Council on Hypertension 2016
Scientific Sessions
Preliminary Program
Call For Abstracts
Sept. 14–17, 2016 | Dolphin Hotel | Lake Buena Vista, Florida

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Target Audience

The conference is designed to benefit research scientists and other healthcare professionals in the fields of hypertension research, cardiology, nephrology, endocrinology and related disciplines.

Who Attends

- Approximately 80 percent of attendees are physicians or research scientists.
- Approximately 25 percent of attendees are international, from 20 different countries.
- Specialties include physiology, hypertension, cardiology, nephrology, pharmacology, research, molecular biology and many others.

Continuing Medical Education Accreditation — Physicians

The American Heart Association is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Disclosure

All faculty participating in CME/CE activities sponsored by the American Heart Association will disclose to the audience (1) significant financial relationships with the manufacture(s) of products from the commercial supporter(s) and/or the manufacturer(s) of products or devices discussed in their presentation; and (2) unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs or devices discussed in their presentation. Such disclosures will be made in writing in course presentation materials.

Venue

Council on Hypertension 2016 Scientific Sessions will be held at the Dolphin Hotel in Lake Buena Vista, Florida. Deluxe accommodations inspired by Florida itself, Walt Disney World Dolphin Hotel juxtaposes modern architectural silhouettes with Renaissance flourishes, most notably the twin stylized dolphin statues that grace its rooftop. A tropical palette of aqua and coral, elaborate fountains, towering palm trees, grassy expanses and white sands on the shore of Crescent Lake render the hotel as idyllic as it is striking. See more information at https://disneyworld.disney.go.com/resorts/dolphin-hotel.

Rooms for conference participants are available at special rates of $205 per night (plus taxes) and will be available on a first come, first serve basis until they are filled or until Monday, August 15, 2016. Information about lodging rates and reservations is available on the conference Web site at my.americanheart.org/hypertensionsessions.

Register online at my.americanheart.org
Call for Abstracts

Submit your abstract to the premier conference on recent advances in basic and clinical hypertension research. With experts in the fields of hypertension and its relationship to cardiac and kidney disease, stroke, obesity, and genetics, attendees will have the opportunity to connect with cross-disciplinary researchers from around the world. This meeting also includes several interactive sessions specifically designed to benefit trainees and early career investigators, including a trainee poster session to highlight innovative research and how-to sessions that provide in-depth information about a range of topics related to the study of hypertension. Visit the conference website for more information, and we’ll see you in Florida!

Research investigators, physicians and other health scientists are invited to submit abstracts on the latest developments in research concerning hypertension, stroke, kidney function, obesity and genetics. Accepted abstracts will be selected for oral or poster presentation.

The deadline for electronic submission of abstracts is Wednesday, June 8, 2016 by 11:59 PM Central Time. To submit your abstract, please visit the conference Web site at my.americanheart.org/hypertensionsessions. Please note that you will be charged a processing fee of $50 for each abstract you submit.

Embargo Guidelines

Abstracts, lectures and presentations at the Council on Hypertension 2016 Scientific Sessions are embargoed for release at the time of presentation. Information may not be released before the scheduled presentation time.

Abstract Information

Abstracts are selected on the basis of scientific merit and must include data (absolute values) in detail sufficient to support conclusions. Abstracts that do not contain data (absolute values) will not be considered for review. For full submission guidelines, please see the conference website at my.americanheart.org/hypertensionsessions. Accepted acceptance notification will be sent by late July. Accepted abstracts will be published online in the November edition of the Hypertension Journal.

Abstract Categories

- Aldosterone, Its Receptors and Other Hormones
- Angiotensin Action and Signaling
- Blood Pressure Monitoring
- Cardiac Hypertrophy and Dysfunction
- Cardiovascular-Renal Interactions
- Cerebrovascular Disease and Stroke
- Chronic Kidney Disease
- Clinical Hypertension
- Diabetes
- Epidemiology
- Developmental Programming of Cardiovascular Disease
- Gender Differences and Sex Hormones
- Genetics and Epigenetics
- Inflammation, Immunity and Cytokines
- Neurogenic Mechanisms
- Nitric Oxide, Endothelin, and Other Endothelial Factors
- Novel Therapeutic Approaches, Clinical Studies and Trials
- Nutrition and Hypertension
- Obesity, Insulin Resistance and Metabolic Syndrome
- Other
- Oxidative Stress
- Pregnancy and Preeclampsia
- Proteomics and Metabolomics
- Receptors and Signal Transduction
- Renal Hemodynamics & Renovascular Hypertension
- Renal Tubular Transport
- Renin-Angiotensin System
- Salt and Hypertension
- Vascular Biology
- Vascular Remodeling and Dysfunction
- Vascular Stiffness
Conference Awards

Lifetime Achievement Awards, Career Achievement Awards and Council Lectures

The Council on Hypertension and the Council on Kidney in Cardiovascular Disease are accepting nominations for several prestigious council awards and honorary lectures that will be presented at Hypertension 2016. Nomination and application deadlines for the following awards will be Wednesday, June 8, 2016, at 5:00 PM Central Time. Details regarding these awards can be found at the conference website (my.americanheart.org/hypertensionsessions).

- Excellence Award for Hypertension Research, sponsored by Novartis
- Irvine Page and Alva Bradley Lifetime Achievement Award
- Harriet Dustan Award
- Arthur C. Corcoran Memorial Lecture
- Lewis K. Dahl Memorial Lecture
- Donald Seldin Lecture, sponsored by the Council on the Kidney in Cardiovascular Disease
- The Harry Goldblatt New Investigator Award
- Mid – Career Award for Research Excellence

Early Career Investigator Awards and Travel Grants

Submission of an abstract to Hypertension 2016 Scientific Sessions is required for the following awards and travel grant programs. Abstracts and application materials are submitted through the abstract submission portal and must be uploaded by Wednesday, June 8, 2016 at 11:59 PM Central Time.

- Annual High Blood Pressure Research Scientific Sessions New Investigator Award
  Sponsored by the Council on Hypertension
- Kidney Council New Investigator Travel Award
  Sponsored by the Council on Kidney in Cardiovascular Disease
- New Investigator Travel Award
  Sponsored by the Trainee Advocacy Committee of the Council on Hypertension

AHA membership is required of all applicants for the early career investigator awards and travel grants. We suggest that applicants join or renew AHA membership no later than May 1 for the membership number to be processed in time for the award application deadline.

Become an AHA/ASA Professional Member and save up to $300 off registration. (Promo code DGJ022ZZ)
Conference Highlights

Various special events and lectures will take place at the conference. For more information, visit the conference website at my.americanheart.org/hypertensionsessions.

• The conference begins at 8:00 AM Wednesday, Sept. 14 with opening remarks and a special full day session highlighting recent advances in hypertension.

• Poster Session with Reception

• Annual Business Meeting and Awards Luncheon

• The Donald Seldin Lecture

• Arthur C. Corcoran Memorial Lecture

• Oral Award Session, including the Harry Goldblatt New Investigator Award winner, Mid-Career Awardee, Australian Council Young Investigator Award and the British Hypertension Society Young Investigator Awardee

• The Lewis K. Dahl Memorial Lecture

• The Harriet Dustan Lecture

• COH Trainee Advisory Committee and International Society of Hypertension New Investigator Committee Top Trainee abstracts oral presentation session

Registration

Register early and become a member for the best rates! Registration opens Wednesday, April 27, 2016. The conference registration site can be accessed through the conference website at my.americanheart.org/hypertensionsessions for registration and housing information.

Key registration dates

• Registration opens Wednesday, April 27, 2016.

• Early registration closes on July 13, 2016.

• Deadline for advanced registration is Wednesday, Aug. 11, 2016.
Hypertension 2016 Scientific Sessions
Program Committee Leadership

Joey Granger, PhD, FAHA
Program Chair, Council on Hypertension Scientific Sessions
Billy S. Guyton Distinguished Professor
Professor of Physiology and Medicine
Director, Center for Excellence in Cardiovascular-Renal Research
University of Mississippi Medical Center

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Questions and Information

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