



American Heart Association®

Vascular Discovery: From Genes to Medicine

Wednesday, September 22, 2021

TIME (all times are CDT)	EVENT
8:30 to 8:45 AM	Conference Preview, Coffee with the Chairs <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Lars Maegdefessel, MD, PhD, Technical University Munich, Munich, Germany</i>• <i>Katey Rayner, PhD, University of Ottawa Heart Institute, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada</i>
8:45 to 9:00 AM	Conference Opening Welcome
9:00 to 10:20 AM	Plenary Session I: Vascular Complications of COVID-19 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9:00 – Innate and Adaptive Immune Regulation of Thrombosis in COVID-19, <i>Yogen Kanthi, MD, NIH/NHLBI, Bethesda, Maryland</i>• 9:20 – Title TBD, <i>Anna Randi, MD, PhD, National Heart and Lung Institute, Imperial College, London, United Kingdom</i>• 9:40 – Title TBD, <i>Clyde W. Yancy, MD, MSc, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, Chicago, Illinois</i>• 10:00 – Post-session Discussion/Q&A
10:20 to 10:30 AM	Break + Exhibits
10:30 to 11:50 AM	Concurrent Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 A: Highlights from the <i>ATVB</i> Journal• 1 B: Oral Abstract Presentations TBA• 1 C: Oral Abstract Presentations TBA
11:50 AM to 12:00 PM	Break + Exhibits
12:00 to 1:00 PM	Mentor of Women Award and Featured Presentation
1:00 to 2:00 PM	Moderated Poster Sessions and ePoster Viewing
2:00 to 3:00 PM	Early Career Training Session
3:00 to 4:00 PM	Networking, Award Presentations and Recognition, Industry Events



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9:00 to 10:20 AM	<p>Plenary Session II: Novel Concepts of Atherosclerosis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9:00 – Clonal Hematopoiesis and Cardiovascular Disease, <i>Benjamin L. Ebert, MD, PhD, Harvard Medical School, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, Massachusetts</i>• 9:20 – Genetic Discovery in Trans-ethnic Cohorts for Blood Lipid Levels and Implications for Polygenic Score Development: From the Global Lipids Genetics Consortium, <i>Cristen Willer, PhD, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Michigan</i>• 9:40 – A Translational Brake on Cholesterol Efflux and Efferocytosis Drives Atherosclerotic Progression, <i>Ebru Erbay, MD, PhD, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, California</i>• 10:00 – Post-session Discussion/Q&A
10:20 to 10:30 AM	Break + Exhibits
10:30 to 11:50 AM	<p>Concurrent Sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 A: Brinkhous Prize Competition• 2 B: Page Award Competition• 2 C: Oral Abstract Presentations TBA
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Friday, September 24, 2021

TIME (all times are CDT)	EVENT
9:00 to 10:20 AM	Plenary Session III: Invited Lecture Series <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9:00 – Hoeg Award Lecture - TBA• 9:20 – Distinguished Lecture – <i>Marlene Rabinovitch, MD, Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, California</i>• 9:40 – Keynote Lecture – TBA• 10:00 – Post-session Discussion/Q&A
10:20 to 10:30 AM	Break + Exhibits
10:30 to 11:50 AM	Concurrent Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3 A: Oral Abstract Presentations TBA• 3 B: Oral Abstract Presentations TBA• 3 C: Oral Abstract Presentations TBA
11:50 AM to 12:00 PM	Break + Exhibits
12:00 to 1:00 PM	Next Generation Technology Bootcamp
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