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GUEST SPEAKER

ZIV J. HASKAL MD, FSIR, FAHA, FACR

Professor of Radiology • Vice Chair, Professional Development • Emeritus Editor in Chief, Journal of Vascular and Interventional Radiology (2011-2020) • Editor in Chief, International Journal of Gastrointestinal Interventions • University of Virginia School of Medicine • Department of Radiology and Medical Imaging / Interventional Radiology • Charlottesville, Virginia, USA

Prof. Dr. Ziv J Haskal is a tenured professor at the University of Virginia School of Medicine. After training in Diagnostic and Interventional Radiology at the University of California, San Francisco, he joined the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania in 1992, and then moved to build interventional services at both the New York-Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University, and the University of Maryland, as professor and chief.

His research has spanned the breadth of IR, beginning with defining early research in TIPS and complex portal hypertension: his preclinical experimental and human studies led to creation of the TIPS endograft used by majority of the planet. It included preclinical validation and in-human interventional trans-arterial gene vector delivery (one of the first human gene therapy trials); first demonstration of IR radiation eye injury risks at occupational levels; trials in accelerated pharmacomechanical deep vein interventions; advances in hemodialysis access care, including randomized trials of dialysis stent grafts that defined the first proven superior intervention for AV graft stenosis, benefiting thousands worldwide; liver transplant interventions; all aspects of embolization; and interventional oncology. He has published over 400 manuscripts, abstracts, chapters, books, letters, and editorials in journals such as the New England Journal of Medicine, Human Gene Therapy, Circulation, Hepatology, Radiology, CVIR, AJR, and JVIR. His papers have been cited thousands of times—the AHA/ACC PAD Guideline he co-chaired and co-wrote, alone, has been cited over 3,000 times). His H-index is 50. Prof. Haskal has led or participated in over 50 human and animal research studies.

Dr Haskal has given more than 550 invited lectures worldwide and been awarded numerous honorary fellowships, national and international awards for innovation, leadership, service, and research excellence. He was awarded the 2014 “Leaders in Innovation” by the Society of Interventional Radiology Research Foundation, APSCVIR Fellowship and others. In 2007, Dr Haskal chaired the SIR Annual Scientific Meeting. He co-founded the GEST meeting (and coined its name). Dr. Haskal named and invented the now oft-imitated MasterClass ‘event’ and scientific Congresses (based upon his early experiences as a piano student), and has pioneered novel education for decades, from the early 90’s publishing over 400 cases in the first online monthly case discussion forum (‘The SIR Case Club’), running complex on-site live mechanical and microscope demonstrations at medical conferences, to creating virtual reality-based content.

Prof. Haskal served as the Deputy Editor in Chief of CVIR for 5 years during which time Dr Vorwerk and he doubled its Impact Factor. Thereafter he served two consecutive terms as the JVIR Editor in Chief (10 years) during which he nearly tripled its submissions, raised its Impact Factor to 3.037 and launched all its multimedia, social media feeds, blog, editorial fellowship, podcasts, IR virtual reality, and other new topics and features. In those editor roles, he line-edited over 18,000 manuscripts. In parallel, he strove to elevate the consistent presentation of scientific information with the content rigor and form of the world’s leading academic journals, highlighting the on-par relevance of IR research with all other branches of medicine. In nearly 30 years, Prof. Haskal has mentored hundreds of trainees; he has been equally focused upon educating newer authors, holding small group ‘Editor’s Writing Club’ seminars for over 10 years, reaching over 1000 attendees worldwide.

Prof. Haskal has served in many societal leadership and committee positions, such as President of both the Society of Gastrointestinal Interventions and International Society of Neurovascular Disease, the SIR Executive Committee (one of its longest serving members), the SIR Research Foundation Board, and chaired numerous committees and memberships within the American Heart Association, American College of Cardiology, and American College of Radiology.



SPEAKERS

***Dr. Andrew Benko, MD, FRCPC, C.S.P.Q.**

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Dr. Veronique Caty, MD, FRCPC

Vascular and Interventional Radiologist, CIUSSS Montreal East

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Interventional Radiologist, Foothills Medical Center • Clinical Assistant Professor, University of Calgary

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Vascular and Interventional Radiologist, Department of Medical Imaging, The Ottawa Hospital • Assistant Professor, University of Ottawa

Dr. David Valenti, MDCM, FRCP, FSIR

Division Head, Interventional Radiology, McGill University Health Centre • Director IR Fellowship Program, McGill University, Montreal

***Dr. Jason Wong, MD, FRCPC, FSIR, FCIRSE**

Clinical Associate Professor, Cardiovascular and Interventional Radiology, Foothills Medical Centre Cumming School of Medicine, University of Calgary

**Planning committee member*



PROGRAM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

07:00 - 07:25	Breakfast
07:25 - 07:30	Welcome Dr. Adnan Hadzimerovic • Dr. Jason Wong
07:30 - 08:00	Guest Speaker - Topic of Choice Dr. Ziv Haskal
08:00 - 08:45	Arterial (Under Pressure) Dr. Andrew Benko • Dr. Adnan Hadzimerovic
	Morning snacks during the session
08:45 - 09:30	Venous (Deflated but Dangerous) Dr. Stephen Ryan • Dr. Tara Graham
09:30 - 10:15	Vascular Medley Dr. Veronique Caty • Dr. Jason Wong
10:15 - 10:30	Guest Speaker - M & M Case Dr. Ziv Haskal
10:30 - 15:00	Study Break
15:00 - 15:30	Afternoon Snacks and Networking
15:30 - 16:00	Cases from the Audience (Twilight Zone) Dr. Stephen Ryan • Dr. Andrew Benko
16:00 - 16:30	The Machan Session Dr. Lindsay Machan
16:30 - 17:30	Wham Bam IR (Quickies) Dr. Jason Wong • Dr. Stefan Przybojewski
17:30 - 18:15	IOuch Dr. Maxime Noel-Lamy • Dr. David Valenti
18:15 - 19:00	IR Medley Dr. David Valenti • Dr. Stephen Ryan



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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

07:00 - 07:25	Breakfast
07:25 - 07:30	Welcome Dr. Stefan Przybojewski • Dr. Andrew Benko
07:30 - 08:15	IOuch v2.0 Dr. Dave Liu • Dr. Stefan Przybojewski
08:15 - 09:15	Extreme IR Dr. Ziv Haskal • Dr. Jason Wong • Dr. Adnan Hadzimerovic • Dr. Andrew Benko • Dr. David Liu
09:15 - 09:30	Guest Speaker - M & M Case Dr. Ziv Haskal
Morning snacks during the session	
09:30 - 10:30	Non-vascular Potpourri Dr. Veronique Caty • Dr. Tara Graham • Dr. Maxime Noel-Lamy
10:30 - 14:30	Study Break
14:30 - 15:00	Afternoon Snacks and Networking
15:00 - 15:45	Cases from the Audience (Peanut Gallery) Dr. Adnan Hadzimerovic • Dr. Jason Wong
15:45 - 16:45	HIIT, I mean HIIR Dr. Adnan Hadzimerovic • Dr. Stephen Ryan • Dr. Dave Liu
16:45 - 17:30	Heinz 57 Dr. Stephen Ryan • Dr. Maxime Noel-Lamy • Dr. Tara Graham
17:30 - 18:30	Oh Sh!t Dr. David Valenti • Dr. Andrew Benko • Dr. Lindsay Machan



ONSITE INFORMATION

REGISTRATION DESK HOURS

Friday, February 10 6:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 11 6:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.

EVALUATION FORM

In order to produce a successful meeting each year, the organizing committee needs your help. Please note that the sessions' evaluations and the general event survey are now available via the event app.

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FORMAT: POWERPOINT

LENGTH: 10 MIN

Cases must be M & M focused with learning points and significant grand slam.

Send your case to cairservice@cairweb.ca.

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CALL FOR DIGITAL POSTERS

NEW for 2023! At the next Grand Slams & Catastrophes, there will be a computer to display digital posters from participants. We invite anyone to submit a M & M-related poster for display at the conference.

The deadline for poster submissions is **January 15, 2023**. Please submit yours via email to cairservice@cairweb.ca.

OBJECTIVES

Through the years, CAIR has strived to deliver world-class IR education through an academic program that addresses the various facets of IR.

The moderators will be presenting very interesting cases, and the sessions are also formatted to allow you to present your challenging or unusual cases, so make sure to come prepared!

Planning Committee

- Dr. Andrew Benko
- Dr. Adnan Hadzimerovic
- Dr. Stefan Przybojewski
- Dr. Jason Wong

CREDITS

The Grand Slams & Catastrophes 2023 is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and has been approved by the Canadian Association of Radiologists (CAR) for a maximum of 13.0 hours (credits are automatically calculated).

Physicians should only claim credits commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the end of the meeting, the participant should expect to:

1. Identify procedural pitfalls and red flags in the cases shown so that strategies for avoidance can be developed.
2. Become familiar with common causes of medical errors.
3. Recognize medicolegal implications of complications and develop strategies to cope with the process of litigation.
4. Understand Quality Assurance in IR and develop ways in which to incorporate this into daily practise.
5. Exchange opinions and learn from the collective experience of the faculty and attendees through workshops, debates, and panel discussions.
6. Become familiar with various vascular and non-vascular techniques, as well as useful tips and tricks, to increase procedural success in challenging cases.



HOTEL INFORMATION

Fairmont Chateau Whistler

4599 Chateau Blvd, Whistler, BC V8E 0Z5

A preferential rate has been negotiated for the attendees. You will receive a private link on your receipt to book your room when you will register.

Single room rate: \$329/night +taxes

Double room rate: \$329/night +taxes



REGISTRATION

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