



The
Abdominal
Compartment
Society



8th World Congress of the Abdominal Compartment Society

Embracing the Concept of the Abdominal Compartment as a Functional Whole

June 14 2017 **EASC** precourse



June 15-17 2017
Banff, Canada

Venue: The Banff Centre



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Congress theme: Embracing the Concept of the Abdominal Compartment as a Functional Whole

Scientific Program

The Congress includes formal state-of-the-art presentations as well as practical discussions such as tutorials, pro-con debates, case presentations, “meet the experts”, “how I do it” and “what I learned today” sessions. There will also be paper and poster sessions.

TOPICS

- Abdominal compartment as a functional whole in Critical care, in Surgery and in Obstetrics
- IAH as a continuum
- Overt and Occult Abdominal Compartment Syndromes
- Inflammation and the Peritoneal Cavity: A unique Anatomic Space for Inflammation
- Importance, prevention and management of abnormal IAP in the ICU
- Damage Control surgery and the OA
- Medical Treatment of ACS
- Closure of the Open Abdomen
- Surgical Treatment of IAH/ACS
- Nursing Issues in IAH/ACS
- Acute Intestinal Distress Syndrome
- Abdominal Wall Reconstruction
- Pregnancy and IAH/ACS
- Practical Dilemmas in Abdominal Wall Reconstruction
- The future needs and goals in studying IAH/ACS

SPEAKERS

Dr Michael Rosen, Cleveland, Ohio: Abdominal Wall Reconstruction
Dr Carl J. Hauser, Boston, Massachusetts: Fundamentals of Shock and Resuscitation
Dr Paul Kubes, Calgary, Alberta: Fundamentals of Abdominal Sepsis and Inflammation
Dr Zsolt Balogh, Newcastle, Australia: Trauma surgery and fundamentals of postinjury inflammation and organ failure
Dr Ari Leppaniemi, Helsinki, Finland: Acute Surgery and Surgery of the Abdominal Wall
Dr Michael Sugrue, Donegal, Ireland: Acute Acute Surgery and Abdominal Wall Surgery
Dr Manu Malbrain, Antwerp, Belgium: General Critical Care and a focus on Abdominal Compartment Care
Dr Dianne Sawchuk, Victoria, British Columbia: Abdominal Compartment Physiology and Issues of Maternity
Dr Duncan Nickerson, Calgary, Alberta: Burns and Plastic Surgery of the Abdominal Wall
Dr Chad Ball, Calgary, Alberta: Hepatobiliary, Acute Care and Abdominal Wall Surgery
And Many More...

Abstract submission

Abstracts can be submitted via the website (www.wcacs2017.org) by March 15, 2017 and their receipt will be acknowledged. Confirmation of accepted abstract: April 15, 2017.

Registration

WSACS members can register at a preferential rate. Check our website if your society is endorsing the meeting! www.wcacs2017.org

Location

The WSACS is excited to bring the congress to Banff, Alberta, Canada. Which is a UNESCO World Heritage Site due to its Natural Beauty.

Venue

The Congress will be held in “The Banff Centre”. When you spend time at The Banff Centre, as a conference delegate, you come to understand that there truly is something remarkable about this place. www.banffcentre.ca

Language

English will be the official spoken and written language.

Congress details

The 8th WCACS will be held in June 15 – 17, 2017. Please check the website regularly for all congress details, registration and hotel reservation or contact the organizer Andrea van Gaal. andrea.vangaal@interactiegroep.nl www.wcacs2017.org



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