

MEETING-AT-A-GLANCE

AMERICAN THYROID ASSOCIATION

79TH Annual Meeting of the American Thyroid Association
 Sheraton Chicago Hotel & Towers • Chicago, IL • October 1-5, 2008

TIME	WEDNESDAY 10/1/2008	THURSDAY 10/2/2008	FRIDAY 10/3/2008	SATURDAY 10/4/2008	SUNDAY 10/5/2008		
6:00	Endocrine Fellows' Conference 7:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Registration Open 6:00 AM – 6:00 PM	Registration Open 6:00 AM – 6:00 PM	Registration Open 6:00 AM – 6:00 PM	Registration Open 7:30 AM – 11:30 AM		
7:00		Early Riser Symposium 6:45 AM – 8:00 AM	Early Riser Symposium 6:45 AM – 8:00 AM	Early Riser Symposium 7:00 AM – 8:15 AM	Translational Symposium: <i>Controversies in Histopathologic Analysis and Gene Profiling of Thyroid Cancer</i> 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM		
8:00	Exhibitors Move In 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Welcome & Keynote Address 8:15 AM – 9:00 AM	Paul Starr Lecture 8:15 AM – 9:00 AM	State of the Art Lecture 8:30 AM – 9:15 AM	Break 9:15 AM – 9:30 AM		
9:00	ATA Board of Directors Meeting 7:30 AM – 2:00 PM	Plenary Abstract Session (4) 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Simultaneous Symposia 9:00 AM – 10:15 AM Clinical / Basic	Simultaneous Symposia 9:15 AM – 10:30 AM Clinical / Translational			
10:00		Exhibit Hall Open: 9:00 AM – 3:30 PM	Exhibit Hall Open: 9:00 AM – 3:30 PM	Exhibit Hall Open: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Clinical Symposium: <i>Graves' Hyperthyroidism and Ophthalmopathy</i> 9:30 AM – 10:45 AM		
11:00		Break & Poster Review 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Break & Poster Review 10:15 AM – 10:30 AM	Break & Poster Review 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	79 th Annual Meeting Ends 10:45 AM		
12:00	Registration Open 12:00 PM – 8:30 PM	Highlighted Translational Symposium 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM	Highlighted Symposia 10:45 AM – 12:00 PM Clinical / Basic		ATA Board of Directors Meeting ATA Program Committee Meeting 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM		
1:00	Registration Open 12:00 PM – 8:30 PM	Meet the Professor Workshop Luncheons (8) 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM <i>(Admission by ticket only)</i>	Meet the Professor Workshop Luncheons (8) 12:15 PM – 1:15 PM <i>(Admission by ticket only)</i>	Meet the Professor Workshop Luncheons (8) 11:45 AM – 12:45 PM <i>(Admission by ticket only)</i>			
1:00	Advanced Ultrasound Symposium <i>(Pre-registration and ticket required)</i> 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<i>David Cooper</i> Updated ATA Thyroid Cancer Guidelines <i>Robert Hume</i> Evaluating & Treating Thyroid Disease in Preterm Neonates <i>Susan Mandel</i> Borderline Thyroid Nodules: When to Biopsy <i>Gregory Randolph</i> Managing Complications from Thyroid Surgery	<i>Andrew Fisher</i> Nuclear Restructuring by Oncogenes in Papillary Thyroid Carcinoma <i>Jill Langer</i> Thyroid Ultrasound in Clinical Practice <i>Sandra McLachlan</i> TPO & Autoimmune Thyroiditis <i>Richard Robbins</i> Anaplastic Thyroid Cancer	<i>Albert de la Chapelle</i> Genes in the Predisposition to Papillary Thyroid Cancer <i>Paul Gauger</i> Hemithyroidectomy vs Near-Total Thyroidectomy <i>Arturo Hernandez</i> Role of Dio3 in Brain Development <i>John Morris</i> NIS Medicated Cancer Gene Therapy: Clinical Application	<i>Roberto Negro</i> TBO Ab, Selenium & L-T4 Replacement in Pregnancy <i>Bryan Haugen</i> Imaging, Blood Tests & Clinical Exam in the Follow Up of Low-Risk Thyroid Cancer Patients <i>Jayne Franklyn</i> Graves' Disease: Treatment Options & Controversies <i>Mariusz Szkudlinski</i> rhTSH Analogues	<i>Yves Ambroise</i> High Throughput Screening of Sodium/Iodide Symporter Inhibitors <i>Henrik Fagman</i> Genetic Basis of Frequent Co-Incidence of Cardiac Anomalies with Thyroid Dysgenesis <i>Mark Lupo</i> Finance 101 & the Thyroid: Clinic Setup, Billing & Reimbursement <i>Scott Ribich</i> Oxidative Stress, Insulin Resistance & Dio2 in Brown Adipocyte Differentiation	<i>Daniel Duick</i> Choosing I-131 Doses for Thyroid Cancer <i>Yi-Chi Kang</i> Regulatory T Cell & Autoimmune Thyroiditis <i>Furio Pacini</i> Diagnosis, Evaluation & Treatment of Thyroid Illness: European Union vs North America <i>Allan Siperstein</i> Between the FNA and OR: Preoperative Assessment of a Patient Awaiting Thyroid Cancer Surgery
2:00	ATA Committee & Board Liaisons Meetings 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Oral Abstract (6) Session 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM Clinical / Basic	Ingbar Award Lecture 1:15 PM – 2:00 PM	Short Call Abstract (6) Session 12:45 PM – 2:15 PM			
3:00		Break & Poster Review: 3:00 PM – 3:30 PM	Break & Poster Review: 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Afternoon Break: 2:15 PM – 2:30 PM			
4:00	ICCID Symposium 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM	Historical Vignette 3:30 PM – 4:15 PM	Oral Abstract (4) Session 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM Clinical / Basic	Van Meter Lecture 2:30 PM – 3:15 PM			
5:00	Welcome Remarks & Opening Session 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM	Simultaneous Symposia 4:15 PM – 5:30 PM Arthur Bauman Clinical Symposium / Basic	Simultaneous Symposia 4:00 PM – 5:15 PM Clinical / Translational	Oral Abstract (4) Sessions 3:15 PM – 4:15 PM Clinical / Basic			
7:00	ATA Welcome Reception 7:30 PM – 8:30 PM <i>(Name badge required)</i>	ATA Annual Business Meeting 5:45 PM – 7:00 PM <i>(for ATA Members only)</i>	Women in Thyroidology: 5:15 PM – 6:15 PM	High Impact Clinical Trials: 4:15 PM – 5:00 PM			
		FREE EVENING	ATA Annual Reception & Banquet 7:30 PM – 11:00 PM <i>(Admission by ticket only)</i>	Academy of Clinical Thyroidologists: 7:00 PM			
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