



ACC ROCKIES 2012 PROGRAM

Date/Time	Topic	Faculty
Sunday, March 11, 2012		
15:50 - 16:00	ACC Rockies Opening Remarks – Welcome Address	R. Welsh
Theme: Prevention – J. Genest		
16:00 - 16:30	Global Burden Of Cardiovascular Health	B. Gersh
16:30 - 17:00	Management of Lipids in Patients with Chronic Kidney Disease	M. Tonelli
17:00 - 17:30	Novel HDL Therapies – A Promising Future?	J. Genest
17:30 - 18:00	Practical Approaches To The Treatment Of Obesity	D. Lau
18:00 - 18:30	ACC Rockies Lecture Translating Molecular Insights Into New Clinical Therapies For Cardiovascular Disease	D. Stewart
18:30 - 19:00	Question/Discussion Period	
19:00 - 20:00	Welcome Reception – Wine, Cheese, Appetizers	All Participants

Monday, March 12, 2012		
Theme: Acute Coronary Syndromes – R. Welsh		
08:00 - 08:30	Walking The Tight Rope In ACS: Balancing Safety And Efficacy	S. James
08:30 - 09:00	New Role For An Old Friend: Contemporary Insights From The ECG	P. Armstrong
09:00 - 09:30	STEMI Management In 2012: Facilitating Timely Reperfusion Therapy For Urban And Rural Patients	R. Welsh
09:30 - 10:00	Update In Interventional Cardiology	E. Schampaert
10:00-10:15	Nutrition Break	
10:15 - 10:45	Microvascular Angina's Current Relevance To Clinical Practice	T. Anderson
10:45 - 11:15	Practical Application Of New Developments In Antithrombotic And Antiplatelet Therapy In ACS	S. James
11:15 - 12:15	Audience Questions/Panel Discussion – Interactive ACS Case Presentation	R. Zimmermann
12:15 - 12:30	Break	
12:30 - 14:00 Lunch Provided	Interactive Case Based Imaging Symposium Non-Invasive Imaging For Assessment Of Chest Pain – Is There A Best Test?	J. Choy, P. Raggi R. Coulden
Theme: Structural HD – T. Anderson		
14:00 - 14:30	Percutaneous Aortic Valves – The Canadian Perspective	R. Welsh
14:30 - 15:00	Surgical Approaches To CHF: Implications Of STICH And The VAD	B. Gersh
15:00 - 15:30	Current Challenges In HF Care – Impact Of Hyponatremia In HF Care	P. Liu
15:30 - 16:00	Question/Discussion Period	
16:00 - 18:00	Resident Research Competition	J. Genest
19:30 - 22:30	Social Evening	All Participants

Tuesday, March 13, 2012

Theme: Arrhythmia Management – J. Genest

08:00 - 08:30	Supraventricular Arrhythmias – Bread And Butter Or Toast And Jam	D. Exner
08:30 - 09:00	Living Better Electrically: Which ICD and/or CRT Device for Which Patients and When	B. Mitchell
09:00 - 09:30	The Current Status Of Cardiac Resynchronization	A. Tang
09:30 - 10:15	Audience Questions - Panel Discussion – Interactive Arrhythmia Case Presentation	D. Exner
10:15 - 10:30	Nutritional Break	
10:30 - 11:15	Anticoagulation For Stroke Prevention In Atrial Fibrillation: A Changing Landscape	B. Mitchell
11:15 - 11:45	Pharmacogenomics in Cardiovascular Diseases: Ready for Prime Time?	S. de Denus
11:45 - 12:00	Question/Answers – Panel Discussion	
12:00 - 12:15	Break	
12:15 - 14:45 Lunch Provided	The Canadian Cardiovascular Society - Atrial Fibrillation Guidelines Interactive Workshop	B. Mitchell, J. Cairns
14:45 - 15:00	Break	
Theme: General Cardiology – R. Welsh		
15:00 - 15:30	Update On Current Concepts And Treatment Of Pulmonary Hypertension	D. Stewart
15:30 - 16:00	Reassessing The Definition And Treatment Of Severe Hypertension	B. Herman
16:00 - 16:30	Question/Answers – Panel Discussion	

Wednesday, March 14, 2012

Theme: Heart Failure

08:00 - 10:30	The Canadian Cardiovascular Society – Heart Failure Guidelines Interactive Workshop	J. Ezekowitz, A. Ducharme
10:30 - 10:45	Break	
10:45 - 11:30	Key Cardiovascular Late-Breaking Trials 2011-12	T. Anderson, J. Genest, R. Welsh
11:30 - 12:00	ACC Rockies – Closing Remarks	