

CCC 2012 Program at a Glance

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2012

9:00 - 12:45	SOCIETY BOARD MEETINGS (lunch provided at hotel, bill covered by societies)					
1:15 - 1:30	OPENING REMARKS					
1:30 - 3:00	S1: OPENING KEYNOTE: Massage Techniques for Pain Relief and Self-Care, Susan Thomasson					Moderator: Jesse Frank
3:00 - 3:15	BREAK					
3:15 - 4:15	HEMATOLOGY	MICROBIOLOGY	CHEMISTRY	BLOOD BANK	MANAGEMENT	PHLEBOTOMY/EDUCATION
	S2: Antiphospholipid Syndrome and Lupus Anticoagulant: A Case-Based Presentation on Lab Testing Procedures Paul Riley, Ph.D. (Stago)	S3: Effectively Culturing Anaerobes and Microaerophilic Bacteria Kenneth Russell (Advanced Instruments, Inc)	S4: Translational Pharmacogenomics and Proteomics for Personalized Medicine Steven Wong, Ph.D.	S5: Hot Topics in Transfusion Medicine	S6: Putting "the hiring process" under the microscope. Insights into the laboratory job market and tips for job seekers and employers Jon Harol (Lighthouse Recruiting)	S7: Phlebotomy: Tips from the Trenches Susan Thomasson
Moderator						
4:15 - 4:30	BREAK					
4:30 - 5:30	S8: Hot Topics in Hematology	S9: Bringing Molecular Technology to the Microbiology Laboratory Cathy Neumann (Cepheid)	S10: Should "Bad" and "Good" Cholesterol Remain Our Clinical Focus James D. Otvos, Ph.D. (LipoScience)	S11: Interactive Immunohematology Case Studies Donna Diken & Magda Anderson (American Red Cross)	S12: Issues Facing Medical Lab Professionals Lisa Anderson (InfoLab)	S13: WSSU Student Research Presentations Andy Meixner
	Moderator					
5:45 - 9:00	VENDOR APPRECIATION RECEPTION WITH COMPLIMENTARY DINNER/ Heavy Hors D'oeuvres AWARDS CEREMONY WILL BE CONDUCTED AT 5:45 DJ will begin music at 7pm, Exhibits will close at 730pm					

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 2012

8:30 - 9:30	S14: Spurious Results and Abnormal Results in Hematology: how to tell the difference and what to do about it Jeri Walters (Sysmex)	S15: Basic Theory and Clinical Applications of Flow Cytometry Susie Orton, Ph.D. (NCSCLS)	S16: Hot Topics in Chemistry	S17: Does your ABO blood group affect your health? A discussion of blood groups and disease associations Tara Moon	S18: Medicare Fraud and Abuse Jerry Johnson	S19: Point-of-Care Testing – Is it really a lab test? Dawn Smith (Laboratory Instrumentation)
	Moderator	Becky Tauber	Brenda Hamm	Jamie Blankenship	Judy Smith	Chrysta McDuffie
9:30 - 10:15	BREAK WITH VENDORS IN EXHIBIT HALL: COFFEE PROVIDED					
10:15 - 12:00	S20: THURSDAY KEYNOTE: Fearless Fluids, Jeri Walters (Sysmex)					Moderator: Lisa Anderson
12:00 - 1:30	LUNCH: SOCIETY BUSINESS MEETINGS, BLOOD DRIVE 1:00-5:30 pm					
1:30 - 2:30	S21: Companion Diagnostics in Oncology John Longshore, Ph.D.	S22: Hot Topics in Microbiology	S23: Sepsis & Procalcitonin: Early Detection and Improving Standard of Care. Review of Current Literature Stephen Barnes (bioMerieux)	S24: Transfusion Reactions: How Hemovigilance Guidelines Can Help You Marian V. Fortmann	S25: Slaying Healthcare Challenges with Strategic Planning Connie Bishop	S26: Do One, See One: Education for the Counterintuitive and Creative Chris Parker & Rebecca Tauber
	Moderator				Jesse Frank	
2:30 - 3:30	BREAK WITH VENDORS IN EXHIBIT HALL: DESSERT AND COFFEE PROVIDED					
3:30 - 4:30	S27: Back to Basics: Revisiting Quality Assurance in the Hematology Laboratory Patty Conley (Beckman Coulter)	S28: Microbiology Case Reports Robert L. Sautter, Ph.D.	S29: Breathe Again: A Survival Guide to Blood Gas Theory Chris Parker	S30: Antibody Testing Methods: Is There a "Gold Standard"? Marian V. Fortmann	S31: Hot Topics in Management	S32: Preparing for Certification Exams Susan Orton, Ph.D. (NCSCLS)
	Moderator	Brenda Hamm	Jamie Blankenship			
4:30 - 6:00	NCSCLS STUDENT BOWL					

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 2012

8:30 - 9:30	S33: So What Do You Know About Blood?: A review of basic hematology Deborah Brock (Tri-County Technical College)	S34: Hot Topics in Molecular Diagnostics	S35: Fetal Lung Maturity Testing: Current Challenges and Considerations David Grenache, Ph.D. (ARUP)	S36: Immunosuppression in Solid Organ Transplants: Clinical and Analytical Aspects Susan Maynard, Ph.D.	S37: Leadership Principles Ritu Ward	S38: Hot Topics in Education
	Moderator	Andy Meixner				
9:30 - 9:45	BREAK					
9:45 - 10:45	S39: The Lamellar Body Count: How to Develop, Validate, and Introduce It Into Your Laboratory David Grenache, Ph.D. (ARUP)	S40: The Path to State Licensure Jesse Frank	S41: The Future of Multiple Myeloma Diagnostics: Complete Automation Using Freelite® and Hevlyte™ K. H. van Hoeven, MD (Binding Site)	S42: Blood Bank Review DeLayne Baird	S43: Growing a "Culture" of Excellent Customer Service Amy Thomas	S44: Hot Topics in Phlebotomy
	Moderator					
10:45 - 11:00	BREAK					
11:00 - 12:30	S45: CLOSING KEYNOTE: Obesity and Body Weight Regulation Andrew Swick Ph.D. (NCRC)					Moderator: Lisa Anderson
12:45 - 2:45	CCC 2013 STEERING MEETING					