



The Ritz-Carlton, Grand Cayman
January 29-February 1, 2025

MEETING SCHEDULE

Tuesday, January 28, 2025

Bonus Sessions for Earlier Arrivals – 2 CME/CE Credits

5:00 pm	Anesthesia for Complex Spine Surgery (<i>via Zoom</i>)	Ellen M. Soffin, MD, PhD
6:00 pm	Cannabis (<i>via Zoom</i>)	John E. Ellis, MD
7:00 pm	Adjourn	

Wednesday, January 29, 2025

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast	
7:30 am	2022 American Society of Anesthesiologists Difficult Airway Guidelines	Basem Abdelmalak, MD
8:30 am	Supply and Demand Mismatch of Healthcare Labor Workforce	Jonathan Gal, MD, MBA
9:30 am	Coffee Break	
10:00 am	Financial Wellness & Burnout Prevention for Medical Professionals	James M. Dahle, MD
11:00 am	The Myths, Truths and Clinical Use of High Flow Nasal Oxygen	Basem Abdelmalak, MD
12:00 pm	Alternative Payment Models for Anesthesiologists (MACRA, MIPS, Bundles, ACOs, Capitation)	Jonathan Gal, MD, MBA
1:00 pm	Questions and Answers	John Ellis, MD & Faculty
1:30 pm	Adjourn	
5:30-7:00 pm	Welcome Reception	

Thursday, January 30, 2025

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast	
7:30 am	Perioperative Management of Patients on GLP-1 agonists and SGLT-2 Antagonists: Current Controversies	Girish Joshi, MD, FASA
8:30 am	Non-Operating Room Anesthesia (NORA) Complexities, Opportunities, and Quality and Process Improvement	Basem Abdelmalak, MD
9:30 am	Coffee Break	
10:00 am	Effects on Anesthesiologists of Healthcare Economic Related Legislation (Anesthesia Billing and Payer Mix Impacts)	Jonathan Gal, MD, MBA
11:00 am	Patient Selection for Ambulatory Surgery: Can Any Patient Be an Outpatient?	Girish Joshi, MD, FASA
12:00 pm	Fire Your Financial Advisor! (A Step-by-Step Guide to Creating Your Own Financial Plan)	James M. Dahle, MD
1:00 pm	Questions and Answers	John E. Ellis, MD & Faculty
1:30 pm	Adjourn	
5:00-7:00 pm	OPTIONAL: "Sunset Sail with the Professors" (Case discussion with 2.0 CME/CE credit)	John E. Ellis, MD & Faculty



Friday, January 31, 2025

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast	
7:30 am	Role of Biomarkers for Preoperative Cardiac Risk Assessment	Duminda Wijeyesundera, MD, PhD
8:30 am	Perioperative Glycemic Control for Ambulatory Surgery: Current Controversies	Girish Joshi, MD, FASA
9:30 am	Coffee Break	
10:00 am	Ultrasound-Guided Abdominal Fascial Plane Blocks	Nadia Hernandez, MD
11:00 am	Hypotension and Adverse Outcomes After Major Surgery - Epidemiology and opportunities for Optimization	Duminda Wijeyesundera, MD, PhD
12:00 pm	Diagnostic Point-of Care Ultrasound	Nadia Hernandez, MD
1:00 pm	Questions and Answers	John E. Ellis, MD & Faculty
1:30 pm	Adjourn	

Saturday, February 1, 2025

7:00 am	Continental Breakfast	
7:30 am	Evidence-based Transfusion Practice and Blood Management Programs (<i>via Zoom</i>)	Steven Frank, MD
8:30 am	Regional Anesthesia for Trauma	Nadia Hernandez, MD
9:30 am	Coffee Break	
10:00 am	Assessment of Functional Capacity Before Non-Cardiac Surgery	Duminda Wijeyesundera, MD, PhD
11:00 am	Anesthesia for Cardiac Non-Operating Room Procedures (<i>via Zoom</i>)	Miguel Abalo, MD
12:00 pm	Substance Use Disorders Among Anesthesiologists (<i>via Zoom</i>)	Michael Fitzsimons, MD
1:00 pm	Questions and Answers	John Ellis, MD & Faculty
1:30 pm	Adjourn	