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## 2018 Arrhythmia Symposium at the Cedars-Sinai Smidt Heart Institute

**NEW SPECIAL ALLIED HEALTH BREAKOUT SESSION**

**FRIDAY, DEC. 7, 2018**

### CONFERENCE LOCATION

Cedars-Sinai Medical Center  
Harvey Morse Conference Center  
8700 Gracie Allen Dr.  
Los Angeles, CA 90048

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Residents and Cardiology/Electrophysiology  
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The symposium will cover a broad range of topics focused on management of heart rhythm disorders, including exercise and arrhythmias, screening for silent atrial fibrillation and patient selection for catheter ablation of atrial fibrillation, as well as overlap of arrhythmias with heart failure, lung disease and adult congenital heart disease. Other topics include the biological pacemaker, lead extractions and ablation of ventricular tachycardia.

This year's program will feature a concurrent afternoon breakout session for allied healthcare professionals interested in enhancing their knowledge of anticoagulation issues in the EP lab, patient education and follow-up of EP lab patients, remote monitoring of electrical devices and the role of the genetic counselor in the arrhythmia clinic.

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# AGENDA

- 7:15-8:00 A.M.     Registration/Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00-8:10             Introduction and Welcome**  
*Sumeet Chugh, MD*
- 8:10-8:40             Exercise in Patients with Arrhythmias: Refrain or Go for It?**  
Speaker: *Mark Link, MD*  
Chair: *Jeffrey Goodman, MD*
- 8:40-9:10             Screening for Silent Atrial Fibrillation: The Apple Heart Study**  
Speaker: *Marco Perez, MD*  
Chair: *Raj Khandwalla, MD*
- 9:10-9:40             Catheter Ablation for Atrial Fibrillation in 2018:  
CABANA for Clinicians**  
Speaker: *Greg Michaud, MD*  
Chair: *Michael Shehata, MD*
- 9:40-10:00           Break**
- 10:00-10:30           Treatment of AF with Concomitant HF: Ablate or Medicate?**  
Speaker: *Jonathan P. Piccini, MD, MHS*  
Chair: *Arshia Noori, MD*
- 10.30-11.00           Treatment of Post-traumatic Stress in Patients  
with Implantable Defibrillators**  
Speaker: *Samuel F. Sears, PhD*  
Chair: *Donna Gallik, MD*
- 11:00-11:30           Lung Disease and Arrhythmias: Is There a Connection?**  
Speaker: *Tomas Konecny, MD, PhD*  
Chair: *Olga Voroshilovsky, MD*
- 11:30-1:00 P.M.     Lunch**
- 1:00-1:30             Managing Arrhythmias in Adult Congenital Heart Disease**  
Speaker: *Anne M. Dubin, MD*  
Chair: *Sumeet Chugh, MD*

## **ALLIED HEALTH BREAKOUT SESSION (1:30-3:00 P.M.)**

Chairs: *Erica Zado, PA-C and Stanley J. Conte, MSN, RN, PHN, RCIS*

- 1:30-2:00             Anticoagulation Issues in the Electrophysiology Laboratory**  
Speaker: *Erica Zado, PA-C*
- 2:00-2:20             Patient Education and Follow-up of the EP Lab Patient**  
Speakers: *Sabina Hadziabdelahovic, MSN, NP-BC*  
*and Mary Leier, MSN, NP-BC*



2:20-2:40

**Remote Monitoring of Electrical Devices**

Speakers: *Hyun Joo Lee, MBA, RN* and *Derek Boardman, RN*

2:40-3:00

**Genetics of Arrhythmia and Role of the Genetic Counselor**

Speaker: *Daria Ma, MS, LCGC*

1:30-2:00

**Postural Tachycardia Syndrome: Pearls for the Clinician**

Speaker: *Satish Raj, MD*

Chair: *David Cannom, MD*

2:00-2:30

**Lead Extractions: When to Do Them and When to Avoid Them**

Speaker: *Raymond Schaerf, MD*

Chair: *Ashkan Ehdaie, MD*

2:30-3:00

**Leadless Pacemakers**

Speaker: *Michael Shehata, MD*

Chair: *Charles Swerdlow, MD*

3:00-3:30

**Break**

3:30-4:00

**The Biological Pacemaker: From Concept to Clinical Reality**

Speaker: *Eugenio Cingolani, MD*

Chair: *Eli Gang, MD*

4:00-4:30

**Approach to the Patient with Polymorphic Ventricular Tachycardia:  
Differential Diagnosis and Therapy**

Speaker: *Samuel Viskin, MD*

Chair: *Sumeet Chugh, MD*

4:30-5:00

**Ablation of Ventricular Tachycardia with Structurally Normal Heart**

Speaker: *Ashkan Ehdaie, MD*

Chair: *Xunzhang Wang, MD*

5:00 P.M.

**Meeting Adjourns**

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