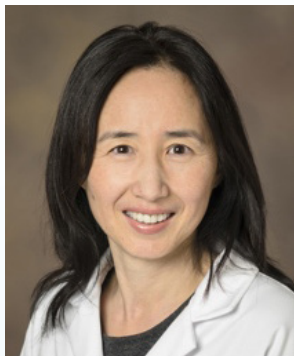
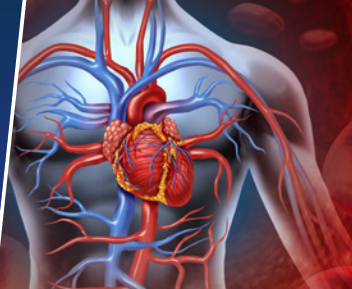


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## **PRESIDENTIAL WELCOME**

It is my honor to serve as the 38th President of the Western Vascular Society, and as the second woman surgeon to lead the society. Dr. Linda Reilly was President in 2010. I am grateful for the leaders who came before me establishing a solid foundation that can withstand the winds of change.

The emerging generation of vascular surgeons contains more women and greater diversity. Western Vascular Society is responding to the needs of our growing membership by blazing new trails in Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, and using the Vascular Surgery Interest Group to embrace new ideas. These two committees will present actionable teamwork goals in 2023. Here is the direct quote from a medical student who joined us at the last meeting:

**"I was incredibly inspired by the tight-knit and compassionate community of vascular surgeons and trainees pushing the boundaries of the field both in terms of innovation and improvement of care for their patients."**

The medical students who attend in turn bring fresh eyes to help us appreciate our community!

Since its inception all research presented at the annual meeting is original work never presented before. Make plans now to attend the 38th Western Vascular Society Annual Meeting September 9-12, 2023 in Kauai at the Grand Hyatt.

### **Wei Zhou, MD, FACS**

President, Western Vascular Society

Professor of Surgery

Division Chief Vascular and Endovascular Surgery

University of Arizona College of Medicine – Tucson





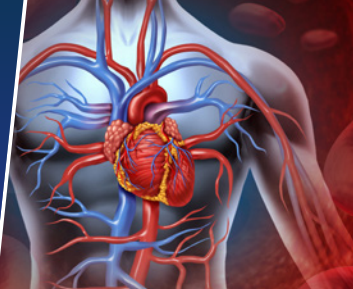


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**Alan B. Lumsden, MD**

Walter W. Fondren III  
Presidential Distinguished Chair,  
DeBakey Heart & Vascular  
Center

Chair, Department of  
Cardiovascular Surgery

Professor of Cardiovascular  
Surgery, Academic Institute

Full Clinical Member, Research  
Institute, Houston Methodist  
Weill Cornell Medical College

## **PRESIDENTIAL INVITED GUEST LECTURER ALAN B. LUMSDEN, MD**

### **Evolution, Revolution or Extinction? Why Innovation in Practice and Diversity will Power Vascular Surgery Growth**

Dr. Lumsden's academic career began in 1989 at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia where he completed his postdoctoral training and served as a Collaborative Scientist in the Division of Pathobiology and Immunology at the renowned Yerkes Primate Center. He remained at Emory for several years, rising to the rank of Associate Professor and Chief of the Division of Vascular Surgery. In 2002, Dr. Lumsden joined the faculty at the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Texas as Professor and Chief of the Division of Vascular Surgery and Endovascular Therapy. He assumed his current positions at Houston Methodist in 2008.

Dr. Lumsden has developed an international reputation as a leader in the field of endovascular surgery. He has clinical and research expertise in stent graft treatment of thoracic and abdominal aortic aneurysms, stenting and endarterectomy in carotid arterial disease, renovascular hypertension, aortoiliac occlusive disease, mesenteric vascular and minimally invasive therapy in venous disease. Dr. Lumsden also conducts FDA-mandated training for surgeons nationwide in a carotid stenting simulator housed at the Houston Methodist DeBakey Heart and Vascular Center.

Dr. Lumsden's research interests include developing novel minimally invasive methods of therapy and preventing restenosis. His research has been funded by the National Institutes of Health, and he has contributed more than 200 papers to the medical literature, as well as numerous abstracts, books, and book chapters.



### **Program Committee**

Drs. Quiroga, Hiramoto, Woo, and Brooke have done a superb job selecting diverse topics and institutions out of the 180 abstracts that were collected. New this year is the **Distal Bypass Competition** being coordinated by VSIG Chair Dr. O'Banion. The residents assisted by medical students are having the first round of video competition in August and then there will be an onsite competition during the Welcome Reception on September 9th. This event is in collaboration with the Japanese Society for Vascular Surgery.

### **DEI Committee**

Drs. Kabutey, Ziegler and Kiang have come up with a fresh approach this year hosting a **Western United Roundtable DEI Luncheon**. Following the WVS Business Meeting the lunch will be open to all members, residents and medical students. Tables will be labelled with topics and the lunch conversation will be recorded by a medical student scribe. The committee wants to hear your ideas and solutions to contemporary issues that will help us all move toward our goals. **The committee is also collecting DEI Grant Applications until September 1.**





## VENUE

### GRAND HYATT KAUAI RESORT & SPA

1571 Poipu Road  
Koloa, HI 96756, USA

**Group block extends on shoulder dates from  
September 7-14, 2023.**

The meeting takes place September 9-12, 2023.

**The group rate has expired for the Western Vascular  
Society Annual Meeting.**

**The hotel is willing to honor a 25% discount for attendees.**

This offer is open while supplies last.

Please contact [heather@surgicalcs.com](mailto:heather@surgicalcs.com) to coordinate.

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## GOLF TOURNAMENT

**Sunday September 10, 2023**

**Poipu Bay Golf Course**

**Depart the hotel at 1:30 pm**

Cost per player is \$225 and club rentals are in addition to this amount.



The Western Vascular Society members look forward to the annual Captains Scramble Tournament.

This year plan to join in the fun Sunday at 1:00pm at the Poipu Bay Gold Course. Adjacent to the Grand Hyatt Kauai Resort and Spa on the sunny south shore of Kauai, this outstanding course is backed by lush emerald mountains and sculpted from a rolling plateau eight stories above the Pacific Ocean. Nestled among the gentle contours of Poipu Bay you'll discover the remains of Hawaiian heiau (places of worship) and ancient stone walls.

If this wasn't challenging enough, Mother Nature presents you with one distraction after another. From rare Hawaiian monk seals, green sea turtles, and humpback whales, you'll have lots of wild excuses to back your scorecard. Prizes for best team to be given out at the Presidential Banquet.





## OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES



### BEACH SNORKELING AND SNUBA TOUR

The beach close to the resort has wonderful rental options for a choose your own adventure day! Stand Up Paddle Boards, Snorkeling call Nukumoi Surf Co. ahead to arrange rentals during your leisure time 808-742-8019.



### PLANTATION TRAIN OR RUM SAFARI

Plantation Train or Rum Safari is also a recommended excursion for non-golfers. This can be arranged directly with the Kauai Safari Plantation where you can choose a family train tour or a jeep rum safari.

You'll be entertained and educated by fun-loving conductors, and amazed when you see 50 varieties of fruit tree orchards, fruit fields, vegetable gardens, rare and exotic tropical flowers, hardwood trees, and animal pastures with donkeys, goats, sheep, horses, cattle, ducks, geese, and feed the wild pigs. The train will stop and you can disembark and feed our wild pigs, goats and sheep. Train tour for adults is \$21.50 and children are \$16.00. Rum Safari is \$75 and includes wild ride around stations sampling rum drinks! Transportation is on your own via uber or rental car and you can plan to enjoy the restaurant and shops at the plantation. Book both by calling the Plantation 808-652-4707.



### HORSEBACK RIDING ADVENTURE

**Monday, September 11, 2023**  
**2 pm, Shuttle meets at 1:45 pm**  
**CJM Country Stables in beautiful Poipu, Kauai**

Duration: 2 Hours  
 \$195.00 per person

Join us for a guided horseback ride on Kauai's magnificent South Shore into the beautiful and legendary Maha'ulepu wilderness area. Participants must be a minimum of eight years of age and all adults must be under 185 lbs.



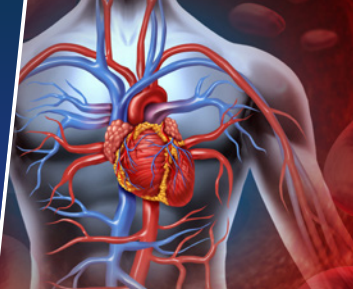


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## SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

# REGISTER ONLINE

[westernvascularsociety.org](https://westernvascularsociety.org)

### Registration Type

Western Vascular Society Member — \$375

Invited Guest Physician — \$425

Resident/Fellow — \$175

Allied Health Professional — \$275

Medical Student (stipend application) — \$0

### Virtual Registration

Medical Students, WVS Members (no CME) — \$0

Physician CME — \$150

### Guests (includes black tie dinner plus breakfasts)

Spouse/Guest of Member, Physician, Sponsor — \$300

Spouse/Guest of Resident/Fellow — \$200

Children — \$75

### SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 9, 2023

1:00 PM – 6:00 PM	REGISTRATION
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	EXHIBIT SET UP
5:00 PM – 6:15 PM	RAPID FIRE SESSION
6:30 PM – 7:30 PM	DISTAL BYPASS COMPETITION
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7:00 AM – 7:30 AM	BREAKFAST WITH SPONSORS
7:00 AM – 11:45 AM	EXHIBITS
7:30 AM – 9:00 AM	SCIENTIFIC SESSION V
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	COFFEE BREAK WITH EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITORS
9:30 AM – 10:40 AM	SCIENTIFIC SESSION VI
10:40 AM – 11:00 AM	AWARDS
11:00 AM	MEETING ADJOURNS



## CONTINUING EDUCATION (CE) LANGUAGE

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JOINTLY ACCREDITED PROVIDER™  
 INTERPROFESSIONAL CONTINUING EDUCATION

### Joint Accreditation Statement

In support of improving patient care, this activity has been planned and implemented by Amedco LLC and Western Vascular Society. Amedco LLC is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team. Amedco Joint Accreditation #4008163.

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5:00 – 5:05	RF1. Long-term Outcomes of Patients with Failed Previous Infrarenal Aortic Repairs Rescued Using Fenestrated Stent-grafts at Centers without Access to Custom Made Devices <b>Muhammad Ali Rana, MD</b> <i>University of New Mexico</i>
5:05 – 5:10	RF2. Geriatric Syndromes are Associated with Increased Incidence of Postoperative Delirium and Worse Survival Following Open Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Repair <b>Richard Gutierrez, BS</b> <i>University of California, San Francisco</i>
5:10 – 5:15	RF3. Women have Higher Morbidity and Mortality Following Repair of Complex Aortic Aneurysms, Likely due to Symptomatic Presentation and More Extensive Aneurysms <b>Whitney Teagle</b> <i>University of Washington</i>
5:15 – 5:20	RF4. Long Term Follow Up After Pediatric Traumatic Thoracic Aortic Injury <b>Kelsi Hirai, MD</b> <i>Oregon Health and Science University</i>
5:20 – 5:25	RF5. Quality of Life Outcomes for Venous Thoracic Outlet Syndrome After Paraclavicular Decompression <b>Eileen Lu, MD</b> <i>Cedars-Sinai Medical Center</i>



## SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 9, 2023

5:25 – 5:30 — RF6. Impact of Below-the-Ankle Lesions on Wound Healing Following Bypass Surgery in Chronic Limb-Threatening Ischemia

**Keisuke Miyake, MD**

*Osaka University*

5:30 – 5:35 — RF7. Midaortic Syndrome Arc of Rioloan Steal Physiology Resulting in Chronic Exertional Mesenteric Angina in Adults

**Mennatalla Hegazi, MD**

*University of California Irvine Medical Center*

5:35 – 5:40 — RF8. Early Experience with the Ambulatory Management of Acute Iliofemoral Deep Vein Thrombosis with May-Thurner Syndrome with Percutaneous Mechanical Thrombectomy, Angioplasty and Stenting

**Daniel Nguyen, BS**

*Pima Heart and Vascular and The University of Arizona*

5:40 – 5:45 — RF9. Long-Term Outcomes of Iliofemoral Endoconduits for Complex Endovascular Aortic Aneurysm Repair

**Andres V. Figueroa, MD**

*University of Texas, Southwestern*

5:45 – 5:50 — RF10. Use of Low Versus Standard Profile Stent Graft for Physician-Modified Fenestrated-Branched Endovascular Repair of Complex Abdominal and Thoracoabdominal Aortic Aneurysms

**Alexander D. DiBartolomeo**

*University of Southern California*

5:50 – 5:55 — RF11. Early Outcomes for Endovascular Treatment of the Aortic Arch (Zone 0-2) Using the Thoracic Branch Device (TBE)

**Haley Jiahui Pang, BS**

*University of Washington*

5:55 – 6:00 — RF12. Outcomes of Pediatric Vascular Surgery: A Retrospective Analysis of Treatment Strategies and Complication Rates

**Sina Asaadi, MD**

*Loma Linda University*

6:00 – 6:05 — RF13. Using Vascular Deserts as a Guide for Limb Preservation Outreach Programs Successfully Targets Underserved Populations

**Vanessa Mora, MD**

*University of California, San Francisco*

6:05 – 6:10 — RF14. Same Day Discharge After Elective Open Arterial Surgery

**Samantha Durbin, MD**

*Oregon Health & Science University*

6:10 – 6:15 — RF15. Recovery of Healthcare Workers after Work-related Injury leading to Surgery for Thoracic Outlet Syndrome

**Ben DiPardo, MD**

*University of California, Los Angeles*

6:30 PM – 7:30 PM **DISTAL BYPASS COMPETITION**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS**8:00 AM – 9:50 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION I**  
PRESIDING: Dr. Wei Zhou,  
Dr. Niten Singh, Dr. Nii-Kabu Kabutey8:00 – 8:20 AM — 1. The Initial Results of Physician-Modified Fenestrated-Branched Endovascular Repairs of the Aortic Arch – Lessons Learned from the First 18 Cases  
**Alexander D. DiBartolomeo, MD**  
*University of Southern California*  
*Invited Discussant: Sara Zettervall, MD, University of Washington*8:20 – 8:30 AM — 2. Clinical Outcomes of Celiac Artery Coverage vs Preservation During Thoracic Endovascular Aortic Repair  
**Narek Veranyan, MD**  
*University of California San Diego*8:30 – 8:50 AM — 3. Modified Harborview Risk Score Accurately Predicts Mortality for Patients with Ruptured Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms: A Validation Study  
**Andrew Warren, BS, BA**  
*University of Washington*  
*Invited Discussant: Mimmie Kwong, MD, University of California, Davis*8:50 – 9:00 AM — 4. Enrichment of a CDH13 Pathogenic Variant in Patients with Thoracic Aortic Aneurysm and Dissection: Proof of Concept for Validation of GWAS-Associated Variants  
**Derek Klarin, MD**  
*Stanford University Health*9:00 – 9:20 AM — 5. Evaluating Growth Patterns of Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms Among Women  
**Kathryn DiLosa, MD, MPH**  
*University of California, Davis*  
*Invited Discussant: Sharon Kiang, MD, Loma Linda University*9:20 – 9:30 AM — 6. Follow-up Compliance in Patients Undergoing AAA Repair at VA Hospitals  
**Sona Shahbazian, MPH**  
*University of Arizona*9:30 – 9:50 AM — 7. Multidisciplinary Approach to Direct Segmental Artery Revascularization to Prevent Spinal Cord Ischemia associated with Endovascular Thoracoabdominal Aortic Repair  
**Anand V. Ganapathy, MD**  
*University of Southern California*  
*Invited Discussant: Karthikeshwar Kasirajan, MD, Stanford University*9:50 AM – 10:20 AM **COFFEE BREAK WITH  
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Alan B. Lumsden, MD**  
*Evolution, Revolution or Extinction?*  
*Why Innovation in Practice and Diversity*  
*Will Power Vascular Surgery Growth*11:00 AM – 12:30 PM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION II**  
PRESIDING: Dr. Wei Zhou,  
Dr. Elina Quiroga, Dr. Karen Woo11:00 – 11:20 AM — 8. Long-term Functional Outcomes of Vascular Amputees Utilizing the Lower Extremity Amputation Pathway (LEAP)  
**Carolina Aparicio, MD**  
*University of California, San Francisco - Fresno*  
*Invited Discussant: LeAnn Chavez, MD, University of New Mexico*

**SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 10, 2023**

11:20 – 11:30 AM — 9. Diagnostic Accuracy of Pedal Acceleration Time for Detecting Peripheral Arterial Disease

**Peta Tehan, PhD**

*Monash University*

11:30 – 11:50 AM — 10. Revascularization Offers no Long-term Benefit to Patients with Intermittent Claudication: 5-year Results of Patient-Reported Outcomes

**Teryn Holeman**

*University of Utah*

*Invited Discussant: Kay Goshima, MD, University of Arizona, Tucson*

11:50 – 12:00 PM — 11. Prophylactic Caval Stenting in Patients Undergoing Retroperitoneal Lymph Node Dissection

**Matthew Vuoncino, MD**

*University of California Davis*

12:00 – 12:20 PM — 12. Relevance of BEST-CLI trial Results in a Tertiary Care Limb Preservation Program

**Iris H. Liu, MD**

*University of California, San Francisco*

*Invited Discussant: Vincent Rowe, MD, University of California, Los Angeles*

12:20 – 12:30 PM — 13. Trends and Outcomes of Surgical Reconstruction of the Inferior Vena Cava Following Oncologic Resections

**Pedro Juan Furtado Neves, MD**

*University of Colorado*

1:00 PM – 5:00 PM **GOLF TOURNAMENT**

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM **WESTERN FAMILY DINNER**

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6:30 AM – 1:00 PM **REGISTRATION**

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM **BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM**

7:00 AM – 11:45 AM **EXHIBITS**

7:30 AM – 9:40 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION III**

PRESIDING: Dr. Wei Zhou,

Dr. Benjamin Brooke,

Dr. Kenneth Ziegler

7:30 – 7:50 AM — 14. Vein Compliance is Superior to Vein Diameter for Predicting Unassisted AVF Maturation

**Curtis Woodford, MD**

*University of California, San Francisco*

*Invited Discussant: Elna Masuda, MD, Straub Medical Center, Hawaii*

7:50 – 8:00 AM — 15. Creating Autogenous Access in Children and Adolescents

**Lucas Phi, DO**

*University of Oklahoma*

8:00 – 8:20 AM — 16. Multi-Center Evaluation of Clopidogrel Resistance and its Role in Predicting Stent Thrombosis in Transcarotid Artery Revascularization

**Kathryn DiLosa, MD, MPH**

*University of California, Davis*

*Invited Discussant: Jeniann Yi, MD, University of Colorado*

8:20 – 8:30 AM — 17. Optimal Method of Carotid Revascularization in Patients with Recent Myocardial Infarction

**Sabrina Straus, BS**

*University of California, San Diego*



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8:30 – 8:50 AM — 18. Repost from a Phase 2 Prospective Randomized Placebo Controlled Trial of Autologous Stem Cells to Treat Patients with No Option Critical Limb Ischemia: The ACP-CLI Trial

**Sally H.J. Choi**

*University of British Columbia*

*Invited Discussant: Joy Garg, MD, Kaiser Permanente*

8:50 – 9:00 AM — 19. Contralateral Carotid Artery Surveillance Following Carotid Endarterectomy: Long-term Results from a Large Integrated Regional Health System

**Colleen P. Flanagan, MD**

*University of California, San Francisco*

9:00 – 9:20 AM — 20. Improved Cognition and Preserved Hippocampal Fractional Anisotropy in Subjects Undergoing Carotid Endarterectomy

**Caronae Howell, MD**

*University of Arizona*

*Invited Discussant: Shipra Ayra, MD, Stanford University*

9:20 – 9:40 AM — 21. Right Atrial Inflow Balloon Occlusion for Zone Zero Thoracic Endovascular Repair: Safety, Efficacy and Predictors of Response

**Gretl Wai Yin Lai**

*Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong*

*Invited Discussant: Nasim Hedayati, MD, University of California, Davis*

9:40 AM – 10:10 AM **COFFEE BREAK WITH EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITORS**

10:10 AM – 10:40 AM **PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS**

10:40 AM – 12:00 PM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION IV**

PRESIDING: Dr. Wei Zhou,

Dr. Jade Hiramoto,

Dr. Ahmed Abou-Zamzam

10:40 – 11:00 AM — 22. Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme Inhibitors and Angiotensin Receptor Blockers are Associated with Improved Amputation Free Survival in Chronic Limb-Threatening Ischemia

**Nadin Elsayed, MD**

*University of California, San Diego*

*Invited Discussant: Leigh Ann O'Banion, MD,*

*University of California, San Francisco - Fresno*

11:00 – 11:10 AM — 23. Implementation of Preoperative Frailty Screening and Optimization Pathway in Vascular Surgery Clinic Setting

**Shernaz S. Dossabhoy, MD, MBA**

*Stanford University*

11:10 – 11:30 AM — 24. Surveillance and Risk Factors for Early Restenosis Following Transcarotid Artery Revascularization

**Pedro Juan Furtado Neves, MD**

*University of Colorado*

*Invited Discussant: Nii-Kabu Kabutey, MD, University of California, Irvine*

11:30 – 11:40 AM — 25. Anesthetic Modality Does Not Impact Cephalic Basic Arteriovenous Fistula Function at 12 Months

**Ramsey Ugarte, MD**

*Harbor-UCLA*

11:40 – 12:00 PM — 26. Short-Term Death and Revisions to Promote Maturation After Arteriovenous Fistula Creation

**Karissa Wang, BS**

*University of California, Los Angeles*

*Invited Discussant: Larry Kraiss, MD, University of Utah*





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7:30 AM – 9:00 AM	<b>SCIENTIFIC SESSION V</b> PRESIDING: Dr. Roy Fujitani, Dr. Leigh Ann O'Banion, Dr. Sharon Kiang
7:30 – 7:50 AM	— 27. Slowed Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Growth in Patients with Concurrent Malignancy <b>Elizabeth Lancaster, MD, MAS</b> <i>Kaiser San Francisco</i> <i>Invited Discussant: Amani Politano, MD, Oregon Health Sciences University</i>
7:50 – 8:00 AM	— 28. Assessment of Ultrasound Criteria for High-Grade Renal Artery Stenosis in Transplant Kidneys <b>Melissa D'Andrea, MD</b> <i>University of Arizona</i>
8:00 – 8:20 AM	— 29. Contemporary Outcomes of Thoracic Endovascular Aortic Repair in Patients with Connective Tissue Disorders: A Multi-Centre National Study <b>Daniel Willie-Permor, MD, MPH, CPH</b> <i>University of California, San Diego</i> <i>Invited Discussant: Sukgu Han, MD, University of Southern California</i>
8:20 – 8:30 AM	— 30. Factors Associated with Ablation Related Thrombus Extension (ARTE) following GSV Closure with Endovenous Microfoam Ablation (MFA) <b>Amanda L. Chin, MD, MBA</b> <i>University of California, Los Angeles</i>



**TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 12, 2023**

8:30 – 8:50 AM — 31. Traumatic Aortic Disruption Index (TADI) Predicts Mortality and Urgency of Stent Grafting in Blunt Thoracic Aortic Pseudoaneurysms

**Sundeep Guliani, MD**

*University of New Mexico*

*Invited Discussant: Gregory Magee, MD, University of Southern California*

8:50 – 9:00 AM — 32. Gender Differences in Autonomy and Performance Assessments in a National Cohort of Vascular Surgery Trainees

**M. Libby Weaver, MD**

*University of Virginia*

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM **COFFEE BREAK WITH EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITORS**

9:30 AM - 10:40 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION VI**  
PRESIDING: Dr. Roy Fujitani,  
Dr. Niten Singh

9:30 – 9:40 AM — 33. Lipophilic Statins: A Novel Risk Factor for Paraplegia After Branched Endovascular Aortic Aneurysm Repair

**Iris H. Liu, MD**

*University of California San Francisco*

9:40 – 10:00 AM — 34. Left Vertebral Artery Revascularization in Distal Aortic Arch Surgery: Comparative Study of Patients with and Without Aberrant Left Vertebral Anatomy

**Eimaan Shergill**

*University of British Columbia*

*Invited Discussant: Warren Gasper, MD, University of California, San Francisco*

10:00 – 10:10 AM — 35. Low Thrombus Burden is Associated with an Increased Rate of Endoleak Following Repair of Juxtarenal Aneurysm Using Physician Modified Endografts

**Chase Nelson, BS**

*University of Washington*

10:10 – 10:30 AM — 36. Endovascular Therapy Versus Bypass for Chronic Limb-Threatening Ischemia in the Real-World Practice: Propensity-Score Matched Analyses of a Medicare-Linked Database

**Sina Zarrintan, MD, MS, MPH**

*University of California, San Diego*

*Invited Discussant: TBC*

10:30 – 10:40 AM — 37. Contemporaneous Outcomes of the Off-the-shelf Gore Thoracoabdominal Multibranched Endoprosthesis and Custom Physician-Modified Fenestrated Branched Endografts for Complex Abdominal and Thoracoabdominal Aortic Aneurysms.

**Alexander D. DiBartolomeo**

*University of Southern California*

10:40AM – 11:00AM **AWARDS**

11:00AM **MEETING ADJOURNS**





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