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Multispecialty
endovascular faculty

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symposium

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workshops

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OCTOBER 9-11, 2014

The Westin Kierland Resort and Spa | Scottsdale, Ariz.

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HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

- Video case presentations and interactive discussion
- State-of-the-art data and technical insights
- Latest equipment and techniques to test-drive
- Practice development master class workshop
- Exclusive content—only available through SIR

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This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials and Standards of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME). The Society of Interventional Radiology (SIR) is accredited by the ACCME to provide medical education for physicians.

SIR designates this live activity for a maximum of **14.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.



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WHY ATTEND?

Building on the proven case-based model, LEARN delivers technical insights and state-of-the-art data to keep interventional radiologists current in the increasingly dense and competitive PAD marketplace. **LEARN provides highly specialized training in an intimate and interactive setting that IRs will not find anywhere else.**

- **NEW—A special symposium on renal denervation** to educate attendees on the status of this exciting, evolving field. Also, a panel of experienced **multispecialty endovascular faculty** will weigh in on the various methods to accomplish a successful intervention, ranging from basic to very complex scenarios.
- **Learn the most current techniques** in peripheral intervention, **including drug-eluting balloons and stents.**
- **Review the overall management of the PAD patient**—from diagnosis through treatment and follow-up, including an examination of claudication and critical limb ischemia (CLI).
- **Dedicated hands-on workshops** where attendees can “test-drive” the latest devices with instruction from experienced endovascular specialists. Simulators will also be available for fine-tuning skills.
- **Small-group, breakout sessions** focused on specific topics provide an intimate setting for faculty-attendee interaction, a LEARN trademark.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

LEARN is designed for physicians with an interest in or previous training and experience in the fundamentals of vascular medicine, endovascular therapy and clinical management of lower-extremity PAD who seek to upgrade their knowledge and skill base. LEARN offers state-of-the-art data to keep interventional radiologists, at *any stage in their career*, current and competitive in the PAD marketplace. LEARN provides highly specialized training in an intimate and interactive setting that you won't find anywhere else! This course may also be of interest to vascular medicine physicians, vascular surgeons and interventional cardiologists.

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PROGRAM

**Subject to change*

DAY 1 THURSDAY, OCT. 9, 2014

SESSION 1 CHRONIC TOTAL OCCLUSION (CTO)

MODERATOR: Robert A. Lookstein, MD, FSIR

8 a.m.	Welcome	
8:05 a.m.	Case 1: Iliac CTO in Claudication	Parag J. Patel, MD
8:30 a.m.	Case 2: SFA CTO	James F. Benenati, MD, FSIR
9 a.m.	Case 3: Below-the-knee (BTK) CTO	Michael J. Miller, MD
9:30 a.m.	Panel Discussion	
9:45 a.m.	Break and Visit Exhibits	

SESSION 1 CHRONIC TOTAL OCCLUSIONS, *Continued*

MODERATOR: Bret N. Wiechmann, MD, FSIR

10:15 a.m.	Device Overview: What's New Out There?	Rahul S. Patel, MD
10:30 a.m.	Current Status/Trial Data	Geogy Vatakencherry, MD
10:45 a.m.	Case 4: Just Do It: Alternative Access	Robert A. Lookstein, MD, FSIR
11:15 a.m.	Case 5: This Way and That: Retrograde Approaches	Bret N. Wiechmann, MD, FSIR
11:45 a.m.	Panel Discussion	
12 noon	Lunch and Visit Exhibits	

SESSION 2 M&M/PRACTICE DEVELOPMENT

MODERATOR: James F. Benenati, MD, FSIR

1 p.m.	Radial Access for Lower-extremity Intervention	Rahul S. Patel, MD
1:30 p.m.	M&M Case	Andrew S. Blum, MD, FSIR
2 p.m.	Practice Development: The Basics	Romi Chopra, MD
2:15 p.m.	Practice Development: Elevate Your Game	Geogy Vatakencherry, MD
2:30 p.m.	Panel Discussion	
2:45 p.m.	Break and Visit Exhibits	
3-4:30 p.m.	WORKSHOPS	

These workshops, led by expert faculty, will feature hands-on testing of the latest generation of guidewires, balloons and stents. Advanced engineering techniques by our industry supporters have produced lower profile, more deliverable systems that enable interventionalists to more effectively treat the most challenging patients and lesions. Evaluate the currently available atherectomy systems in dedicated flow models to gain insight into how these devices feel and how they can add to procedural success.

Concurrent Workshops (*attendees choose one to attend*):

1. **Angioplasty Balloons and Stents**
2. **Atherectomy Devices**
3. **Guidewires**

4:30-6 p.m. **Networking Reception**

DAY 2

FRIDAY, OCT. 10, 2014

SESSION 3 ATHERECTOMY

	MODERATOR:	Bret N. Wiechmann, MD, FSIR
8 a.m.	Case 1: Atherectomy in Femoropopliteal Disease	Andrew S. Blum, MD, FSIR
8:30 a.m.	Case 2: Atherectomy in Multisegment Disease	Romi Chopra, MD
9 a.m.	Case 3: BTK Atherectomy in Critical Limb Ischemia (CLI)	Richard R. Saxon, MD, FSIR
9:30 a.m.	Panel Discussion	
9:45 a.m.	Break and Visit Exhibits	

SESSION 3 ATHERECTOMY, Continued

	MODERATOR:	Jafar Golzarian, MD, FSIR
10:15 a.m.	Overview of Atherectomy Technology	Parag J. Patel, MD
10:30 a.m.	Update on Atherectomy Clinical Data	Andrew Misselt, MD
10:45 a.m.	Case 4: In-stent Restenosis: Now What?	Richard R. Saxon, MD, FSIR
11:15 a.m.	Case 5: Common Femoral Artery (CFA): Best Place for Atherectomy?	Andrew Misselt, MD
11:45 a.m.	Panel Discussion	
12 noon	Lunch and Visit Exhibits	

SESSION 4 EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES IN PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL INTERVENTION

	MODERATOR:	Michael J. Miller, MD
1 p.m.	Tech Update: What Works and Where?	Michael J. Miller, MD
1:15 p.m.	When the Best Intervention May Be Medical	Daniella Kadian-Dodov, MD
1:30 p.m.	DES/DCB in Femoropopliteal Disease	Sanjay Misra, MD, FSIR
2 p.m.	DES/DCB for Infrapopliteal Disease/CLI	Robert A. Lookstein, MD, FSIR
2:30 p.m.	Panel Discussion	
2:45 p.m.	Break and Visit Exhibits	
3-4:30 p.m.	WORKSHOPS	

These workshops, led by expert faculty, will focus on crossing and alternative access techniques as well as a crash course on practice development. Test-drive the CTO devices that are a necessary part of the standard endovascular toolbox. Hear from experts how use of advanced access techniques can be employed as not only a bailout but also a primary maneuver to simplify a difficult case. Practice development is important; is something missing in your practice? A faculty panel shares its thoughts on what has worked for them. Prepare to go further!

Concurrent Workshops (*attendees choose one to attend*):

1. **CTO Devices**
2. **Alternative Access (Radial, Pedal, Popliteal) and Closure**
3. **Practice Development: Masterclass**

DAY 3 SATURDAY, OCT. 11, 2014

SESSION 5 RENAL DENERVATION

MODERATOR: Rob Lookstein, MD FSIR

8 a.m.	<i>What Is Resistant Hypertension?</i>	Daniella Kadian-Dodov, MD
8:15 a.m.	<i>State of the Science/Other Applications</i>	Sanjay Misra, MD, FSIR
8:30 a.m.	<i>Case 1: Renal Denervation (RDN)</i>	J. Fritz Angle MD, FSIR
9 a.m.	<i>Case 2: RDN</i>	Robert A. Lookstein MD, FSIR
9:30 a.m.	Panel Discussion	
9:45 a.m.	Break	

SESSION 6: FINAL COUNTDOWN/CHALLENGING PAD CASES

MODERATOR: Sanjay Misra, MD, FSIR

10 a.m.	<i>Challenging Case 1: Acute Limb Ischemia</i>	James F. Benenati , MD, FSIR
10:30 a.m.	<i>Challenging Case 2: Failing Bypass: Fix the Bypass or the Native</i>	Sanjay Misra, MD, FSIR
11 a.m.	<i>Challenging Case 3: Buttock Claudication and Erectile Dysfunction (ED)</i>	Bret N. Wiechmann, MD, FSIR
11:30 a.m.	Panel Discussion	
11:45 a.m.	2014 LEARN Meeting Adjourns	

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Nonmember	\$1,795	\$1,995

HOTEL INFORMATION

The Westin Kierland Resort and Spa
6902 E Greenway Pkwy, Scottsdale, Ariz.

For hotel reservations, please call (800) 354-5892 and reference the *SIR 2014 LEARN Meeting* to reserve a room at the discounted meeting rate of \$259 per night. The hotel reservation deadline is **Sept. 5, 2014**. Reserve now to ensure your hotel stay!



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