

PROGRAM

GVS 10th ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS



September 9-11, 2022



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**GEORGIA VASCULAR SOCIETY
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**GVS PRESIDENT
CHARLES B. ROSS, MD, FACS, DFSVS**



🍷 Friday, September 9, 2022

3:00 – 5:00 PM Registration
6:00 – 7:00 PM Welcome Reception

🍷 Saturday, September 10, 2022

7:00 AM Registration / Breakfast / Exhibits
8:00 AM **Welcome & Introductions**
Charles B. Ross, MD, DFSVS, FACS
Georgia Vascular Society's 10th President

**8:05 - 10:00 AM
SESSION I: GUEST SPEAKER
CLINICAL TALKS**

Moderators: Charles B. Ross, MD, FACS, DFSVS & Mrinal Shukla, MD, FACS, FSVS

8:05 AM **Management of Popliteal Artery Aneurysms, An Update**
Fred A. Weaver, MD, MMM, FACS, DFSVS
Professor and Chief of Vascular Surgery
Division of Vascular Surgery
USC Cardiac & Vascular Institute
University of Southern California
Los Angeles, CA

8:20 AM **SVS Clinical Guidelines of TEVAR for Descending Thoracic Aortic Aneurysms**
Gilbert R. Upchurch, Jr., MD, FACS, DFSVS
Chairman
Edward M. Copeland III and Ann & Ira Horowitz, Department of Surgery
University of Florida College of Medicine
Gainesville, FL

8:35 AM **Trial by Fire: Aortic Challenges as Junior Faculty**
Chandler A. Long, MD, FACS
Assistant Professor of Surgery
Director of Vascular Surgery Fellowship Program & Associate Director of Vascular Surgery Integrated Residency Program
Co-Director, Duke Center for Aortic Disease
Duke Vascular & Endovascular Surgery
Duke University Medical Center
Durham, NC

8:50 AM **The Current AAA Screening Guidelines are Insufficient to Protect the Public**
Malachi G. Sheahan, III, MD
Claude C. Craighead Jr., Professor & Chair
Division of Vascular & Endovascular Surgery
Louisiana State Univ. Health Sciences Ctr.
New Orleans, LA

9:05 AM **SVS Visceral Aneurysm Guidelines**
Dawn Coleman, MD, FACS, DFSVS, LTC, USAR, MC
Handleman Research Professor
Clinical Professor of Surgery & Pediatrics
Co-Director, Pediatric Renovascular Hypertension Center
Program Director, Integrated Vascular Surgery Residency & Fellowship
University of Michigan, Department of Surgery, Section of Vascular Surgery
Ann Arbor, MI

9:20 AM **Are We Overtreating May Turner Syndrome?**
Claudie Sheahan, MD
Professor of Clinical Surgery
Director, LSU Vein Care Center
Associate Program Director, Vascular Fellowship & Integrated Residency Programs
Division of Vascular & Endovascular Surgery
Louisiana State Univ. Health Sciences Ctr.
New Orleans, LA

9:35 AM **GSW Zone 1 Neck – Not Just for The Boards**
Guillermo Escobar, MD
Associate Professor
Emory University School of Medicine
Division of Vascular Surgery & Endovascular Therapies
Atlanta, GA

9:45 AM Panel Discussion

10:00 AM Coffee Break / Visit Exhibits



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**RESIDENT & FELLOW PAPER COMPETITION
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11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

SESSION II: RESIDENT SESSION A

*Moderators: E. Jerry Cohn, MD, FACS &
Christopher R. Ramos, MD*

11:00 AM **Intentionally Fragmenting Bullets
Can Cause Clinically Occult
Multi-Vessel Vascular Trauma**
Brandi M. Mize, MD
Integrated Vascular Surgery Resident (PGY2)
Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, GA
Sponsor: Christopher R. Ramos, MD

11:10 AM **In Situ Laser Fenestration in the
Management of a Mycotic Aortic
Aneurysm**
Karthik Bhat, MD
Integrated Vascular Surgery Resident (PGY3)
Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, GA
Sponsor: James Middleton Chang, MD

11:20 AM **Case Report and Review of the
Literature of Persistent Left
Superior Vena Cava**
Rosa Maria Lopez-Rincon, MD
Anesthesiology Resident (PGY2)
Medical College of Georgia at
Augusta University
Augusta, GA
Sponsor: Mrinal Shukla, MD, FACS, FSVS

11:30 AM **Perioperative Outcomes Among
Major Endovascular Stent Grafts
for the Treatment of Abdominal
Aortic Aneurysm**
Emma G. Rooney, MD
Vascular Surgery Fellow (Y2)
Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, GA
Sponsor: Jaime Benarroch-Gampel, MD

11:40 AM **Isolated Superior Mesenteric
Artery Dissection**
Melissa M. Easley, MD
Surgery Resident (PGY2)
Medical College of Georgia at
Augusta University
Augusta, GA
Sponsor: Gautam Agarwal, MBBS, FACS

11:50 AM **Length of Stay Following Major
Amputations: A Problem Analysis**
Anna Beth West, MD
Surgery Resident (PGY4)
Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, GA
Sponsor: Jaime Benarroch-Gampel, MD

**12:00 - 1:15 PM
SESSION III: PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS**

12:00 PM **INTRODUCTION OF PRESIDENT**
Arun Chervu, MD, FACS
President-Elect - Georgia Vascular Society

12:15 PM **PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS
Pulmonary Embolism: My Amazing
Opportunity**
Charles B. Ross, MD, FACS, DFSVS
Georgia Vascular Society's 10th President

1:15 PM Adjourn



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Georgia Vascular Society's 10th President

8:05 - 9:50 AM

SESSION IV: GUEST SPEAKER

NON-CLINICAL TOPICS

Moderators: William D. Jordan, Jr., MD, FACS, DFSVS & Tiffany Liang, MD

8:05 AM **The Vascular Surgeons' Value Proposition in Today's Healthcare Environment**
Fred A. Weaver, MD, MMM, FACS, DFSVS
Professor and Chief of Vascular Surgery
Division of Vascular Surgery
USC Cardiac and Vascular Institute
University of Southern California
Los Angeles, CA

8:20 AM **Vascular Surgery Needs Millennials**
Gilbert R. Upchurch, Jr., MD, FACS, DFSVS
Chairman
Edward M. Copeland III and Ann & Ira Horowitz, Department of Surgery
University of Florida College of Medicine
Gainesville, FL

8:35 AM **Case for Diversity: Playing to Win**
Chandler A. Long, MD, FACS
Assistant Professor of Surgery
Director of Vascular Surgery Fellowship
Program & Associate Director of Vascular
Surgery Integrated Residency Program
Co-Director, Duke Center for Aortic Disease
Duke Vascular & Endovascular Surgery
Duke University Medical Center
Durham, NC

8:50 AM **VSB Initiatives – Virtual Exams, Continuous Certification, New Organization to Position Us as Equals with General Surgery**
Malachi G. Sheahan, III, MD
Claude C. Craighead Jr., Professor & Chair
Division of Vascular & Endovascular Surgery
Louisiana State Univ. Health Sciences Ctr.
New Orleans, LA

9:05 AM **Forward Damage Control Surgery for the Combat Casualty**
Dawn Coleman, MD, FACS, DFSVS, LTC, USAR, MC
Handleman Research Professor
Clinical Professor of Surgery & Pediatrics
Co-Director, Pediatric Renovascular
Hypertension Center
Program Director, Integrated Vascular
Surgery Residency & Fellowship
University of Michigan, Department of
Surgery, Section of Vascular Surgery
Ann Arbor, MI

9:20 AM **The Curse of Online Medical Information**
Claudie Sheahan, MD
Professor of Clinical Surgery
Director, LSU Vein Care Center
Associate Program Director, Vascular
Fellowship & Integrated Residency Programs
Division of Vascular & Endovascular Surgery
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SESSION V: RESIDENT SESSION B

Moderators: Gautam Agarwal, MBBS, FACS & Jonathan D. Woody, MD, FACS, FSVS

10:35 AM **Point of Care Ultrasound to Evaluate for Asymptomatic Carotid Artery Stenosis in Patients with Known Vascular Disease**
Michael G. Hurst, MD
Surgery Resident (PGY3)
University of Tennessee
College of Medicine
Chattanooga, TN
Sponsor: Jonathan R. Molnar, MD, FACS, FSVS



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10:45 AM **Open Surgical Excision of Venous Wallstents Using Multiple Single Puncture Venotomies**
Brandi M. Mize, MD
Integrated Vascular Surgery Resident (PGY2)
Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, GA

Sponsors: Guillermo Escobar, MD &
Yazan Duwayri, MD, FACS, DFSVS

10:55 AM **Endovascular Management of Flush Common Iliac Artery Occlusive Disease**
Anthony G. Campbell, MD
Surgery Resident (PGY2)
Medical College of Georgia
Augusta University
Augusta, GA

Sponsor: Gautam Agarwal, MBBS, FACS

11:05 AM **Smoking Status Impacts Mitochondrial Function in Peripheral Arterial Disease Patient Derived Mesenchymal Stem Cells**
Dylan K. McLaughlin, MD
Integrated Vascular Surgery Resident (PGY3)
Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, GA

Sponsor: Katherine E. Hekman, MD, Ph.D.

**11:15 AM - 12:15 PM
SESSION VI: MEDICAL STUDENT PRESENTATIONS**

*Moderators: Arun Chervu, MD, FACS &
James Middleton Chang, MD*

11:15 AM **Brachiocephalic Arteriovenous Fistula Creation Below the Elbow Demonstrates Similar Patency Rates to Above-Elbow Anastomoses**
Katherine A. Bombly, DNP, ARNP-BC
Medical Student (MS4)
Philadelphia College of Osteopathic
Medicine – South Georgia
Moultrie, GA

Sponsor: Christopher R. Ramos, MD

11:25 AM **Acute Thrombosis of the Inferior Vena Cava and Iliofemoral Veins in Patients with Functioning Kidney Transplants: Favorable Outcomes with Multi-modality Venous Recanalization and Change in Pre-Transplant Evaluation**

Ashna Bhardwaj, BS
Medical Student (MS1)
Medical College of Georgia
Augusta University
Atlanta, GA

Sponsor: Charles B. Ross, MD, FACS, DFSVS

11:35 AM **Endovascular Repair of Operative Inferior Vena Cava and Iliac Vein Injury: A Case Series and Review of The Literature**
Laura Pride, MSSc, PA-C
AU/UGA Medical Partnership (MS4)
Athens, GA

Sponsor: Christopher B. Everett, MD, FACS

11:45 AM **First Report of Successful Endovascular Exclusion of an External Iliac Vein Aneurysm with Multilayered, Closed-Cell Stent System: Mid-range Outcome at 25 Months**

Caroline S. Wasserman, BA
Medical Student (MS4)
Emory University School of Medicine
Atlanta, GA

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11:55 AM **Endovascular Management of Isolated Iliac Artery Aneurysm**

T. Logan Ruiz, MS
Medical Student (MS4)
Medical College of Georgia
Augusta University
Augusta, GA

Sponsor: Gautam Agarwal, MBBS, FACS

12:05 PM **Intercostal Preservation Using Physician Modified Endografts in Cases of Extensive Aortic Coverage. Report of 2 Cases**

Zikang Tan, BA
Emory University Graduate
Early Professional Education Program (pre-med)
Piedmont Heart Institute
Atlanta, GA

Sponsor: Andrew W. Unzeitig, MD, FACS, FSVS



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12:15 PM **Primary Mural Sarcoma of the
Abdominal Aorta Presenting as
Disabling Claudication**
Eric Murphy, RVT
Medical Student (MS3)
University of South Carolina
School of Medicine
Columbia, SC
Sponsor: Thomas C. Matthews, MD, FACS, FSVS

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12:25 - 12:35 PM
SESSION VII: FOUNDATION AWARD PRESENTATIONS
Presenter: Arun Chervu, MD FACS
President, Georgia Vascular Foundation

12:25 PM **D. William Jordan, MD Medical Student
Award Presentation**

12:30 PM **Robert B. Smith, III, MD Resident
Award Presentation**

12:35 PM Adjourn

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

12:45 PM GVS Business Meeting

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