

South Atlantic Cardiovascular Society



SACS ANNUAL MEETING

July 18-21, 2019 • The Westin Hilton Head Island Resort & Spa • South Carolina

INVITATION FROM THE CHAIRMAN

On behalf of the Steering Committee for the South Atlantic Cardiovascular Society (SACS), I am pleased to invite you to attend the 2019 SACS Annual Meeting from July 18 – 21 at The Westin Hilton Head Resort & Spa.

Our program promises to be extremely interactive and informative. Based largely on a case study format, the meeting is specifically designed to promote debate and constructive interaction

between cardiologists, cardiovascular surgeons, advanced practice providers and our industry colleagues. The intimate manner in which today's cardiovascular challenges are discussed renders this meeting very practical and fosters networking opportunities between attendees, faculty and industry partners.

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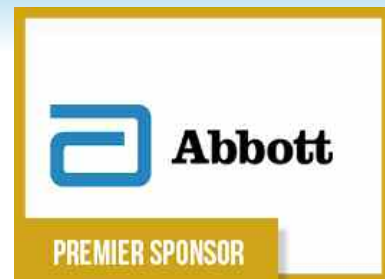


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With social events planned for each evening, opportunities abound for continued interaction and networking outside of the meeting room. I encourage you to bring the entire family; the Resort's oceanfront location is hard to beat and the family-friendly Friday night cookout is a great way to meet others and share in some family fun!

Please mark your calendars now and join us for a weekend of learning and fun in beautiful South Carolina. We hope to see you in July!

Regards,
Wayne Batchelor, MD, MHS



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For more information about exhibiting at SACS 2019, please contact sacs@bhevents.net or call Barb Hill at 770-751-1461.

SACS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM FORMAT ALLOWS FOR AUDIENCE INTERACTION

The interactive format of the South Atlantic Cardiovascular Society's educational sessions, combined with the conference's relaxed atmosphere, is what makes SACS unique from other conferences.

Our program features distinguished speakers who are prominent leaders in current issues, technology, and treatment of the cardiac patient.

Most presentations include case studies and are designed to encourage audience participation and lively debate between cardiologists and surgeons. This format is unique to SACS and sets our conference apart from all the others.

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The following pages include a partial schedule of the weekend's planned events. Please visit www.SACSConference.com for updates on speakers and educational sessions.

This educational meeting is open to all cardiac-care professionals.

Follow us on [LinkedIn](#).





Thursday, 7/18/19

2:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Pre Conference Workshop for APPs (tentative)

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Welcome Reception

Friday, 7/19/19

6:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Exhibits Open

6:15 AM - 7:00 AM

Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

7:00 AM - 7:05 AM

Welcome

7:05 AM - 7:55 AM

COAPT Trial: Implications for the Future

Speaker: Michael Chenier, MD;

Moderator: Scott Lim, MD

7:55 AM - 8:40 AM

Embolic Protection in TAVR.

Should you? Can you afford to?

Can you afford NOT to...??

Speaker: Jonathan Schwartz, MD;

Moderator: Bobby Leonardi, MD

8:40 AM - 9:25 AM

2 Cases PCIs/Surgical I Wish I Had Not Done

Speakers: Damien Marycz, MD;

Ezequiel Molina, MD

9:25 AM - 9:50 AM

Refreshment Break in Exhibit Hall

9:50 AM - 10:35 AM

3 Cases of Valve Thrombosis

Speaker: TBD

10:35 AM - 11:20 AM

3 Cases of Pregnancy with Cardiac Disease

Speaker: Sabrina Phillips, MD

11:20 AM - 12:00 PM

Cardiogenic Shock: The Benefits of

Hemodynamic Support Pre-Op and Post-Op

Speakers: Benham Tehrani, MD;

Amir Kaki, MD

1:00 PM

Golf (Registration required)

6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Family Dinner

Saturday, 7/20/19

6:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Exhibits Open

6:30 AM - 7:00 AM

Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

7:00 AM - 7:05 AM

Welcome & Announcements

7:05 AM - 7:55 AM

Catheter Directed Thrombolysis for Acute PE

Speaker: TBD

7:55 AM - 8:40 AM

Adult Congenital Heart Disease Cases – 3 cases

Speaker: TBD

8:40 AM - 9:25 AM

Emerging Therapies for Heart Failure

Speaker: TBD

9:25 AM - 9:50 AM

Refreshment Break in Exhibit Hall

9:50 AM - 10:35 AM

Noninvasive Ischemic Evaluation: Current Concepts and Cases

Speaker: Markus Sherer, MD

10:35 AM - 11:20 AM

3 Cases of Bleeders and Clotters as it relates to Cardiovascular Surgery

Speaker: TBD

11:20 AM - 12:00 PM

LAA Occlusion – Surgical versus Percutaneous

Speakers: Ryan Plichta, M.D.,

J. Matthew Brennan, M.D.

6:30 PM - 10:00 PM

Youth Party

7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Reception/Dinner (Adults only)

Sunday, 7/22/19

6:45 AM - 9:45 AM

Exhibits Open with Coffee Break

8:15 AM - 9:00 AM

Future Directions in Cardiac Surgery

Speaker: Gorav Ailawadi, MD

9:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Future Directions in Cardiology

Speaker: Wayne Batchelor, MD, MHS

9:45 AM - 10:30 AM

Case of the Year Presentations

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Farewell Brunch





CONFERENCE AGENDA / SACS GENERAL INFORMATION

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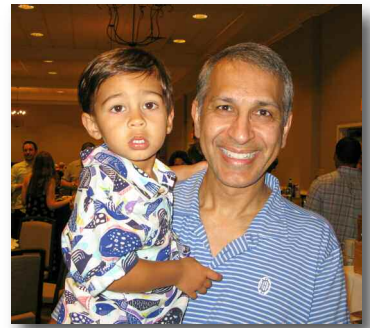
Go to www.SACSConference.com and click on Register!

The SACS website offers the most up-to-date information about the conference including the Educational Program session topics and speakers.

If you have questions about the SACS Annual Meeting online registration process, call 770-751-1461.

WHAT IS SACS?

The South Atlantic Cardiovascular Society (SACS) is a not-for-profit, professional organization that works to promote the advancement of current knowledge and skills in the field of cardiovascular care, and to improve patient care by bringing together cardiologists and cardiovascular surgeons in collaborative discussions regarding the optimal treatment of cardiac conditions, whether medical or surgical. The core of the organizations is comprised of cardiac-care professionals in the South Atlantic states of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and District of Columbia; however, SACS is open to all cardiac-health professionals.





WHERE TO STAY

The SACS 2019 Annual Meeting will take place July 18-21 at The Westin Hilton Head Island Resort & Spa on the coast of South Carolina.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND RATES

Special rates at The Westin Hilton Head Island Resort and Spa have been established for SACS 2019 Annual Meeting Attendees. Call 843-681-4000 ext. 7302 for details.

AIRPORT INFORMATION

The Westin is less than five miles away from the Hilton Head Island Airport and nearly forty miles from the Savannah/Hilton Head International Airport and is serviced by most major airlines.

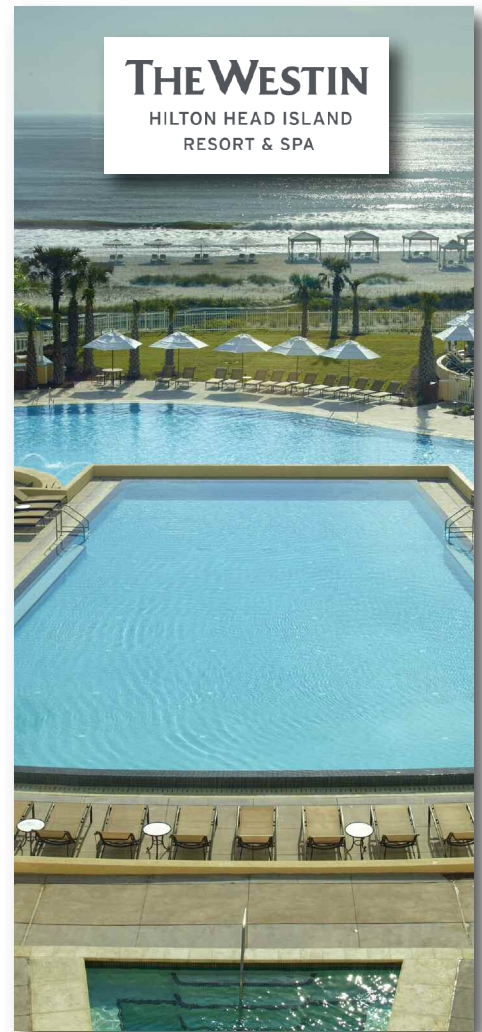
DRIVING DIRECTIONS

For directions to The Westin Hilton Head Island Resort and Spa, visit <https://www.marriott.com/hotels/maps/travel/hhhwi-the-westin-hilton-head-island-resort-and-spa/>.

CONFERENCE QUESTIONS

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3-Bedroom Villas \$455 at Ocean Palms Resort

Call Villa Reservations at 843-681-4000, ext 4 or email: ocean.palms@westinhotels.com
The deadline for booking a villa is April 19, 2019. (SACS has a limited number of 3-bedroom villas, so act fast!)

SACS attendees are responsible for making their own reservations, which are on a first come, space available basis. Reservations at The Westin Hilton Head can be made by calling 843-681-4000 ext. 7302. Identify yourself as an attendee for the South Atlantic Cardiovascular Society meeting. Make your reservations early to ensure you get the accommodation type you prefer. The rates for SACS expire on June 12, 2019 (and may sell out prior to that date).