

The Safar Center for Resuscitation Research,
The Department of Anesthesiology and the Department of Critical Care Medicine,
Cordially invite you to attend the
6th Annual Safar Symposium

Morning session: Starzl Biomedical Science Tower, South-Rm S100

Afternoon session: WISER, 230 McKee Place, Suite 300

On Thursday, May 15, 2008

Preliminary Program

Morning Session: (location: Starzl Biomedical Science Tower, South-Room S100)
Breakthroughs in Resuscitation: Neurocritical Care and Neuroanesthesia for Infants and Children

Vinay M. Nadkarni, MD – Pediatric Resuscitation in the 21st Century
Seetha Shankaran, MD – Hypothermia for Neonatal Hypoxic-Ischemic Encephalopathy
Clifton Callaway, MD, PhD – Implementation of Therapeutic Hypothermia at the Health System Level
Peter Davis, MD – Anesthetic Considerations Regarding Infants: A Clinical Perspective
Mioara Manole, MD – CBF after Experimental Asphyxial Cardiac Arrest: A New Therapeutic Target

The 28th Peter and Eva Safar Annual Lectureship in Medical Sciences and Humanities

Guest Speaker: John W. Olney, MD

John P. Feighner Professor of Psychiatry, Neuropathology & Neuropsychopharmacology
Washington University School of Medicine

Topic: Excitotoxic and Apoptotic Neurodegeneration – Causal Mechanisms and Preventive Strategies

Time: 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM - (Starzl Biomedical Science Tower, South-Room S100)

Afternoon Session: (location: WISER, 230 McKee Place, Suite 300)

Advances in Pediatric Simulation Education and Assessment

Mary D. Patterson, MD, MEd – In Situ Simulation: Innovation for Teamwork and Safety
Vinay M. Nadkarni, MD – Use of Healthcare Failure Mode Effect Analysis to Develop Scripted Debriefing Tools for PALS Team Training
Jennifer Arnold, MD, MSc – Improving Neonatal Airway Skills with Simulation
Noel Zuckerbraun, MD, MPH / Erin Phrampus, MD – Room for Improvement: Transforming Pediatric Emergency Medicine Education for Residents and Fellows
Melinda F. Fiedor, MD – ECMOSim; Training to Care for the Sickest of the Sick

Due to limited seating, we ask that you please RSVP by May 2, 2008
Replies can be faxed to: 412-624-0943 or email: mistrickfh@anes.upmc.edu
Please specify which session(s) you plan to attend.

I, _____, will attend the following session(s):

- 7:45 am Continental Breakfast
 8:15 – 11:50 am Morning Session: Breakthroughs in Resuscitation
 12:00 – 1:00 pm Peter & Eva Safar Lecture
 1:00 – 1:45 pm Reception
 2:00 – 5:10 pm Afternoon Session: Advances in Pediatric Simulation Education and Assessment
 All of the above

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