

SCA 29th Annual Meeting & Workshops • April 21- 25, 2007

Palais des congrès de Montréal, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

General Information

Target Audience

Cardiothoracic anesthesiologists, critical care physicians, general anesthesiologists, nurses, perfusionists and other allied health personnel, epidemiologists/researchers and all those involved in the care of the cardiovascular surgery patient will benefit from attendance at this meeting.

Statement of Need

The field of cardiovascular anesthesiology is a dynamic specialty that changes as modern cardiovascular medicine changes. New additions to the armamentarium of cardiovascular medicine include percutaneous interventions, valvular heart surgery, minimally invasive techniques, heart failure devices, electrophysiologic interventions, and the changing status of cardiac surgery. Current practitioners in cardiovascular anesthesiology demand an educational course that is current and up to date with cardiology and cardiac surgical advances. The Annual Meeting provides this educational tool. The Annual Meeting provides teaching of intraoperative echocardiography for management of patients undergoing various cardiac surgical procedures. Also provided are workshops in cardiopulmonary bypass and heart failure. Multidisciplinary faculty with excellent evaluations from attendees are included in the faculty. Interactive workshops and discussion sessions with the experts center on patient-oriented educational programs to teach the requisite skills and concepts necessary for advanced care of these patients. This interdisciplinary program sponsored and offered by the SCA for its members has been developed to meet the growing demand for such educational needs.

Workshops

Included: Fee includes workshop, continental breakfast (morning workshops), coffee breaks and syllabus.

CME Accreditation: The Society of Cardiovascular Anesthesiologists is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Designation: The Society of Cardiovascular Anesthesiologists designates this educational activity for a maximum of 4 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*[™]. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Registration Limitations: Please note limitations. Pre-registration of workshops and evening sessions is available to SCA Members only. If space is available, sessions will be opened to non-members on site.

29th Annual Meeting

Location: All scientific sessions, workshops and PBLDs will be held at the **Palais de congrès de Montréal**.

Included: Scientific fee includes continental breakfasts, coffee breaks, (2) lunches, (1) reception and the meeting syllabus.

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Refund Policy

For the Workshops, Evening Sessions, Annual Meeting, PBLDs, and guest fee a full refund will be provided through March 9, 2007; an 80% refund will be provided from March 10, 2007 through April 2, 2007. After April 2, 2007, the Society will not refund any registration fees. Refunds will be determined by the date the **written** cancellation is received in the SCA's headquarters.

Americans With Disabilities Act

Americans with Disabilities Act: The Society of Cardiovascular Anesthesiologists has fully complied with the legal requirements of the ADA and the rules and regulations thereof. If any participant in this educational activity is in need of accommodations, please contact SCA at (804) 282-0084 by April 2, 2007 in order to receive service.

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All scientific sessions will take place at the Palais de congrès de Montréal

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IMPORTANT TRAVEL INFORMATION: Passports will be required for U.S. citizens who travel to Canada in 2007. Travelers from all other countries should check with their individual governments for travel requirements and documentation.