UCI Health

H.H. Chao Comprehensive Digestive Disease Center

11th Annual Gastroenterology & Hepatology Symposium

Feb. 22–23, 2019

Disney’s Grand Californian Hotel® & Spa
Anaheim, CA

Early-bird registration until Dec. 15, 2018
• for active physicians: $250
• for all others: $190

This activity has been approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.
Who Should Attend?

✓ Colorectal surgeons
✓ ENT physicians
✓ Gastroenterologists
✓ General surgeons
✓ Hepatologists
✓ Nurses
✓ Primary care physicians
✓ Other allied healthcare professionals

Course includes:

• Patient-centered clinical updates
• Thought-provoking discussions with expert panels on GERD, EMR, ESD, ERCP, Interventional EUS and colonoscopy — using artificial intelligence
• Live-streaming case demonstrations with real time Q&A
• Hands-on training in state-of-the-art interventional procedure suites

Accreditation and Disclosure

Accreditation. The University of California, Irvine School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Designation statement. The University of California, Irvine School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 15 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. Successful completion of this CME activity enables the participant to earn up to 15 MOC points [and patient safety credit] in the American Board of Internal Medicine’s (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. Participants will earn MOC points equivalent to the amount of CME credits claimed for the activity. It is the CME activity provider’s responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC points.

Disclosure statement. It is the policy of the University of California, Irvine School of Medicine and the University of California Continuing Medical Education Consortium to ensure balance, independence, objectivity and scientific rigor in all continuing medical education activities. Full disclosure of conflict resolution will be made in writing via handout materials or a syllabus.

About Us

The UCI Health H.H. Chao Comprehensive Digestive Disease Center (CDDC) provides comprehensive, multidisciplinary gastrointestinal services with a team of dedicated gastroenterologists, surgeons, oncologists, pathologists, radiologists, dietitians, nurses, social workers and case managers. For over a decade, CDDC has served as a regional resource for complex and tertiary care, consistently leveraging advanced technology to expand the range of effective diagnostic and treatment options.

As part of the UCI Health Chao Family Comprehensive Cancer Center — the only National Cancer Institute-designated comprehensive cancer center in Orange County — patients also can access clinical trials and therapies not available elsewhere in the region.

View more information about our services at:
ucihealth.org/cddc

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Friday, Feb. 22

7-8 a.m. Registration, breakfast & exhibits
8-8:15 a.m. Course welcome & introduction
   Kenneth J. Chang, MD, CDDC executive director

SESSION I | Foregut Diseases: Surgery & Endoscopy
   Faculty moderators: Jason Samarasena, MD; Brian Smith, MD; Robert H. Lee, MD
   Distinguished speaker: Peter Draganov, MD

8:15-8:30 a.m. Endoscopic GERD therapy — ready for primetime?
   Jason Samarasena, MD

8:35-8:50 a.m. Surgical advances in obesity medicine
   Brian Smith, MD

8:55-9:10 a.m. New approaches in achalasia and gastroparesis
   Robert H. Lee, MD

9:15-9:45 a.m. EMR, ESD and beyond
   Peter Draganov, MD

9:45-10 a.m. Lunch & exhibits

SESSION II | Pancreas & Biliary
   Faculty moderators: John G. Lee, MD; Alex Jahng, MD
   Guest moderator: Peter Draganov, MD

12:15-12:30 p.m. Strategies to minimize risk of ERCP complications
   John G. Lee, MD

12:35-12:50 p.m. What’s new in interventional EUS?
   Kenneth J. Chang, MD

12:55-1:10 p.m. Safe pancreas surgery in 2019
   Ronald Wolf, MD

1:10-1:25 p.m. Q&A

1:30-2:30 p.m. Live case

2:35-2:50 p.m. Break & exhibits

SESSION III | Colorectal
   Faculty moderator: William Karnes, MD
   Guest speakers: Caroll Koscheski, MD; Kathryn Singh, MPH, MS, LCGC

2:50-3:10 p.m. The promise of artificial intelligence for colonoscopy quality & documentation
   William Karnes, MD

2:55-3:10 p.m. Live case

3:10-4:10 p.m. Transanal surgery for rectal tumors: What is the role?
   Matthew T. Brady, MD

3:10-4:10 p.m. Lynch syndrome — in your face but lost in space!
   Kathryn Singh, MPH, MS, LCGC

4:10-4:30 p.m. Defining colonoscopy quality and why it matters
   Caroll Koscheski, MD

4:30-4:50 p.m. Q&A

4:50-5:10 p.m. Reception — Brisa Courtyard

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SESSION V | IBD

Faculty moderators: Nimisha Parekh, MD; Sandra Park, MD; Steven Mills, MD
Guest speaker: Siddharth Singh, MD

1:10-1:35 p.m. 2019: Biologic therapy in Crohn’s disease — how to choose
Siddharth Singh, MD

1:40-2:05 p.m. Crohn’s disease: Can you do a J pouch?
Steven Mills, MD

2:10-2:35 p.m. Abdominal surgery in the era of biologic therapy: What are the guidelines?
Matthew T. Brady, MD

2:40-3:05 p.m. Case discussions for de-escalation of therapy
Sandra Park, MD

3:10-3:35 p.m. Dysplasia guidelines: Clearing up the confusion
Nimisha Parekh, MD

3:35-4 p.m. Q&A
UCI Health Faculty

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Distinguished Guest Speaker

Peter V. Draganov, MD
Professor of Medicine
Director of Advanced Therapeutic Endoscopy
University of Florida College of Medicine

Invited Speakers

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After a day of meetings, indulge in outstanding lounges and restaurants (like the Zagat-rated Napa Rose), relax at the renowned Mandara Spa and network in the Downtown Disney District — all just steps from your room. Convention and meeting attendees can also purchase specially priced tickets to the two Disneyland resort theme parks.

With luxury accommodations and amazing downtime options, Disney’s Grand Californian Hotel® & Spa provides an unrivaled experience in comfort, convenience and Disney magic.

For more information, visit the Grand Californian Resort website: disneyland.disney.go.com/grand-californian-hotel

Discount Accommodations
UCI Health guests are offered a special rate of $299, single or double occupancy per night. Reservations can be made via the hotel reservation line Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., at 714-520-5005 or online at the Disneyland hotel reservation website: mydisneygroup.com/gcub19b

NOTE: Rooms are limited. Please book as early as possible to ensure availability. Discount room rates expire Jan. 2, 2019.

How to Register
To register online for the conference and for the hands-on activities, visit: medicine.uci.edu/gisymposium

Early-bird pricing until Dec. 15, 2018

- Physician active in practice: $250 ($325 after Dec. 15)
- Other (retired physician, fellow, RN, other allied healthcare professionals): $190 ($225 after Dec. 15)