21st Annual
Max R. Gaspar, MD Symposium:
Vascular Surgery Emergencies

Thursday
September 7, 2017
7:00 am - 4:30 pm

Millennium Biltmore Hotel
506 South Grand Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90071

Presented by:
Division of Vascular Surgery and Endovascular Therapy
USC Office of Continuing Medical Education

Keck School of Medicine of USC
7:00 am  Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00 am  Course Overview
Fred A. Weaver, MD, MMM

**Session I: Aorta/Cerebrovascular**
*Moderator: Vincent L. Rowe, MD, FACS*
8:10 am  Critical Care Management of Hypertension
Mitra Nadim, MD
8:25 am  Current Medical Management of Acute Stroke
Nerses Sanossian, MD, FAHA
8:40 am  Timing of Carotid Endarterectomy in the Symptomatic Patient, Sooner or Later
Steven G. Katz, MD
8:55 am  Unplanned Vascular Consults, Are Vascular Surgeons Really Appreciated?
Fred A. Weaver, MD, MMM
9:10 am  Panel Discussion
9:30 am  Break

**Session II: Visceral/Peripheral**
*Moderator: Fred A. Weaver, MD, MMM*
9:50 am  Management of Acute Mesenteric Ischemia in the Endovascular Era
Kenneth R. Ziegler, MD
10:05 am  Endovascular Access Complications: Tips and Tricks to Avoid Them
George H. Meier III, MD, RVT, FACS
10:20 am  Endovascular Management of Traumatic Extremity Injuries: Are We There Yet?
Vincent L. Rowe, MD, FACS
10:35 am  The Cold Leg: Management in 2017
Niten Singh, MD, FACS
10:50 am  Panel Discussion

**Invited Lecture by Gaspar Visiting Professor**
11:10 am  Acute Aortic Syndromes: A New Frontier for Vascular Surgeons
Michel S. Makaroun, MD
12:00 pm  Lunch

**Session III: Aorta**
*Moderator: Michel S. Makaroun, MD*
1:30 pm  Paraplegia Post TEVAR: Is This A Preventable Complication?
T. Brett Reece, MD
1:45 pm  TEVAR for Type B Aortic Dissections: Timing is Everything
Sukgu M. Han, MD, MS
2:00 pm  Mycotic Aneurysms of the Aorta: Factors Which Impact Outcome
Sung Wan Ham, MD
2:15 pm  Does Centralized Management of Acute Aortic Syndromes Improve Outcomes?
Matthew Mell, MD, MS
2:30 pm  Panel Discussion
2:50 pm  Break

**Session IV: Dialysis/Venous**
*Moderator: Vincent L. Rowe, MD, FACS*
3:10 pm  Endovascular Management of Acute PE: Why, When and How?
William M. Lee, MD
3:25 pm  IVC Filters Gone Bad. Really Bad.
Christian J. Ochoa, MD
3:40 pm  Treatment for Bleeding/Infected Dialysis Fistulas or Grafts: Keep It Simple.
Ahmed M. Abou-Zamzam, MD
3:55 pm  Ischemic Steal Following Dialysis Access Creation: Management Options
Karen Woo, MD, MS
4:10 pm  Panel Discussion
4:30 pm  Adjourn
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Max. R. Gaspar, MD, was an attending surgeon at the Los Angeles County Hospital for over fifty years, and served as a Senior Vascular Attending at LAC+USC for twenty-five years. His teaching and scholarly accomplishments have had a lasting impact on vascular surgery in Southern California. This annual symposium addresses topics of interest to physicians and surgeons who care for the patient with vascular disease. The topic of the 2017 Max R. Gaspar, MD Symposium is “Vascular Surgery Emergencies.”

A distinguished faculty is assembled for the symposium, designed to update the attendee on innovation and new strategies. Sixteen didactic lectures will be given to encompass the topics of: aorta/cerebrovascular, visceral/peripheral, aorta and dialysis/venous. Panel discussions will be utilized to encourage audience participation. This year we are delighted to have Dr. Michel S. Makaroun, Professor and Chair of the Division of Vascular Surgery at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, as our visiting Gaspar Professor. Dr. Makaroun will give his symposium address on September 7, followed by his Gaspar Lecture the following day, September 8, at the USC Health Sciences Campus.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

By the end of the course, participants will be able to:

• Demonstrate an understanding of the management of acute aortic syndromes and associated conditions.
• Integrate novel endovascular therapies into the treatment of vascular emergencies.
• Outline management steps in the contemporary treatment of pulmonary embolism.
• Distinguish the correct management option for patients with vascular access complications.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This course is intended for physicians, nurses and other allied health professionals in the areas of cardiovascular and vascular disease, emergency medicine and general practice who care for patients with challenging vascular conditions who seek to enhance their understanding of vascular medicine, endovascular therapy and treatment options to optimize management of their patients.

Accreditation Statement

The Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation

The Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California designates this live activity for a maximum of 6.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Self-Assessment CME Credit, Part 2 of the American Board of Surgery (ABS) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Program: This activity has also been designated as Self-Assessment CME credit, applicable to Part 2 of the ABS MOC Program. For additional information on the ABS MOC program and its requirements, visit the ABS website at http://home.absurgery.org/default.jsp?exam-moc.

Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number CEP00105 for 6.25 contact hours.
REGISTRATION

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Tuition: Early bird registration closes August 31, 2017 at noon PDT.
☐ MD, DO: $100  ☐ RN, Allied Health Professionals: $50

On site registration available on September 7, 2017 at Biltmore Hotel.
MD, DO: $125  RN, Allied Health Professionals: $75

Electronic copy of syllabus emailed to registered attendees on September 5.
Please download syllabus prior to conference and bring iPad or laptop.

Wifi will be available at the Millennium Biltmore Hotel.

Cancellation: Cancellations must be received by the USC Office of CME (fax or email) by
August 31, 12:00 pm for a tuition refund. A $25 cancellation fee will be
applied. USC will not refund any travel costs incurred.

In the event of course cancellation by conference organizers, all registration
fees will be fully refunded. USC will not refund any travel costs incurred.

Location: Millennium Biltmore Hotel: 506 South Grand Avenue
Los Angeles, California 90071. (213) 624-1011

Parking: $22 hotel valet with partial validation.
Pershing Square (entrance along Olive Street between 4th and 5th Street)
Before 11:00 am, early bird $10. After 11:00 am, maximum of $16 or
$2 every 15 minutes. Biltmore does not validate for Pershing Square.

Register: Mail: 1540 Alcazar Street, CHP 223, Los Angeles, CA 90033
Online: www.usc.edu/cme, go to “Quick Links,” Click on Conference
Calendar
Phone: (323) 442-2555  Fax: 1 (888) 665-8650
Email: usccme@usc.edu
On site: Crystal Ballroom at the Millennium Biltmore Hotel

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* Registration confirmation and event reminder will be emailed.

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