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Bringing Science to Clinical Practice:
BEST OF ACC 2015

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Bringing Science to Clinical Practice: Best of ACC 2015 features educational and controversial highlights from the 64th Annual Scientific Session (ACC.15) offering a personal and interactive setting to learn about the latest advances in cardiovascular medicine. Meet with a world-class faculty of cardiovascular experts in an intimate setting where together you can examine the latest practice changing and state-of-the-art topics that will affect how you treat your patients.

Dynamic sessions will feature:

• Comprehensive year-in-reviews
• Late-breaking clinical trial information
• Highest scored oral abstract summaries
• Key take-aways from recently released clinical guidelines

This course provides the answers you need in a location that is convenient for you. Plus, register for the Gold Package price and receive additional online education to reinforce your learning!

Part II MOC Session will be provided! A Part II Maintenance of Certification (MOC) session will be provided during the course to assist you in meeting ABIM’s MOC program requirements. You can earn up to 10 MOC point.

TARGET AUDIENCE
This course is intended for all professionals involved in delivering cardiovascular care, with particular emphasis on physicians, nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, physician assistants and nurses.

LEARNER OBJECTIVES
The overall goals of this course are to foster a deeper understanding and comprehension of cardiovascular care, disease prevention and continued quality improvements that support improved patient outcomes as well as scaffold the translation of evidence-based cardiovascular science and interventional concepts and techniques allowing for adaptability into daily clinical practice.

Upon completion of this course, participants should be able to —

• Incorporate current and evolving therapies in the comprehensive assessment, treatment and management of patients with, or at increased risk of, cardiovascular disease
• Evaluate evidence-based cardiovascular science, concepts and techniques for adoption into daily clinical practice
• Identify current and emerging therapy and management plans for patients with cardiovascular disease by considering pathophysiological pathways, guidelines and diagnostic strategies

CREDIT INFORMATION

Physicians
The American College of Cardiology Foundation (ACCF) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The ACCF designates this live activity for a maximum of 12 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nurses
The American College of Cardiology Foundation is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

The ACCF designates this educational activity for a maximum of 10.75 continuing education hours. Requirements for successful completion are attendance in a session in its entirety and completing the evaluation tool.

While offering credits noted above, the course is not intended to provide extensive training or certification in the field.
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AGENDA

FRIDAY, MAY 29

7:30 a.m.  Registration and Breakfast
8:30 a.m.  Welcome and Introduction
8:45 a.m.  Session I: Prevention                  Drs. Kates and Smith
10:15 a.m. Session II: Acute Coronary Syndromes   Drs. de Lemos, Hirsch and Nicolau
11:45 a.m. Keynote Lecture                       Dr. Fuster
12:30 p.m. Lunch
1:00 p.m.  Session III: Maintenance of Certification (Optional)
4:00 p.m.  Session IV: Heart Failure              Drs. Dec, Delgado and Desai
5:30 p.m.  Session V: Vascular Medicine          Drs. Jaff and Parikh
7:00 p.m.  Adjournment

SATURDAY, MAY 30

6:30 a.m.  Optional Sunrise Yoga (Registration is required. Space is limited!)
8:00 a.m.  Breakfast
8:30 a.m.  Session VI: Arrhythmias and Clinical EP Drs. De Paola, Gerstenfeld and Indik
10:00 a.m. Session VII: Valvular Heart Disease     Drs. Barbosa, Bonow and Kodali
11:30 a.m. Course Adjournment

LOCATION

All sessions will be held at:
Eden Roc Miami Beach
4525 Collins Avenue
Miami, FL 33140

ACCOMMODATIONS

To reserve your room at the Eden Roc Miami Beach:
• Online: ACC.org/Miami — Click on “Travel/General Information” tab
• By phone: 855-433-3676. When calling, please identify yourself as a participant in the American College of Cardiology course — Best of ACC 2015.

ROOM RATES

The room rate is $249 plus 13 percent state and local taxes (subject to change) per night. The ACC room block is scheduled to be held until Wednesday, May 16, 2015, but may sell out prior to this date. We advise you to register for the course and reserve your lodging as soon as possible. When you make your reservation, please be sure to ask about early departure fees or cancellation penalties.
MIAMI REGISTRATION

Experience the beautiful beaches of Miami AND get the education you need to improve patient outcomes. As an exciting new feature, this course will be translated in both Spanish and Portuguese!

**NEW for 2015! Choose the Gold Package Registration Option for the Miami Course and receive the following:**

- **Miami Course Registration**
- **Online access to all presentations and cases from the Miami course** via the Best of ACC 2015 Meeting on Demand™ program. This online program gives you the opportunity to share the information you learned with your colleagues, or listen to key lectures again on your own.

With the Gold Package, you get the opportunity to reinforce your learning from the live course in a variety of ways:
- Watch key lectures again at your leisure
- Listen to downloadable MP3 files of the audio presentations while you commute or exercise
- Test yourself with interactive self-assessment questions

Visit [ACC.org/Miami](http://ACC.org/Miami) for additional course tuition and cancellation information.

**Please use ONE of these methods to register:**
- CALL 800-253-4636, ext. 5603
  (Outside United States and Canada: 202-375-6000, ext. 5603)
- VISIT [ACC.org/Miami](http://ACC.org/Miami)

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Proof of licensure required for PA, Tech, RN, CNS and NP (non-CV Team Members); letter from training director needed for Fellow in Training.

*Gold Package includes: This course and corresponding product listed in the gold box above.*