



**39TH  
ANNUAL  
MEETING**

**MARCH  
23-26  
2023**  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL

**AAPM 2023**

**SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE**

**Wednesday, March 22, 2023**

8:00am- 8:00pm Preconference Staff Setup

**Thursday, March 23, 2023**

7:00am –6:30pm Registration Open

9:00am to Noon  
And 1:00pm to  
2:00pm

Advanced Practice Provider (APP) Session

- Defining the Biopsychosocial Model of Pain Management - Tracey Mallick-Searle MS, PMGT-BC, ANP- BC
- MSK Radiology Overview – Sayed Wahezi, MD
- Minimally Invasive - Intervention Pain - Jeremy Adler, DMSc, PA-C  
Pain Management Potpourri - Amanda Zimmerman PA-C, Tracey Mallick-Searle MS, PMGT-BC, ANP- BC
- The Legal Side of Pain and Panel Discussion - Jennifer Bolen, JD, Jeremy Adler, DMSc, PA-C,  
Tracey Mallick-Searle MS, PMGT-BC, ANP- BC, Amanda Zimmerman PA-C
- Auricular Acupuncture Demo – Karen Williams, FNP-BC, DNP, AQH

11am-2pm

AAPM Board of Directors Meeting (lunch provided)

12:00pm-1:00pm

Sponsor Plus Showcase Lunch Sponsored by Averitas

Noon to 2:00pm

Mega Session: Acute Pain, Pain in complex surgical patients: A case based and evidence-based discussion:  
Moderator: Marie Hanna, MD, MEHP

- Challenges in Psychiatric disorder patients - Traci J Speed, MD, PhD
- Challenges in The Critically ill and ICU patients -  
Kellie Marie Jaremko, M.D., Ph.D
- Challenges in the Opioids Overdoses and Pain - Paul J. Christo, MD MBA
- Challenges in Substance use Disorder patients – Antje M. Barreveld, MD

2:00pm -4:00pm

Mega Session: Wellness & Self-Management Bootcamp for Providers  
Moderators: Steven P. Stanos, DO and David A. Edwards, MD PhD

This 2-hour ‘Bootcamp’ will introduce clinicians to 4 Integrative Pain Therapies important for holistic care of patients with pain. The 4 Therapies to be presented are 1) Acupuncture, 2) Virtual Reality, 3) Therapeutic Movement & Tai Chi, and 4) Mindfulness. Attendees will rotate in small groups through each topic that will be presented by experts who will teach the evidence base underlying each therapy and then demonstrate each with attendee participation. An educational packet with summary lessons for each will be provided to attendees to use during the session and to take home to reference for themselves and their patients.

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**Introduction to Integrative Health**

**Stage A: Acupuncture**

Presenters – Freda Dreher, MD; Roseanne Sheinberg, MD ABoIM

- Background Presentation
- Hands-on Demonstration

**Stage B: Virtual Reality**

Presenters – Beth Darnall PhD

- Background Presentation
- Hands-on Demonstration

**Stage C: Therapeutic Movement / Tai Chi – participating & moving**

Presenters – Diane Habash, PhD, MS, RDN, LD

- Background Presentation
- Hands-on Demonstration

**Stage D: Mindfulness**

Presenters – Carrie Brintz Ph.D.

- Background Presentation
- Hands-on Demonstration

2:00pm -4:00pm	Neurofibromatosis and Schwannomatosis: The perfect storm for pain in both a tumor syndrome and neurological disorder – Larry Sherman, PhD, Scott Plotkin, MD, PhD, and Staci Martin, PhD with the Children’s Tumor Foundation
4pm -5:30pm	Evidence Based Medical Marijuana: Moderator: Marie Hanna, MD, MEHP Alfonso Romero-Sandoval, MD, PhD and Kenneth Finn, MD
5:00pm– 6:00pm	Sponsor Showcase: Advanced Practice Provider Reception
1:00pm- 6:30pm	Exhibition Hall Move in – All Companies Must Check in at Exhibitor Registration
6:00pm- 8:00pm	President’s Dinner – (By Invitation) (Sponsors, Planning Committee, Board of Directors and Past Presidents)

## Friday, March 24, 2023

6:30am -6:30pm	Registration
7:00am -8:00am	Committee Meetings and SIG meetings
7:15am- 8:15am	Showcase Breakfast
8:00am	Resource Center Exhibition Hall Opens
8:15am –8:30 am	Opening Remarks with Conference Co-Chairs – Marie Hanna, MD; Salman Hirani, MD and Lynn Kohan, MD
8:30am -9:45am	Keynote Lecture: Helene M. Langevin, M.D, Director of the National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH) at the National Institutes of Health (NIH)
9:45am – 10:45am	Networking Break in the Resource Center Exhibition Hall and Sponsor Demonstration
9:45am – 10:45am	Committee Meetings and SIG meetings
10:45am-11:45am	Keynote Lecture: Sean Mackey, MD, PhD, Redlich Professor of Anesthesiology, Perioperative and Pain Medicine, Neurosciences and Neurology at Stanford University
11:45am -12:45pm	Showcase Lunch Sponsored by Eli Lilly
11:45am-12:45pm	Potential AAPM Provided Lunch in Exhibition Hall
1:00pm-2:00pm	Flash Talks – 5 presentation 5 Q&A – we have 7 rooms total for posters/flash talks/abstract ed session
1:00pm-2:00pm	Poster Presentations
1:00pm-2:00pm	Abstract Educational Session 1

### Friday Concurrent Sessions 1:00 pm – 3:15 pm

1:00pm to 3:15pm	<p><b>1:00pm to 3:15pm</b></p> <p>Mega Session: Advances in Minimally Invasive Spine</p> <p>Zachary McCormick, MD, Moderator</p> <p>▪ <b><i>Understanding Vertebrogenic Pain and its Treatment</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Pathophysiology of Vertebrogenic Pain Aaron Conger, DO</li> <li>• The Clinical Profile of Vertebrogenic Pain – Zachary McCormick MD</li> <li>• Basivertebral Nerve Radiofrequency Ablation Outcomes and where this fits into the Clinical Care Paradigm - Matthew Smuck MD</li> </ul> <p>▪ <b><i>Emerging Percutaneous Interventions for Spinal Stenosis</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Endoscopic Decompression: when and why this is used in place of classic open decompression- Mark Mahan MD</li> <li>• Percutaneous Ligamentum Flavum Decompression: an Evidence Update – Nathaniel Schuster MD</li> <li>• Spinal Spacers: Advantages and Disadvantages relative to direct</li> </ul>	<p><b>1:00pm to 2:00pm</b></p> <p>Meeting them where they are: Evidence to support scalable and on-demand pain relief skills for acute injury and surgical patients.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation of results from two randomized trials of automated Empowered Relief Beth Darnall, PhD,</li> <li>• Integration of Empowered Relief into standard care in spine surgery, Sara Davin, PsyD</li> <li>• Empowered Relief in Acute Injury in Canada, a Canadian Institutes for Health Research study, Junie Carriere, PhD</li> </ul>
	<p><b>2:15pm to 3:15pm</b></p> <p>Behavioral Health: Mental Health Assessment</p> <p>Ajay D Wasan MD, MSc, Moderator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Traci J Speed, MD, PhD</li> </ul>	

	<p>decompression methods – Samir Sheth, MD</p> <p>▪ <b>Emerging Percutaneous Interventions for Sacroiliac Joint Pain</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Endoscopic Sacral Lateral Branch Neurectomy: Zachary McCormick, MD</li> <li>• The Posterior Approach to Sacroiliac Joint Fusion: Pros and Cons -Samir Sheth, MD</li> </ul>	
3:15pm- 4:00pm	Networking Break in the Resource Center Exhibition Hall and Sponsor Demonstration	
4:15pm-5:15pm	Flash Talks	
4:15pm-5:15pm	Poster Presentations	
4:15pm -5:15pm	Abstract Educational Session 2	
	<b>Friday Concurrent Sessions 4:15 pm-5:15 pm</b>	
4:15pm -5:15pm	<p>Spinal Cord Stimulation (SCS) Device Selection in the Era of Rapidly Expanding Options – Moderator TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Persistent Spinal Pain Syndrome and SCS Device Selection: Does Waveform matter? - Tim J. Lamer, MD</li> <li>• Complex Regional Pain Syndrome: Dorsal Root Ganglion Stimulation vs Spinal Cord Stimulation: Pros and Cons - Vwaire Orhurhu MD, MPH</li> <li>• Non-Surgical Low Back Pain: Spinal Cord Stimulation vs Peripheral Nerve Stimulation vs Radiofrequency Ablation: What Does the Evidence Suggest? - Morgan Pollard MD</li> <li>• SCS Outcomes - Clinical Trial Outcomes vs Real World Evidence: Are Outcomes Reproducible? – Jon Hagedorn MD</li> </ul>	
4:15pm -5:15pm	<p>Artificial Intelligence in Pain Medicine Salman Hirani, MD, Moderator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patrick J. Tighe, MD, MS</li> <li>• Salman Hirani, MD</li> </ul>	
5:15pm – 6:15pm	Networking Reception with Exhibitors – All Attendees and Guests are Welcome	
6:15pm –8:15pm	Fellows and Residents Receptions w/ Program Directors provided by AAPM Scholars	
<b>Saturday, March 25, 2023</b>		
6:30am – 5:00pm	Registration	
7:00am- 8:00am	AAPM Breakfast Business Meeting	
7:00am – 8:00am	Showcase Breakfast Sponsored by Collegium	
7:00am -8:00am	Committee Meetings and SIG meetings	
8:00am	Exhibition Hall Opens	
8:15am- 9:15am	Keynote – Yele Aluko MD, MBA, FACC, FSCAI, Americas Chief Medical Officer Ernst & Young/ EY Center for Health Equity Leader, Health Care Disparities and how a non-traditional company like EY has the vision to get involved	
9:15am - 10:00am	Networking Break in the Resource Center Exhibition Hall and Sponsor Demonstration	
10:00am -11:00am	Flash Talks	
10:00am-11:00am	Poster Presentations	
	<b>Saturday Concurrent Sessions 10:15 am -12:15pm</b>	
10:15am 12:15pm	<p><b>10:15am – 12:15pm</b> Mega Session: Everything PNS TBD: Einar Ottestad</p>	<p><b>10:15am – 11:15am</b> <i>Pain Medicine Journal</i>: Best in 2022 Robert W. Hurley, MD, PhD; Moderator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Steven P. Cohen, MD</li> <li>• Lynn Kohan, MD</li> <li>• Zachary McCormick, MD</li> </ul> <p><b>11:15am – 12:15am</b> Central Sentization</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daniel J. Clauw, MD</li> </ul>
11:15am-12:15pm	Flash Talks	
11:15am-12:15pm	Poster Presentations	
12:30pm -1:30pm	Sponsor Showcase Lunch sponsored by PharmaCom	
12:30pm -1:30pm	Potential Lunch w/ Exhibitors – provided by AAPM	
1:45pm -3:45pm	INNOVATION CHALLENGE - AAPM + MIT HACKING MEDICINE	

3:45pm - 4:30pm	Innovation Workshop
4:00pm -4:30pm	Final Networking Break in Resource Center Exhibition Hall
4:30pm -5:30pm	Flash Talks
4:30pm -5:30pm	Poster Presentations
	<b>Saturday Concurrent Sessions 4:30pm – 5:30pm</b>
4:30pm -5:30pm	Regenerative Medicine Science Meets Clinical Practice: Opportunities and Challenges Thomas E. Buchheit, MD, Moderator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jianguo Cheng, MD</li> <li>• Christine Hunt, DO</li> </ul>
4:30pm -5:30pm	The Management of Complex Neck and Head Pain: A Problem Based Approach Meredith Barad, MD, Moderator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Narayan R. Kissoon, MD</li> <li>• Nathaniel Schuster, MD</li> <li>• Xiang Qian, MD</li> </ul>
4:30pm -5:30pm	Neuropathic Pain <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Charles E. Argoff, MD</li> <li>• James C. Watson, MD</li> </ul>
6:00pm- TBD	Innovation After Party, awards ceremony, and remarks from AAPM President, Farshad M. Ahadian, MD
<b>Sunday, March 26, 2023</b>	
7:00 -10:00am	Registration and Check-In Office Opens
7:00am-9:00am	AAPM Breakfast provided w/ continuing coffee service
8:15am – 9:00am	Flash Talks
	<b>Sunday Concurrent Sessions – 7:30am – 9:30am</b>
7:30am – 9:30am	CRPS: Diagnostic and Treatment and Updates R. Norman Harden, MD, Moderator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Diagnostic considerations- Amanda L. Stone, PhD and R. Norman Harden, MD</li> <li>• Multidisciplinary versus Interdisciplinary programmatic approaches: R. Norman Harden, MD</li> <li>• Physical and Occupational Therapies – Steven P. Stanos, DO and Tim Zepelak, DPT</li> <li>• Psychological diagnosis and therapies - Amanda L. Stone, PhD</li> <li>• Anesthesiologic Techniques – Jennifer Hah MD, MS</li> <li>• New Drug Therapies - R. Norman Harden MD</li> </ul>
7:30am –8:30am	Blitz Talks on What Pain PDs Need To Know Meredith Barad, MD and Lynn Kohan, MD, Moderators <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ACGME Milestone/Giving and Receiving Feedback – Hassan Rayaz, MD</li> <li>• APPD Curriculum/Educational Offerings - Sayed E Wahezi, MD</li> <li>• Teaching the Business of Pain - Rene Przkora, MD, PhD</li> <li>• Teaching Mastery – Meredith Barad, MD</li> </ul>
8:30am – 9:30am	Advancing novel therapies for the treatment of chronic OA pain syndromes Zachery McCormick, MD, Moderator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intra-articular injectables for knee pain - Robert Hurley MD PhD</li> <li>• Genicular Nerve Blocks: Is there therapeutic value? - Lynn Kohan MD</li> <li>• Lecture 3: Genicular Nerve Radiofrequency Ablation: Updating our Treatment Paradigm (Zachary McCormick MD)</li> <li>• The SKOAP Trial: What will we learn? -Steven Cohen MD</li> </ul>
9:30am – 10:30am	Flash Talks
	<b>Sunday Concurrent Sessions – 9:30 am -10:30am</b>
9:30am – 10:30am	Next-Gen Pain Rehabilitation: Get Ready for What's Coming Now Jennifer Murphy, Moderator

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Focus on the use of technology to increase access to interdisciplinary pain rehabilitation programs (IPRPs)</li> </ul>
9:30am – 10:30am	<p>Cancer Pain</p> <p>Salman Hirani, MD, Moderator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• David Copenhaver, MD, MPH</li> <li>• Larry C. Driver, MD</li> <li>• Dhanalakshmi Koyyalagunta, MD</li> <li>• Salman Hirani, MD</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Sunday Concurrent Sessions – 10:00am -11:30am</b></p>
10:00am-11:30am	<p>Practice Management: Value Based Care Coding, Evaluations and Compliance</p> <p>Kayode A. Williams, MD, MBA, FFARCSI and Kevin E. Vorenkamp, MD, FASA: Moderators</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CPT Coding and Payment Changes, - Kevin E. Vorenkamp, MD FASA and Emily H. Hill, PA</li> <li>• Compliance - Emily H. Hill, PA</li> <li>• Transdisciplinary Team Care for Complex Pain Populations -Tobias Moeller-Bertram, MD, Ph.D</li> <li>• Integrated Pain &amp; Wellness Program: An Academic Center Model-Padma Gulur, MD</li> </ul>
10:30am-11:00am	<p>International Speaker</p> <p>Jordi Moya Riera, MD PhD – President of Sine Dolore, European Pain Foundation</p>
11:00am-11:30am	<p>International Speaker</p> <p>British Pain Society – Session Title TBD – Dr. Arun Bhaskar, MBBS, MSc, FRCA, FFPMRCA, FFICM, FIPP, EDPM</p>
10:30am-11:30am	<p>Palliative Care</p> <p>Salman Hirani, MD Moderator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• David Copenhaver, MD, MPH</li> <li>• Larry C. Driver, MD</li> <li>• Dhanalakshmi Koyyalagunta, MD</li> <li>• Salman Hirani, MD</li> <li>• Nathan J. Neufeld, DO</li> </ul>

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