



Association of Black Cardiologists, Inc.

Saving the Hearts of a Diverse America

**25th Annual
Dr. Walter M. Booker, Sr.
Memorial Symposium**

**JOIN US IN
LOS ANGELES**

November 3, 2012

7:30 am – 4:30 pm

The L.A. Hotel Downtown
(California Grand Ballroom -
Salon I)

333 S Figueroa St
Los Angeles, CA 90071

**Cardiovascular Translational
Research and Clinical Care:
State of the Art 2012 and Beyond**

PROGRAM CHAIRPERSONS

Michelle A. Albert, MD, MPH

Charles A. Athill, MD

L. Julian Haywood, MD-Honorary Chair

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25th Annual Dr. Walter M. Booker, Sr. Memorial Symposium - Los Angeles, CA 2012

PURPOSE/DESCRIPTION

The Association of Black Cardiologists' 25th Annual Dr. Walter M. Booker, Sr. Memorial Symposium is designed for the healthcare professional to provide the latest information on a broad spectrum of cardiovascular diseases commonly encountered in every day practice. This full-day scientific program will offer realistic views on many controversial issues in cardiovascular disease today. In addition to a review of current guidelines, practices and new developments in the field of cardiovascular medicine, session topics will include atherosclerosis, hypertension, heart failure, coronary artery disease, cardiometabolic stroke, arrhythmias, imaging, transcatheter aortic valve replacement, health care reform, and racial/ethnic disparities papers published in 2011-2012.

The sessions will include combinations of didactic lectures, keynote lectures, and roundtable discussions. A faculty of internationally known leaders in the field has been invited to share their knowledge and experiences with complex and controversial cases.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this educational activity, attendees should be able to:

- Understand the clinical implications of genetic studies for global populations and in the setting of anticoagulation therapy
- Discuss state of the art research and its implications related to arrhythmias in multi-ethnic populations
- Discuss key national and international health policy related to CVD prevention
- highlight the findings of key racial/ethnic disparities papers published in 2011-2012
- provide up to date clinical data about metabolic disorders in diverse populations

INTENDED AUDIENCE

The target audience for this activity includes physicians, especially cardiovascular specialists, internists, primary care physicians, family practice physicians, researchers, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses and other health care professionals interested in the care of patients with or at risk for cardiovascular disease.

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

Association of Black Cardiologists, Inc. (ABC) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

CREDIT DESIGNATION

The Association of Black Cardiologists designates this educational activity for a maximum of 7.5 hours AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

DISCLOSURE

The Association of Black Cardiologists (ABC) requires faculty, planners, managers, staff and other individuals who are in a position to control the content of CME activities to disclose any real or apparent conflict of interest they may have as related to the content of this activity. All identified conflicts of interest are thoroughly vetted by ABC for fair balance, scientific objectivity of studies mentioned in the materials or used as the basis for content and appropriateness of patient care recommendations. Faculty disclosures will be provided in activity materials.

ADA STATEMENT

Special Needs: In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, we seek to make this conference accessible to all. If you have a disability which might require special accommodations, please email cme@abccardio.org or call 800-375-9222.

AGENDA

7:30 am Registration / Breakfast

8:00 – 8:15 Welcome / Program Overview
Ola Akinboboye, MD, MPH, MBA, President,
Association of Black Cardiologists
Mariell Jessup, MD, President-Elect,
American Heart Association
L. Julian Haywood, MD, Honorary Chairperson

SECTION I

Chairs: Charles Athill, MD and Calum MacRae, MD, PhD

8:15-8:35 **Diabetes Prevention: From Theory to Practice in Diverse Populations**
Thomas Buchanan, MD
Chief, Division Endocrinology and Diabetes
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA

8:35-8:55 **Pharmacogenetics of Novel Antiplatelet and Anticoagulation Therapies**
Jessica Mega, MD, MPH
Assistant Professor of Medicine,
Harvard Medical School
Associate Investigator, TIMI Study Group
Brigham and Women's Hospital,
Cardiovascular Division, Boston, MA

8:55-9:15 **Genetics, Cardiac Sympathetic Innervation and Ventricular Arrhythmias**
Kalyanam Shivkumar, MD, PhD
Professor of Medicine & Radiological Sciences
Director, UCLA Cardiac Arrhythmia Center,
Los Angeles, CA

9:15-9:35 **Genetics and CVD: AHA Policy Statement 2012**
Calum MacRae, MD, PhD
Associate Professor of Medicine
Harvard Medical School
Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA
Associate Member, Broad Institute of Harvard and MIT

9:35-9:45 Discussion

SECTION II

Chairs: L. Julian Haywood, MD

9:45-10:10 **Dr. Herbert W. Nickens Memorial Lecture
The Impact of Health Care Reform on Elimination of Health Care Disparities**
Richard Allen Williams, MD
Clinical Professor of Medicine, UCLA School
of Medicine President/CEO,
The Minority Health Institute, Inc., Founder,
Association of Black Cardiologists, Inc. Encino, CA

10:10-10:35 **Know the Plaque but Focus on Prevention**
Jagut Narula, MD, PhD
Philip J. and Harriet L. Goodhart
Chair in Cardiology
Associate Dean for Global Health, Mount Sinai
School of Medicine
Director of Cardiovascular Imaging Program,
Mount Sinai Heart, New York, NY

10:35-10:45 Discussion

10:45- 11:00 Break

SECTION III

Chairs: Charles Athill, MD and
Usha Tedrow, MD, MS

11:00-11:20 **Atrial Fibrillation: Race/Ethnicity, Prevalence and Treatment:**
Emeila J. Benjamin, MD, ScM
Boston University Schools of Medicine and
Public Health
The Framingham Heart Study
Framingham, MA

11:20-11:40 **Atrial Fibrillation Ablation: State of the Art Science and Intervention**
Charles Athill, MD
Associate Director, San Diego Cardiac Center
Chief of Cardiology and Director of
Electrophysiology,
Sharp Memorial Hospital, San Diego
Assistant Clinical Professor,
University of California, San Diego, CA

11:40-12:00 **Sudden Cardiac Death and Multiethnic Populations**
Christine M. Albert, MD, MPH
Associate Professor of Medicine
Harvard Medical School
Director, Center of Arrhythmia Prevention
Brigham and Women's Hospital,
Cardiovascular Division, Boston, MA
Associate Editor, Circulation

12:00-12:20 **Ventricular Tachycardia Ablation: State of the Art Science and Intervention**
Usha Tedrow, MD, MS
Assistant Professor of Medicine,
Harvard Medical School
Director, Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology
Brigham and Women's Hospital,
Cardiovascular Division, Boston, MA

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12:20-12:30 Discussion
Lunchtime Roundtable

SECTION IV

Chairs: Michelle A. Albert, MD, MPH and
Clyde W. Yancy, MD

12:40-12:50 **Trends in Black-White Life Expectancy Gap (JAMA 2012)**

Sam Harper, PhD
Assistant Professor, Department of Epidemiology,
Biostatistics & Occupational Health
McGill University, Montreal, Quebec

12:50-1:00 **Neighborhoods, Obesity and Diabetes: A Randomized Social Experiment (NEJM 2011)**

Jens Ludwig, PhD
McCormick Foundation Professor of Social Service
Administration, Law, and Public Policy
University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

1:00-1:10 **A Gender and Racial Gap in Implantable Defibrillator Use Among Hospitalized Heart Failure Patients (JAMA 2011)**

Clyde Yancy, MD, MSc
Magerstadt Professor of Medicine, Chief, Division of
Cardiology, Northwestern University,
Feinberg School of Medicine &
Associate Director, Bluhm Cardiovascular Institute,
Northwestern Memorial Hospital, Chicago, IL

1:10-1:20 **Race/Ethnicity and NIH Research Awards (Science 2011)**

Michelle A. Albert, MD, MPH
Vivian Beaumont Allen Endowed Chair &
Professor Chief, Cardiovascular Medicine and
Director of Cardiovascular Research
Howard University
Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA

1:20-1:40 Panel Discussion

SECTION V

Chairs: Michelle A. Albert, MD, MPH and
Charles Athill, MD

1:40-2:00 **Acute Stroke Intervention: Vascular Neurology Perspective**

Mike Brant-Zawadzki, MD, FACR
The Ron and Sandi Endowed Chair
Executive Medical Director, Neurosciences
Hoag Memorial Hospital Presbyterian,
Newport Beach, CA

2:00-2:20 **Obesity and Cardiovascular Disease Risk: Non-surgical and Surgical Management**

Tiffany Powell-Wiley, MD, MPH
Clinical Investigator, Cardiovascular and
Pulmonary Branch, NHLBI, Applied Research Program
DCCPS, NCI, National Institutes of Health,
Bethesda, MD

2:20-2:40 **HDL and Cardiovascular Disease: Myths and Reality**

Robert Rosenson, MD
Director, Cardiometabolic Disorders,
Professor of Medicine
Mt. Sinai Medical Center, New York, NY

2:40-2:50 Discussion

SECTION VI

Chairs: Yele Aluko, MD and
Michelle A. Albert, MD, MPH

2:50-3:10 **Integrating Cardiac CT into a Multitude of Imaging Modalities Available For Your Practice**

Robert L. Gillespie, MD
Sharp Rees-Stealy Medical Group, San Diego, CA

3:10-3:30 **Renal Denervation: Novel Therapy for Resistant Hypertension**

Vasilios Papademetriou, MD
Professor of Medicine, Georgetown University
VA Medical Center, Washington, DC

3:30-3:50 **Cardiac MRI, Not Your Grandpa's MRI**

Robert Biederman, MD
Director, Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Imaging,
Allegheny General Hospital
Associate Professor of Medicine, Drexel University
College of Medicine, Associate Professor of
Bioengineering Carnegie Mellon University
Gerald McGinnis Cardiovascular Institute,
Pittsburgh, PA

3:50-4:10 **Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement (TAVR)**

Yele Aluko, MD
Medical Director
Cardiac Catheterization Laboratories
Presbyterian Cardiovascular Institute,
Charlotte, NC

4:10-4:25 Discussion

4:25-4:30 Closing Remarks