



AGENDA

COURSE DIRECTORS

Eric E. Roselli, Cleveland, OH
Wilson Y. Szeto, Philadelphia, PA
T. Brett Reece, Aurora, CO

DAY 1 – THURSDAY, APRIL 4

7:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m.

BREAKFAST

7:30 a.m. – 7:40 a.m.

Welcome, Announcements, and Introductions

7:40 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.

Session 1: Hyperacute

Moderators: *Eric E. Roselli, Cleveland, OH, and Wilson Y. Szeto, Philadelphia, PA*

7:40 a.m. – 7:55 a.m.

Creating an Acute Aortic Syndrome Team
Douglas R. Johnston, Cleveland, OH

7:55 a.m. - 9:55 a.m.

Case Presentation, Team Reviews, and Panel Discussion
Maral Ouzounian, Toronto, Canada
Christian C. Shults, Washington, DC
Fernando Fleischman, Los Angeles, CA

9:55 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

BREAK / VISIT EXHIBITS

10:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Session 2: Acute and Subacute

Moderators: *Fernando Fleischman, Los Angeles, CA, and Himanshu J. Patel, Ann Arbor, MI*

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Is There Really Such a Thing as Uncomplicated Type B Dissection?
Thomas G. Gleason, Pittsburgh, PA

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Case Presentation, Team Reviews, and Panel Discussion
William T. Brinkman, Plano, TX
Muhammad Aftab, Denver, CO
Karen M. Kim, Ann Arbor, MI

12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

LUNCH

1:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Session 3: Chronic

Moderators: *Ourania A. Preventza, Houston, TX, Karen M. Kim, Ann Arbor, MI, and Christian C. Shults, Washington, DC*

1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Indications to Operate for Chronic Type B Dissection – Endovascular vs. Open
George C. Hughes, Durham, NC

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Case Presentation, Team Reviews, and Panel Discussion
Nimesh Desai, Philadelphia, PA
Bradley G. Leshnowar, Atlanta, GA
Muhammad Aftab, Denver, CO

3:30 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. BREAK / VISIT EXHIBITS

3:50 p.m. – 6:05 p.m. Session 4: Ascending Dissections
Moderators: *T. Brett Reece, Aurora, CO, and Ourania A. Preventza, Houston, TX*

3:50 p.m. – 4:05 p.m. From Conventional Hemiarch to Extended Arch Repair to Endovascular Approach: The Current Spectrum of Treatment Strategies in Type A Dissection
Eric E. Roselli, Cleveland, OH

4:05 p.m. – 6:05 p.m. Case Presentation, Team Reviews, and Panel Discussion
Wilson Y. Szeto, Philadelphia, PA
Ourania A. Preventza, Houston, TX
Thomas G. Gleason, Pittsburgh, PA

6:05 p.m. ADJOURNMENT

DAY 2 – FRIDAY, APRIL 5

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. BREAKFAST / INDUSTRY PIPELINE PRESENTATIONS (NON-CME)

Conversation with R&D Experts from:

- Cook
- CryoLife / JOTEC
- Gore
- Medtronic
- Terumo Aortic

BEGIN CME PORTION

8:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Session 5: Hybrid Arch Repair
Moderators: *George C. Hughes, Durham, NC, and Nimesh Desai, Philadelphia, PA*

8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m. Hybrid Approaches to Management of Aortic Arch Pathologies: Current Techniques and Concepts
Himanshu J. Patel, Ann Arbor, MI

8:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Case Presentation, Team Reviews, and Panel Discussion
Douglas R. Johnston, Cleveland, OH
Bradley G. Leshnowar, Atlanta, GA
Ourania A. Preventza, Houston, TX

10:15 a.m. – 10:35 a.m. BREAK / VISIT EXHIBITS

10:35 a.m. – 12:50 p.m. Session 6: Distal Aortic Elephant Trunk Repair
Moderators: *Bradley G. Leshnowar, Atlanta, GA, and Douglas R. Johnston, Cleveland, OH*

10:35 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. What Is the Risk to the Spinal Cord during Elephant Trunk Repair? Not Zero
T. Brett Reece, Aurora, CO

- 10:50 a.m. – 12:50 p.m. Case Presentation, Team Reviews, and Panel Discussion
Christian C. Shults, Washington, DC
Karen M. Kim, Ann Arbor, MI
William T. Brinkman, Plano, TX
- 12:50 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. LUNCH**
- 1:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. Session 7: Branched Endografts for the Treatment of Aortic Arch Pathology**
Moderators: *William T. Brinkman, Plano, TX, and Muhammad Aftab, Denver, CO*
- 1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Anatomic Considerations during Branched Endograft Arch Repair and Stroke Risk
Wilson Y. Szeto, Philadelphia, PA
- 1:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. Case Presentation, Team Reviews, and Panel Discussion
Nimesh Desai, Philadelphia, PA
Fernando Fleischman, Los Angeles, CA
Eric E. Roselli, Cleveland, OH
- 3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. ADJOURNMENT**