16th Annual Symposium on Current Concepts in Spinal Disorders

FEBRUARY 2-4, 2017

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CONFERENCE LOCATION:
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The 16th Annual Symposium on Current Concepts in Spinal Disorders focuses on treatment methodology, controversies in spine care management, and new and emerging technologies. The faculty is composed of internationally recognized experts who will present lectures focused on innovations in spine surgeries, spine sciences including biologics, stem cells, minimally invasive surgeries, motion preservation, complications, controversies and deformities. Participants will have several opportunities to enjoy personal interactions with many of our country’s leading spine professionals. All attendees are encouraged to join faculty for discussions and debates regarding all topics.

TARGET AUDIENCE
This course is designed to meet the educational needs of orthopedic surgeons, neurosurgeons, spine surgeons, physiatrists, pain management physicians, fellows, residents, physician assistants, nurses, nurse practitioners, and other physicians and spine professionals interested in the treatment of spinal disorders.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

• Identify vulnerable areas in spine care and develop strategies to treat patients, including the many complex factors impacting safety and efficacy

• Discuss the implications of MACRA and the preparation needed to be successful in a quality-driven, value-based healthcare system

• Compare opposing approaches to common spine controversies, including spondylolisthesis sagittal alignment for single-level lumbar fusion, and thoracolumbar scoliosis with sagittal imbalance

• Recognize the risk factors associated with spinal surgeries, particularly for patients with co-morbidities, and apply evidenced-based clinical decision-making when determining the appropriateness of surgery

• Describe pertinent options for correcting spinal deformities to prevent significant functional and/or neurological impairment in adult patients

• Discuss the science supporting the use of lumbar hybrid constructs and other available motion-preservation technologies, and the benefits and pitfalls of each

• Explore the latest advances and innovations in evaluating spinal pathology and using new biomaterial for spinal interbody fusion

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Cedars-Sinai Medical Center designates this live activity for a maximum of 15.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

NURSES
The California State Board of Registered Nursing accepts courses approved by the ACCME for Category 1 credit as meeting the continuing education requirements for license renewal.

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS CREDIT
This program is not yet approved for CME credit. Conference organizers plan to request 15 hours of AAPA Category 1 CME credit from the Physician Assistant Review Panel. Total number of approved credits yet to be determined.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF COMMERCIAL SUPPORT
Commercial support for this conference is pending and will be acknowledged at the conference.
### Thursday, February 2, 2017

**SESSION 1: SOCIOECONOMICS OF SPINE CARE**  
**Moderators:** Theodore Goldstein, MD and J. Patrick Johnson, MD

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**SESSION 2: SPINE-CYLING COMPLICATIONS & CONTROVERSIES IN THE O.R.**  
(AKA: I WISH I’D NEVER DONE THIS CASE)  
**Moderators:** Michael Kropf, MD and Hyun Bae, MD

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<td>Greg Mundis, MD (lateral complication)</td>
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### Friday, February 3, 2017

**SESSION 3: COMMON SPINE DEBATES**  
**Moderators:** Neel Anand, MD and Eli Baron, MD

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**SESSION 4: FIT - FUTURE INNOVATIONS AND TECHNOLOGIES**  
**Moderators:** Hyun Bae, MD and Edward Nomoto, MD

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<td>Bioactive Interbody Implants or Abrasion and Osseointegration Associated with Titanium Plasma Spray-Coated PEEK vs. Deeply Porous Titanium Scaffold on PEEK</td>
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<td>The Use of Gait Analysis in the Evaluation of Spinal Pathology</td>
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SESSION 5: DEFORMITIES
Moderators: Neel Anand, MD and Terrence Kim, MD

11:20 Three-Column Osteotomies of the Lower Cervical and Upper Thoracic Spine
Bobbie Tay, MD

11:30 Determining Patient-Specific Surgery Magnitude and Whether or Not They Will Benefit: The Future of Adult Spinal Deformity Surgery, in Theory
Dave Polly, MD

11:40 PJK: Can We Prevent It?
Munish Gupta, MD

11:50 Is Cervical Deformity Important to Assess when Fusing Thoracolumbar Spine?
Chris Shaffrey, MD

12:00 p.m. Panel Discussion plus Question and Answer with Faculty Panelists

12:15 Pick up Lunch in Exhibit Hall

12:30 Hall of Fame Lunch Keynote Lecture:
Risk Reduction Strategies in Major Spinal Surgery
Chris Shaffrey, MD

1:30-5:00 Non-CME Demos, Workshops and Cadaver Labs

5:15-6:30 p.m. Cocktail Reception for Faculty, Attendees, Guests and Vendor Partners

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2017

8:00 a.m. Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

SESSION 6: MAKE SPINE SURGERY GREAT AGAIN
Moderators: Michael Kropf, MD and Munish Gupta, MD

8:30 Complex Spinal Deformity Treatment in an Outreach Environment
Edward Nomoto, MD; Greg Mundis, MD

9:00 Uganda Spine Surgery Mission
Isador H. Lieberman, MD

9:15 ASC Future of Spine in General Orthopedics and Pain Reimbursement
Brian Perri, DO

9:30 Spine Tumors: To Fuse or Not to Fuse
Tiffany Perry, MD

9:45 Why “Useless” Surgery is Still Popular: A Response to The New York Times
Terrence Kim, MD

10:00 Adult Idiopathic Scoliosis: Can an Index Episode of Surgical Care Be Bundled?
Robert S. Pashman, MD

10:15 Panel Discussion plus Question and Answer with Faculty Panelists

10:30 Break in Exhibit Hall

SESSION 7: MOTION PRESERVATION
Moderators: Brian Perri, DO and Matthew Scott-Young, MD

11:00 The Science behind Lumbar Hybrid Constructs
Jack Zigler, MD

11:10 Why a Hybrid Cervical Replacement Makes Sense over Multilevel Cervical ADR
Hyun Bae, MD

11:20 Does Lumbar ADR Have any Role in Spinal Deformity?
Rick Guyer, MD

11:30 When is an ADR NOT Indicated? – The Perils and Disasters...
Matthew Scott-Young, MD

11:40 Indirect Decompression System for Lumbar Stenosis – What is the Future?
Scott Blumenthal, MD

11:50 Closing Remarks
Theodore Goldstein, MD; J. Patrick Johnson, MD

12:00 p.m. Adjourn

Conference Panelists: Steven Hochschuler, MD; Dave Polly, MD; Chris Shaffrey, MD; Alan Hilibrand, MD
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