

American Thyroid Association (ATA) National Thyroid Cancer Workshop II  
*Frontiers in Thyroid Cancer: ATA Guidelines in Clinical Practice*

**DRAFT PROGRAM** (11/16/2008)

**Friday, January 23, 2009**

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| 7:00 am – 7: 50 am  | <b>Continental Breakfast</b>  |
| 7:50 am – 8:00 am   | <b>Welcome and ATA Guideline Comments</b><br><i>David S. Cooper</i>   |
| 8:00 am – 8:30 am   | <b>Thyroid Nodules:<br/>Diagnostic and Therapeutic Dilemmas</b><br><i>Hossein Gharib (Q&amp;A at 9:30 am)</i>   |
| 8:30 am – 9:00 am   | <b>Preoperative and Initial Surgical Management of DTC:<br/>Extent of Thyroid and Lymph Node Surgery</b><br><i>Gerard M. Doherty (Q&amp;A at 9:30 am)</i>   |
| 9:00 am – 9:30 am   | <b>Postoperative I-131 Remnant Ablation and Therapy:<br/>Risk and Benefits, I-131 Dosimetry vs. Empiric Therapy</b><br><i>Bryan R. Haugen (Q&amp;A at 9:30 am)</i>  |
| 9:30 am– 10:00 am   | <b>Questions and Answers</b><br><b>Moderator: Susan J. Mandel</b><br><i>Hossein Gharib, Gerard M. Doherty, Bryan R. Haugen</i>  |
| 10:00 am – 10:25 am | <b>BREAK</b> (in the Exhibit Hall)  |
| 10:25 am – 11:00 am | <b>New Paradigms and Problems in the Follow-Up of DTC:<br/>US, Tg and Imaging</b><br><i>Martin Schlumberger</i><br><i>Include audience Q&amp;A</i>  |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 pm | <b>Panel Discussion:<br/>Initial Management of Low and High Risk Tumors</b><br>Session Chair: David S. Cooper<br><i>Gerard M. Doherty, Stephanie L. Lee and Furio Pacini</i><br><i>Include audience Q&amp;A</i>   |
| 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm | <b>BREAK</b><br><i>(Pick up lunch in the exhibit hall)</i>  |
| 12:30 pm – 1:20 pm  | <b>Meet the Professor Luncheons Based on Case Studies</b><br><i>(Ticket required to attend workshops)</i><br><br><b>Susan J. Mandel:</b><br>Neck US for Thyroid Nodules, DTC, and Lymph Node Metastases<br><br><b>Gary L. Francis:</b><br>Pediatric Differentiated and Medullary Thyroid Cancer |

12:30 pm – 1:20 pm	<p><b>Meet the Professor Luncheons Based on Case Studies (cont.)</b>  <i>(Ticket required to attend workshops)</i></p> <p><b><i>R. Michael Tuttle:</i></b>  Management of DTC Distant Metastases</p> <p><b><i>David S. Cooper:</i></b>  TSH Suppression in DTC: Who and How Much?</p> <p><b><i>Stephanie L. Lee:</i></b>  Management of Low Risk DTC Patients</p>
1:20 pm – 1:30 pm	<b>BREAK</b> (transition back to the general session)
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	<p><b>Debate: Which Thyroid Nodules Should Undergo FNA?</b>  Moderator: Richard T. Kloos  <i>Susan J. Mandel and Bryan R. Haugen</i>  Include audience Q&amp;A</p>
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm	<p><b>Debate: Prophylactic Central Neck Dissection in PTC</b>  Moderator: Ernest L. Mazzaferri  <i>Gerard M. Doherty and David L. Steward</i>  Include audience Q&amp;A</p>
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	<b>BREAK</b> (in the Exhibit Hall)
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	<p><b>Debate: Radioiodine Ablation for Low Risk PTC</b>  Moderator: Matthew D. Ringel  <i>Ernest L. Mazzaferri and R. Michael Tuttle</i>  Include audience Q&amp;A</p>
5:00 pm – 5:30 pm	<p><b>DTC Molecular-Based Therapy and Clinical Trials</b>  <i>Steven I. Sherman</i>  Include audience Q&amp;A</p>
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	<p><b>Panel Discussion: Case Management Distant Metastases</b>  Moderator: Steven I. Sherman  <i>Jeffrey F. Moley, Martin Schlumberger and Matthew D. Ringel</i>  Include audience Q&amp;A</p>
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm	<p><b>Questions and Answers Covering the Full Day</b>  Moderator: Bryan R. Haugen  <i>David C. Cooper, Stephanie L. Lee, and David L. Steward</i></p>
7:00 pm	<b>Adjourn</b>

Saturday, January 24, 2009

- 7:00 am – 7:50 am **Continental Breakfast**
- 7:50 am – 8:00 am **Welcome and ATA Guideline Comments**  
*Richard T. Kloos*
- 8:00 am – 8:30 am **Anaplastic Thyroid Cancer**  
*Steven I. Sherman*  
*Include audience Q&A*
- 8:30 am – 9:30 am **Panel Discussion: Observation vs. Resection of Persistent DTC Lymph Node Metastases**  
Session Chair: David L. Steward  
*Jeffrey F. Moley, Martin Schlumberger, Douglas B. Evans and Hossein Gharib*  
*Include audience Q&A*
- 9:30 am – 10:00 am **Special Problems:  
Managing DTC During Pregnancy and in Elderly Patients**  
*Steven I. Sherman*  
*Include audience Q&A*
- 10:00 am – 10:30 am **BREAK** (in the Exhibit Hall)
- 10:30 am – 11:30 am **Panel Discussion:  
High Serum Tg Levels and Negative Whole Body Scans**  
Session Chair: Bryan Haugen  
*David L. Steward, Hossein Gharib and Furio Pacini*  
*Include audience Q&A*
- 11:30 am – 12:00 pm **When to Stop Treating with Radioiodine**  
*R. Michael Tuttle*  
*Include audience Q&A*
- 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm **BREAK**  
*(Pick up lunch in the exhibit hall)*
- 12:30 pm – 1:20 pm **Meet the Professor Luncheons Based on Case Studies**  
*(Ticket required to attend workshops)*
- Matthew D. Ringel:**  
FNA needle washout for Thyroglobulin and Calcitonin
- Gary L. Francis:**  
Pediatric Differentiated and Medullary Thyroid Cancer
- R. Michael Tuttle:**  
Management of DTC Distant Metastases
- David S. Cooper:**  
TSH Suppression in DTC: Who and How Much?

***Stephanie L. Lee:***

Management of Low Risk DTC Patients

1:20 pm – 1:30 pm

**BREAK** (transition back to the general session)

1:30 pm – 2:00 pm

**Management of Thyroglobulin-antibody Positive DTC Patients**

*Ernest L. Mazzaferri*

*Include audience Q&A*

2:00 pm – 2:30 pm

**Prophylactic Surgery for Medullary Thyroid Cancer:  
Timing and Outcome**

*Douglas B. Evans (Q&A at 3:30 pm)*

2:30 pm – 3:00 pm

**Therapeutic Surgery for MTC: Preoperative Evaluation  
of Clinically Apparent Disease and the Extent of Surgery**

*Jeffrey F. Moley (Q&A at 3:30 pm)*

3:00 pm – 3:30 pm

**When to use External Beam Radiation or Chemoembolization in  
DTC or MTC**

*Robert T. Gagel (Q&A at 3:30 pm)*

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

**Questions and Answers**

Moderator: Douglas B. Evans

*Jeffrey F. Moley, Robert T. Gagel*

4:00 pm – 4:30 pm

**BREAK** (in the Exhibit Hall)

4:30 pm – 5:00 pm

**MTC Molecular-Based Therapy and Clinical Trials**

*Samuel A. Wells, Jr*

*Include audience Q&A*

5:00 pm – 5:30 pm

**MEN 2 Associated Pheochromocytoma and Hyperparathyroidism**

*Douglas B. Evans*

*Include audience Q&A*

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm

**Panel Discussion: Case Management of MTC**

Session Chair: Furio Pacini

*Samuel A. Wells, Jr., Robert T. Gagel, and Richard T. Kloos*

*Include audience Q&A*

6:30 pm – 7:00 pm

**Questions and Answers Covering the Full Day**

Moderator: Robert T. Gagel

*Samuel A. Wells, Jr., Furio Pacini, and Richard T. Kloos*

7:00 pm

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