

**GEORGIA VASCULAR SOCIETY**  
**13<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Sessions**  
**September 12-14, 2025**  
**Final Program**

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2025**

3:00PM	Welcome & Introductions Gautam Agarwal, MD, FACS GVS President	5:15 – 6:25PM	<b>SESSION II: CASE REPORTS</b> Moderator(s): Juan Ayerdi, MD & Yazan Duwayri, MD, MBA, DFSVS
3:00 – 5:00 PM	<b>SESSION I: PRACTICE MANAGEMENT</b> Moderator(s): E. Jerry Cohn, Jr., MD & Jeffrey D. Pearce, MD	5:15	<b>Endovascular Repair of Complex Aortoiliac Aneurysms Using Physician-Modified Iliac Branch Devices and Side Branch Extensions in a Patient Evaluated for Living Donor Kidney</b> Yaman Alsabbagh, MBBS Research Fellow Mayo Clinic - Jacksonville Jacksonville, FL
3:00 – 3:30	<b>Development of an Ambulatory Surgery Center in a Vascular Surgery Practice</b> Sharon Bell, MBA Executive Director Savannah Vascular and Cardiac Institute Savannah, GA	5:22	<b>Inferior Vena Cava Filter Complicated by Aortic Erosion Followed by Aortoenteric Fistula</b> Margaret Carey, MD General Surgery Resident (PGY2) Memorial Health University Medical Center Savannah, GA
3:30 – 4:00	<b>Alternative Revenue Streams in a Vascular Surgery Practice</b> William Sullivan, MBA Chief Executive Officer University Surgical Vascular Athens, GA		
4:00-4:30	<b>Value of Advanced Practice Providers In a Vascular Surgery Practice</b> Cathy Koeplin, RN Vascular Surgical Associates Marietta, GA	5:29	<b>Recurrent Acute Limb Ischemia Secondary to Tumor Embolism: A Rare Malignant Manifestation</b> George Liu, BA Medical Student (MS4) Medical College of Georgia – Augusta University Augusta, GA
4:30-5:00	Q&A		
5:00 – 5:15PM	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	5:36	<b>Distal Peroneal Artery to Plantar Artery Vein Bypass with Osteotomy for Foot Salvage After Open Tibial/Fibular Fracture Causing Loss of Perfusion Distal to the Ankle</b> Daniel Sicar, MD General Surgery Resident (PGY4) Atrium Health Navicent Mercer School of Medicine Macon, GA

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5:43	<b>Rapidly Developing Synchronous Mycotic Aneurysms of Thoracic Aorta and Subclavian Artery</b> Phillip Dobson, BSPH Medical Student (MS3) Medical College of Georgia – Augusta University Augusta, GA	6:11	<b>Transcatheter Electrosurgical Septotomy and FEVAR for Isolated Infrarenal Dissection Complicated by Symptomatic Juxtarenal Aneurysmal Degeneration</b> Rae Rokosh, MD Fellow (PGY7) Emory University School of Medicine Division of Vascular Surgery & Endovascular Therapy Atlanta, GA
5:50	<b>ESPIRIT BTK: A Single-Center Experience</b> Caroline Goel, MD Fellow (PGY5) Emory University School of Medicine Division of Vascular Surgery & Endovascular Therapy Atlanta, GA	6:18	<b>Fused Cervical Rib with Subclavian Artery Aneurysmal Degeneration: Arterial TOS Case Presentation and 50-Year Review of the Literature</b> Sophie Zweben, BS Pre-Med Student Piedmont Heart Institute Vascular and Endovascular Surgery Clinic Atlanta, GA
5:57	<b>Angiosarcoma in AVF Bed after Renal Transplant: Case Studies &amp; Literature Review</b> Lorraine Coffinet, MD General Surgery Resident (PGY2) Wellstar Kennestone Regional Medical Center Marietta, GA	6:30 – 7:30 6:30 – 7:30	<b>WELCOME RECEPTION</b> <b>SESSION III: POSTER SESSION</b> Moderator(s): David M. Hardy, MD, J. Middleton Chang, MD, Purandath Lall, MD
6:04	<b>Percutaneous Mechanical Thrombectomy for Management of Access Site Complication in a Jehovah's Witness</b> Sam Berding, DO General Surgery Resident (PGY3) Northeast Georgia Medical Center Gainesville, GA		<b>Hybrid Repair of Abdominal Coral Reef Aorta with Visceral Arteries Involvement: A Case Report</b> Adeeb Jilati, MD Research Trainee Mayo Clinic - Jacksonville Jacksonville, FL

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**SESSION III: Poster Session (continued)**

**Juxtarenal Aortic Aneurysm:  
Open Surgical Repair followed  
by Endovascular  
Reintervention**

Michelle Patel, BS  
Medical Student (MS3)  
Medical College of Georgia –  
Northwest  
Rome, GA

**Transcarotid Artery  
Revascularization for  
Neurointerventional Access  
Case Series**

Jonathan Paul, MD  
General Surgery Resident (PGY3)  
Wellstar Kennestone Regional  
Medical Center  
Marietta, GA

**Endovascular Management of  
Aortic Mural Thrombus**

Andrew Rowan, BS  
Medical Student (MS3)  
Medical College of Georgia  
Augusta University  
Augusta, GA

**Brachial Artery Injury Caused  
by Power Washer**

Cierra Jaime, MD  
General Surgery Resident (PGY4)  
Memorial Health Hospital  
Medical Center  
Savannah, GA

**Gastrostomy Tube Guidewire  
Penetrating the Descending  
Thoracic Aorta: A Case Report**

Robert Larsen, MD  
General Surgery Resident (PGY2)  
Memorial Health Hospital  
Medical Center  
Savannah, GA

**Coil Embolization of a Ruptured  
Renal Artery Aneurysm: A Case  
Report**

Ashley Oh, BS  
MS3  
Medical College of Georgia,  
Augusta University  
Augusta, GA

**Left Arteriovenous Fistula  
Revision with Liposuction for  
Hemodialysis Cannulation**

Arielle Wallenstein, BS  
Medical Student (MS2)  
Emory University School of  
Medicine  
Atlanta, GA

**Case Report: Subclavian to  
Carotid Transposition with  
Thoracic Aortic Stent  
Graft and Fenestrated Left  
Subclavian Branch  
Endoprosthesis for the  
Definitive Treatment of a  
Symptomatic Patient with  
Kommerell Diverticulum**

Daniel Whitson, MD  
General Surgery Resident (PGY4)  
Northeast Georgia Medical  
Center  
Gainesville, GA

**More than Meets the Thigh:  
Mycotic Aneurysm  
of the Femoral Artery  
Presenting as Thigh Pain**

Brenna Martin, BS  
Medical Student (MS3)  
Medical College of Georgia  
Augusta University  
Augusta, GA

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**SESSION III: Poster Competition (Continued)**

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**Comparative Outcomes of  
Infusion Catheter Directed  
Thrombolysis and Ultrasound-  
Enhanced Catheter-Directed  
Thrombolysis in Acute Limb  
Ischemia: A 10-Year Single  
Institution Retrospective  
Analysis**

Zachery Aldaher, DO  
General Surgery Resident (PGY2)  
Medical College of Georgia  
Augusta University  
Augusta, GA

**Robotic Assisted Left Gonadal  
Vein Transposition for Posterior  
Nutcracker Syndrome with  
Concurrent Gynecologic  
Procedures: A Case  
Report and Surgical Video**

Camilo Andres' Polania  
Sandoval, MD  
Research Trainee  
Mayo Clinic - Jacksonville  
Jacksonville, FL

**Lower Extremity Hybrid  
Revascularization  
Video**

Yaman Alsabbagh, MD  
Research Fellow  
Mayo Clinic – Jacksonville  
Jacksonville, FL

8:40

9:10

**Vascular Reconstructions in  
Oncologic Surgery: Innovation  
Techniques and Outcomes in  
Complex Cancer Cases**

Sharif Ellozy, MD  
G. Tom Shires Faculty Scholar in  
Surgery, Associate Professor of  
Clinical Surgery, Division of  
Vascular and Endovascular  
Surgery,  
Program Director, Vascular  
Surgery Fellowship  
New York Presbyterian/Weill  
Cornell Medical College  
New York, NY

**Roles of Trans Catheter  
Electrosurgical Septotomy for  
Chronic Dissections:  
Indications, Technique, And  
Results**

Gustavo Oderich, MD, DFSVS  
Michael E. Debaeky,  
Distinguished Endowed Chair of  
Surgery  
Professor of Surgery, Chief of  
Vascular and Endovascular  
Surgery, Director of Baylor  
Medical Center for Aortic Surgery  
Baylor College of Medicine  
Houston, TX

**Construction of the Team and  
the Fistula for Hemodialysis  
Access**

Keith Ozaki, MD, DFSVS  
John A. Mannick Chair of Surgery  
Brigham and Women's Hospital  
Professor of Surgery  
Harvard Medical School  
Boston, MA

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2025**

8:00 AM Welcome & Introductions  
Gautam Agarwal, MD  
GVS President

**8:10 – 10:15AM SESSION IV: GUEST SPEAKER  
PRESENTATIONS**

9:40

Moderator(s):  
Gautam Agarwal, MD &  
Jonathon R. Molnar, MD

10:10

**Panel Discussion** (Audience App  
and Open Mic)

**COFFEE BREAK/VISIT EXHIBITS**

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<b>Sponsored by the Georgia Vascular Foundation</b>		11:40	<b>Larger Than 4 mm Inferior Mesenteric Artery, Greater Than 6 Lumbar Arteries and Anti-Coagulation Are High-Risk Factors for Type 2 Endoleak Needing Intervention After Endovascular Aneurysm Repair</b> Camila Esquetini, MD Research Trainee Mayo Clinic - Jacksonville Jacksonville, FL
11:00 – 11:50AM	<b>SESSION V: RESIDENT &amp; MEDICAL STUDENT AWARD COMPETITION</b> Moderator(s): Jonathan D. Woody, MD & Siddharth A. Patel, MD		
11:00	<b>Socioeconomic Determinants of Peripheral Vascular Disease in Dialysis Patients: A National and State-Level Analysis</b> George Liu, BA Medical Student (MS4) Medical College of Georgia Augusta University Augusta, GA	11:50A – 12:30P	<b>SESSION VI: GVS PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS</b>
		11:50	<b>INTRODUCTION OF PRESIDENT</b> Jonathon R. Molnar, MD President-Elect - Georgia Vascular Society
11:10	<b>Multidisciplinary Approach to Reduce Catheter Use Rates in Hemodialysis Centers</b> Dylan McLaughlin, MD, MSc Vascular Surgery Integrated Residency (PGY5) Division of Vascular Surgery & Endovascular Therapy Emory University School of Medicine Atlanta, GA	12:00	<b>The Past and Present in Vascular Surgery</b> Gautam Agarwal, MD Georgia Vascular Society's 13 <sup>th</sup> President Associate Professor and Chief of Vascular and Endovascular Surgery Medical College of Georgia – Augusta University Augusta, GA
11:20	<b>Pediatric Thoracic Outlet Syndrome: Insights from Two Decades of Surgical Practice</b> Jaoquin Sarmiento, MD Research Trainee Mayo Clinic - Jacksonville Jacksonville, FL	12:30-1:30PM	<b>MEDICAL STUDENT SPEED NETWORKING SESSION</b> Moderator: Andrew J. Soo Hoo, MD
11:30	<b>Use of CavaClear for IVC Filter Retrieval: A Single-Institution Experience</b> Kirsten Baecher, MD Fellow (PGY6) Emory University School of Medicine Division of Vascular Surgery & Endovascular Therapy Atlanta, GA		

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12:30-1:30PM	<b>SESSION VII: LUNCH SYMPOSIUM</b> Moderator: Abdulhameed Aziz, MD & Alykhan Lalani, MD		<b><u>SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2025</u></b>
		7:00 – 8:00 AM	<b>REGISTRATION / BREAKFAST / EXHIBITS</b>
12:45	<b>Aortic Arch Repair with the GORE TAG Thoracic Branch Endoprosthesis</b> Yazan Duwayri, MD, DFSVS Emory University School of Medicine Chief of Vascular Surgery Division of Vascular Surgery & Endovascular Therapy Atlanta, GA	8:00-8:10AM	<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b> Gautam Agarwal, MD
		8:10-10:00AM	<b>SESSION VIII: Guest Speaker Presentations</b> Moderator(s): William D. Jordan, Jr., MD, DFSVS & Jonathon R. Molnar, MD
1:00	<b>Acute Limb Ischemia: Embracing a System-Wide Alert Protocol and an Endovascular-first Approach</b> Charles J. Bailey, MD Medical Director, Emory Limb Preservation Program Division of Vascular Surgery & Endovascular Therapy Emory University School of Medicine Atlanta, GA	8:10	<b>The Future of Aortic Care: Where Do We Go from Here?</b> Gustavo Oderich, MD, DFSVS Michael E. Debakey Distinguished Endowed Chair of Surgery, Professor of Surgery, Chief of Vascular and Endovascular Surgery Director of Baylor Medical Center for Aortic Surgery Baylor College of Medicine Houston, TX
		8:40	Q&A
1:15	<b>Q&amp;A</b>		
1:30	<b>ADJOURNMENT</b>		

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**SESSION VIII: Guest Speaker Presentations  
(continued)**

8:50            **Contemporary Surgical  
Management of Permanent  
Hemodialysis Access  
Complications**  
 Keith Ozaki, MD, DFSVS  
 John A. Mannick Chair of Surgery  
 Brigham and Women's Hospital  
 Professor of Surgery  
 Harvard Medical School  
 Boston, MA

9:20            **Anterior Spine Exposure:  
Optimizing Surgical Access and  
Minimizing Complications**  
 Sharif Ellozy, MD  
 G. Tom Shires Faculty Scholar in  
 Surgery; Associate Professor of  
 Clinical Surgery, Division of  
 Vascular and Endovascular  
 Surgery  
 Program Director, Vascular  
 Surgery Fellowship  
 New York Presbyterian/Weill  
 Cornell Medical College  
 New York, NY

9:50            **PANEL DISCUSSION** (Open Mic  
& Audience App)

10:00           **COFFEE BREAK/VISIT EXHIBITS**

10:30-11:30AM **SESSION IX: GVS MEMBER  
DEBATE**

Moderator(s):  
 Guillermo A. Escobar, MD &  
 Jason R. Chapman, MD

10:30           **Benefits of TCAR are  
Overblown and Data is Not  
Objective, CEA Remains the  
Best**  
 David Hardy, MD  
 South Georgia Vascular Surgery  
 Valdosta, GA

**The Futility of a RCT Comparing  
TCAR to Other Treatments, as  
Supported by Real-World  
Evidence**

Charles J. Bailey, MD  
 Medical Director, Emory Limb  
 Preservation Program  
 Division of Vascular Surgery &  
 Endovascular Therapy  
 Emory University School of  
 Medicine  
 Atlanta, GA

10:50

**There is High Level Evidence  
That Men with AAA's <5.5 cm  
Should NOT Undergo Elective  
Repair: AAA's <6 cm In Men  
Rarely Rupture**

Julie Duke, MD  
 Vascular Surgical Associates  
 Marietta, GA

**Repair of Small AAA (<5.5cm) Is  
a Growing Nationwide Trend,  
Based on Evidence or  
Experience?**

Joseph Tingen, MD  
 Piedmont Augusta  
 Department of Vascular Surgery  
 Augusta, GA

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**PANEL DISCUSSION**

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11:40A- 12:30P	<b>SESSION X: RESIDENT &amp; MEDICAL STUDENT COMPETITION</b> Moderator(s): Katherine Hekman, MD, Ph.D. & Thomas E. Reeve, IV, MD	12:20	<b>Comparative Outcomes for Symptomatic Versus Asymptomatic Carotid Artery Stenosis Interventions: A Five-Year Single Institution Retrospective Analysis</b> Nuverah Mohsin, MD General Surgery Resident (PGY2) Medical College of Georgia Augusta University Augusta, GA
11:40	<b>Benchmarking Vascular Access in Georgia: A Quality Analysis</b> Vishaal Motla, BS Medical Student (MS4) Medical College of Georgia Augusta University Augusta, GA		
			<b>FOUNDATION AWARD PRESENTATIONS</b> <b>Sponsored by the Georgia Vascular Foundation</b>
11:50	<b>Early Experience with Esprit Below the Knee Stents in an Office Based Lab Setting</b> Lorraine Coffinet, MD General Surgery Resident (PGY2) Wellstar Kennestone Regional Medical Center Marietta, GA	12:30 – 12:45PM	<b>SESSION XI</b> J. Mark Rheudasil, MD President, Georgia Vascular Foundation
		12:30	Medical Student Scholarship Presentations  Best Case Report Presentation  Best Poster Presentation  W. Daniel Jordan, MD Medical Student Award for Best Clinical Abstract Presentation  Robert B. Smith, III, MD Resident Award for Best Resident Clinical Abstract Presentation
12:00	<b>National Cost Comparisons of TCAR and CEA</b> Rishab Agarwal, BSBA Medical Student (MS2) Albert Einstein College of Medicine New York, NY		
12:10	<b>Anticoagulation, Recanalization, and Complication Rates After Venous Ablation: An Analysis of the Vascular Quality Initiative Registry</b> Vivek Pisharody, MA, BA Medical Student (MS4) Emory University School of Medicine Atlanta, GA	12:45	<b>ADJOURN</b>  <b>ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING</b>  12:50                      GVS Business Meeting