

**Washington Thoracic Society
34th Annual Chest Conference and Winter Lung Day
January 19 - 21, 2024**

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Friday, January 19, 2024

2:00 – 5:30 PM	Registration
2:00 – 5:30 PM	Exhibits
5:30 – 7:00 PM	Welcome Reception and Dinner Buffet
7:00 – 9:00 PM	EVENING SYMPOSIUM
7:00 – 8:00 PM	Muscle and Whole-Body Lactate Kinetics: Organ-Organ, Cell-Cell, Intracellular, and Postprandial Lactate Shuttles George A. Brooks, PhD (University of California, Berkeley)
8:00 – 9:00 PM	Dave Park Memorial Case Presentations Laura Granados, MD (University of Washington) Mira John, MD (University of Washington) Ari Leonhard, MD (University of Washington)

Saturday, January 20, 2024

6:00 – 9:00 AM	Registration
7:00 – 8:00 AM	Breakfast
8:00 – 11:30 AM	MORNING SESSION
8:00 – 8:30 AM	A Population-Based Approach to COPD and Asthma Care in Western Washington Laura J. Spece, MD, MS (University of Washington)
8:30 – 9:00 AM	Update on PFTs Interpretation and Standards Erik R. Swenson, MD (Dartmouth College)
9:00 – 9:30 AM	The Complex Problem of Race, Ethnicity and PFTs Rosemary Adamson, MB, BS (University of Washington, VA Puget Sound Health Care)

- 9:30 – 9:45 AM **Panel Q&A – COPD and PFTs**
 Laura J. Spece, MD, MS (University of Washington, VA Puget Sound Health Care)
 Erik R. Swenson, MD (Dartmouth College)
 Rosemary Adamson, MB, BS (University of Washington)
- 9:45 – 10:15 AM **Break/ Visit Exhibits**
- 10:15 – 10:45 AM **Updates in Pulmonary Hypertension**
 Samuel G. Rayner, MD (University of Washington)
- 10:45 – 11:15 AM **Multidisciplinary Approach to Pulmonary Hypertension Care**
 Gehan Devendra, MD (University of Hawaii, The Queen’s Medical Center)
- 11:15 – 11:30 AM **Panel Q&A – Pulmonary Hypertension**
 Samuel G. Rayner, MD (University of Washington)
 Gehan Devendra, MD (University of Hawaii, The Queen’s Medical Center)
- 11:30 AM – 4:00 PM **Afternoon Break/ Visit Exhibits**
- 4:00 – 7:00 PM **AFTERNOON SESSION**
- 4:00 – 4:30 PM **From ZOO to ICU: How Understanding Animal Physiology Can Improve Critical Care**
 Nicholas Mark, MD (Swedish Medical Center)
- 4:30 – 5:00 PM **Practicing Pulmonary Medicine Across the Hawaiian Islands and Pacific Rim**
 Jordan K. Lee, MD (The Queen’s Medical Center)
- 5:00 – 5:30 PM **Break/Visit Exhibits**
- 5:30 – 6:00 PM **Pulmonary Rehabilitation**
 Stefanie Hatcher, MS (EvergreenHealth)
 Lindy Klaff, MD (EvergreenHealth)
- 6:00 – 6:30 PM **Using Home Monitoring Devices – Can They be Trusted?**
 Mary Beth Brown, PT, PhD (University of Washington)
- 6:30 – 7:00 PM **Panel Q&A**
 Nicholas Mark, MD (Swedish Medical Center)
 Jordan K. Lee, MD (The Queen’s Medical Center)
 Stefanie Hatcher, MS (EvergreenHealth)
 Lindy Klaff, MD (EvergreenHealth)
 Mary Beth Brown, PT, PhD (University of Washington)
- 7:00 – 9:00 PM **Reception**
Outstanding Clinician Award Presentation

Sunday, January 21, 2024

7:00 – 8:00 AM	Breakfast
7:15 – 8:00 AM	WTS Annual Business Breakfast Meeting
8:00 – 11:00 AM	MORNING SESSION
8:00 – 8:30 AM	Preparing for the Next Pandemic Vicki L. Sakata, MD, FAAEM, FAAP (Northwest Healthcare Response Network, University of Washington)
8:30 – 9:15 AM	Art, Story, and the Practice of Medicine Andrea Kalus, MD (University of Washington Medicine)
9:15 – 9:45 AM	Break/Visit Exhibits
9:45 – 10:30 AM	The Changing Landscape of Lung Transplantation Siddartha (Sid) G. Kapnadak, MD (University of Washington)
10:30 – 10:45 AM	Xenotransplantation Jeffrey D. Edelman, MD (University of Washington, VA Puget Sound Health Care)
10:45 – 11:00 AM	Panel Q&A Vicki L. Sakata, MD, FAAEM, FAAP (Northwest Healthcare Response Network, University of Washington) Andrea Kalus, MD (University of Washington Medicine) Siddartha (Sid) G. Kapnadak, MD (University of Washington) Jeffrey D. Edelman, MD (University of Washington, VA Puget Sound Health Care)

Conference Adjourns at the Conclusion of the Sunday Morning Session