

Program Schedule

2025 Arizona United Rheumatology Alliance Annual Meeting

May 30 – June 1, 2025

Enchantment Resort

Sedona, Arizona

REGISTER NOW!

Program Chair: Joy Schechtman, DO

All times are in Pacific Time (US and Canada), which is also Mountain Standard Time

FRIDAY, MAY 30, 2025

5:00 PM-8:30 PM **Registration/Information Desk Open**
Location: Anasazi Foyer

7:00 PM-8:30 PM **Welcome Reception with Exhibitors**
Location: Anasazi Ballroom

SATURDAY, MAY 31, 2025**6:30 AM-1:00 PM Registration/Information Desk Open**

Location: Anasazi Foyer

7:00 AM-7:15 AM Welcome and Opening Remarks

Location: Agave Ballroom

*President:***Joy Schechtman, DO**

SunValley Arthritis Center Ltd.

Peoria, AZ

7:15 AM-8:00 AM Sjogren's New Guidelines and New Therapies

Location: Agave Ballroom

*Speaker:***R. Hal Scofield, MD**

Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation

Oklahoma City, OK

7:30 AM-10:30 AM Exhibit Hall Open

Location: Anasazi Ballroom

8:00 AM-9:00 AM Industry Satellite Symposium Breakfast*

Location: Ocotillo Ballroom

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9:00 AM-9:45 AM Fighting Fire with Fire: CAR-T cells and Bispecific Antibody Therapies for Rheumatic Diseases

Location: Agave Ballroom

*Speaker:***Maximilian F. Konig, MD**

Johns Hopkins School of Medicine

Baltimore, MD

9:45 AM-10:15 AM Break in the Exhibit Hall

Location: Anasazi Ballroom

10:15 AM-11:00 AM

Healthcare in the age of AI

Location: Agave Ballroom

*Speaker:***Anum Rehman**

11:00 AM-11:45 AM

But I'm a Rheumatologist! Reproductive Health Pearls for Your Clinical Practice

Location: Agave Ballroom

*Speaker:***Cuoghi Edens, MD**

Comer Children's Hospital

Chicago, IL

11:45 AM-12:15 PM

Fellow Case Presentations

Location: Agave Ballroom

*Presenters:***Nouran Eshak**

Mayo Clinic Arizona

Scottsdale, AZ

Julio Rojas, MD

Northwest Medical Center

Tucson, AZ

12:15 PM-1:15 PM

Industry Satellite Symposium Lunch*

Location: Ocotillo Ballroom

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6:00 PM-7:30 PM

Annual Dinner

Location: Agave Ballroom

SUNDAY, JUNE 1, 2025

6:30 AM-12:00 PM **Registration/Information Desk Open**
Location: Anasazi Foyer

7:00 AM-7:15 AM **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Location: Agave Ballroom
President:
Joy Schechtman, DO
SunValley Arthritis Center Ltd.
Peoria, AZ

7:15 AM-8:00 AM **Ocular Manifestations of Immune-Mediated Inflammatory Diseases**
Location: Agave Ballroom
Speaker:
John C. Affeldt, MD
Loma Linda University
Loma Linda, CA

7:30 AM-10:30 AM **Exhibit Hall Open**
Location: Anasazi Ballroom

8:00 AM-9:00 AM **Industry Satellite Symposium Breakfast***
Location: Ocotillo Ballroom
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9:00 AM-9:45 AM **“Buy & Bill” and MIPS: Is there a place for both?**
Location: Agave Ballroom
Speaker:
Jean Acevedo, LHRM, CPC, CHC, CENTC, AAPC Fellow
Acevedo Consulting Inc.
Delray Beach, FL

9:45 AM-10:15 AM **Break in the Exhibit Hall**
Location: Anasazi Ballroom

10:15 AM-11:00 AM

APS: Controversies on Criteria and Guidelines

Location: Agave Ballroom

*Speaker:***Michelle Petri, MD, MPH**Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
Baltimore, MD

11:00 AM-11:45 AM

Imaging of Rheumatologic Pulmonary Disease

Location: Agave Ballroom

*Speaker:***Joseph Mammarappallil MD, PhD**Duke University Medical Center
Durham, NC

11:45 AM-12:00 PM

Annual Business Meeting*

Location: Agave Ballroom

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