

2021 Sessions*

October 8

Anesthesiology Education and Workforce Training: The International Perspective
COVID-19 Experiences From the First Wave
Does Intraoperative Lung Protective Ventilation Matter?
ESAIC PANEL: European Perspective of COVID-19: Challenges and Opportunities
Improving Maternal and Fetal Outcomes Internationally
Intraoperative Critical Care: How Best to Succeed When All Seems Lost
Morbidly Obese Pediatric Patients and Ambulatory Surgery: Is it Safe?
Perioperative Brain Health 2021
Perioperative Management of the Pulmonary Hypertension Patient During Noncardiac Surgery
Safety and Efficacy of Regional Anesthesia in Infants, Children and Adolescents
Vapers and Smokers: What Do I Need to Know?
WFSA Panel: Challenges in Perioperative Care in Low and Middle Income Countries
What to Expect When You're Not Expecting: Emergencies in Labor and Delivery

October 9

(ASRA PAIN) A Whole New World: Updates on Pain Medicine 2021
(ASRA Regional) Value Proposition of Regional Anesthesia and Acute Pain Medicine
(SAMBA) Patient Selection in Three Different Locations: Ambulatory Operating Room, Ambulatory Surgery Center, and Office-Based Anesthesia Practice
(SCA) Perioperative Medicine for the Cardiac Surgical Patient
(SEA) The Pandemic as a Positive Disruptor in Education
(SNACC) Ketamine: New Insights Into an Old Drug
(SOAP) Disparities in Maternal Outcomes
(SOCCA) Critical Care Year in Review
(SPA) Updates on Essential Topics in Pediatric Neuroanesthesia
(STA) Leveraging Technology (Telemedicine and Remote Monitoring) in Perioperative Care During a Global Crisis
A Shift in Paradigm: The Use of Multimodal Analgesia in Enhanced Recovery for Cardiac Patients
Acute Pain Management: No Patient Left Behind
Anaphylaxis and More: Everything About Perioperative Allergies You Wanted To Know but Asked Too Late
Anesthesia Delivered to the Door: Exploring the Uber Eats Model of This Anesthesia Model
Anesthesia for Liver Transplantation: Current Perspectives and Controversies
Anesthesia for Nonobstetric Surgery During Pregnancy
Anesthesia STAT to OR E: ECMO, ECLS, and ECPR
Anesthetic Management for TAVR: Too Much, Too Little, or Stuck in the Middle?
Anesthetic Management of the Morbidly Obese Parturient
APSF Panel: Clinician Safety: To Care is Human
Cardiogenic Shock: Recent Advances and Perioperative Management in the Noncardiac Surgical Setting
Challenges in Perioperative Medication Management
Complications in Pediatric Anesthesia: How To Stay Out of Trouble!
COVID-19 Highlighted the Value of Anesthesiology: How To Maintain Those Gains

Current Trends and Updates in Head and Neck Anesthesia
Ellison C. Pierce Lecture: Anesthesia Safety in an Asymmetrical World
End-of-Life Care: Facing the Question of Goals of Care When We Are the Only Ones Asking
Enhanced Recovery After Cesarean Delivery (ERAC): How Do I Introduce It in My Practice and Does It Improve Maternal Outcomes?
ESAS Sponsored Innovative Session — Going Up: Early Stage Anesthesiology Scholars Rapid-Fire Showcase
Featured Session: Diversity in GME
Geriatric Hip Fractures: An Update on Perioperative Regional Analgesia
Harnessing the Power of Performance Measurement To Improve Perioperative Outcomes
HELLP! How To Keep Moms With Preeclampsia Safe
How to Determine Who Should Undergo Same-Day Total Joint Arthroplasty and How To Facilitate It
I Don't Do Kids! Managing Pediatric Disease in the Adult Patient
I'll Have My Anesthetic To Go, Thank You?
Implications of Severe Liver Disease on Perioperative Management for Non-Transplant Procedures
Inducing Buprenorphine in Inpatients and Outpatients, Pharmacology, and Practical Aspects
Initial Results: Clinical Trials
Intraoperative Thoracic & Airway Disasters: Don't Just Stand There, Do Something!
Iron Deficiency in the Surgical Patient
Journal Symposium: SARS-CoV-2 and COVID-19: New Paradigms and Challenges for Anesthesiologists
Learning Fascial Plane Blocks Is a Snap!
Mechanical Support for Cardiogenic Shock
Occupational Exposure of the Anesthesiologist: An Update in a Pandemic 2021
Opening Keynote: Leadership in Turbulent Times
Our Favorite Papers of the Year: How Will They Affect Your Practice?
Out-of-the-Box Interventions for Pediatric Pain Management
Outpatient Total Knee Arthroplasty: An Update
Pediatric Enhanced Recovery Pathways: Lessons Learned and Tips for Successful Implementation
Peer Review: Does It Improve Patient Care and Safety?
Perioperative Approaches to the Prevention and Management of Organ Dysfunction: Rapid-Fire Pragmatic Pearls From the ICU
Perioperative Cardiac Risk Assessment and Optimization: Recommendations in 2021
Perioperative Management of Patients With Coronary Stents
Perioperative Management of Traumatic Brain Injury and Future Directions Beyond the Operating Room
Peripheral Nerve Blocks for Total Joint Arthroplasty: What Is IN and What Is OUT
Peripheral Nerve Stimulation for Uniting Subspecialty Anesthesia: Novel Uses From the OR To the ICU and Beyond
Physician Burnout: Is Resilience The Only Answer? Identifying and Addressing Stressors, Mistreatment, and Harassment
Postpartum Hemorrhage: How to Prepare for It, How to Prevent It, and What to Do When Blood is Pooling on the Floor
Restoring Balance: Managing Disruptive Behaviors in the Workplace
Risk Reduction in Pediatric Anesthesia
Scope of Practice: Can A Nurse Anesthetist Really Do My Job?
Tackling the Top Patient Safety Problems in Your Practice: Recommendations From the ASA Patient Safety Editorial Board

The ABCs of MCS: Everything You Want To Know About Mechanical Circulatory Support
The Influence of Obstructive Sleep Apnea on Perioperative Outcomes in Children
The Top 20 Papers From 2020 That Will Influence Your Practice
Transthoracic Echocardiography in the Perioperative Setting: A Case-Based Discussion
Update on Perioperative Management of New Implantable Cardiac Rhythm Devices
Value-Based Health Care in Pediatric Surgical Patients
Vapers, IQOSers, and Smokers: How Can I Help Them?
What Is New in Perioperative Glucose Control?
What You See Is What You Get — Or Is It? Updates on Objective Neuromuscular Monitoring
Which Patients Are Too High-Risk for Ambulatory Surgery?

October 10

2020 Consensus Guidelines for the Management of Postoperative Nausea and Vomiting: What's New?
A Hidden GEM for a Rising STAR: NIA's Pathway to Develop Multidisciplinary Researchers in Aging
Absolute or Relative to Baseline: Is There a Magic Intraoperative Blood Pressure Number?
AIRS Safety Tables — Part I
AIRS Safety Tables — Part II
Ambulatory Anesthesia News: A Review of Noteworthy Literature Published Within the Last Year in Ambulatory Anesthesiology
Anesthesia for Complex Spine Surgery
Anesthesia-Advanced Cardiac Life Support (A-ACLS)
Anesthetic Considerations for the Teenage Patient: Vaping and Marijuana Use, Post Concussion Status, and Assent
Are Elderly Surgical Patients Different? Should We Offer Separate Training Experiences for the Anesthesiology Resident?
ASRA Practice Advisories: Review and Update
Atrial Fibrillation: Everything You Need to Know From A to F
Balancing Fertility, Family, and Career: Considerations for Starting a Family in Medicine
Brain Attack? Acute Ischemic Stroke and the Anesthesiologist
Brain Versus Baby: Considerations for Neurosurgery in the Pregnant Patient
Breaking Out an Old Tool to Optimize Cancer Pain Management
Cannabinoids and Pain: What Anesthesiologists and Pain Physicians Need to Know
Carotid Endarterectomy: Past, Present, and Future!
Challenging Clinical Vignettes of Bleeding Patients in Cardiac Surgery
Creating Value With Regional Anesthesia
Documentation for Regional Anesthesia: Why Do You Write All of That Stuff in Your Procedure Note?
eSAS: Career Options for Anesthesia Researchers
eSAS: Communicating Science to Maximize Impact When Speaking with Non-Researchers
eSAS: Keys to Success as an Academic Anesthesiologist
Featured Session: NIH-Funded Clinical Trials in Anesthesiology: Current Studies, Networks and Innovations
Gender and Racial Disparities in Perioperative Care
Health Care Death by Suicide: Preventing a Tragic End
Hot Topics in Pediatric Anesthesiology: Editor's Picks 2021 Part 1
Hot Topics in Pediatric Anesthesiology: Editor's Picks 2021 Part 2
How Sweet It Is: Diabetes Management in the OR and ICU
Improving Communication with Patients: Lessons From the Closed Claims Project
International Forum on Perioperative Safety & Quality (ISQ) Panel: Global Quality and Safety Priorities
Interventional Neuroradiology: Anesthetic Considerations and Crisis Management
Investigating Traditions, Dogmas, and Myths in Anesthesia Practice
Keep Your Eye on the Ball! Coordination in the Care Continuum

is Essential
Keep Your Foot on the Ground, Not in Your Mouth: Optimizing Respectful, Professional Communication with Patients/Colleagues
Ketamine: Panacea or Nostrum?
Labor Analgesia: How Can I Improve My Practice?
Lessons Learned From the National Incident Reporting System, AIRS, and the Australian/New Zealand Incident Reporting System
Lung Protective Ventilation for the Surgical Patient
Maternal Morbidity and Mortality: An Anesthesiologist's Role and Perspective
Measuring Pain: Developing Meaningful Endpoints for Acute Pain Clinical Trials (HEAL Initiative)
Mechanical Circulatory Support Devices for the Noncardiac Anesthesiologist
Medication Errors and Medication Safety: Preventing Errors in the Operating Room
My Patient is Too Sick for Surgery, But Not For NORA? Confronting Challenges To Patient Safety Outside of the OR
Myocardial Injury After Noncardiac Surgery (MINS)
New Devices and Global Trends for Anesthesia Services in the GI Suite
Nonoperating Room Anesthesia: Safely Managing Challenging Cases in the Most Challenging Environments
Oh No! A Bad Epidural and a Terrible Tracing? Managing Problematic Epidural Catheters in Labor and Urgent Cesarean Delivery
Onco-Anesthesia: What is the Best Anesthetic Technique for Cancer Surgery in the Elderly in 2021?
Opioids 2021: Appropriate Use and Stewardship
Outcomes Research Consortium Panel
Pace Yourself: Update on the Perioperative Management of Cardiovascular Implantable Electronic Devices (CIEDs)
Palliative Care for the Private Practice, Academic, or Critical Care Anesthesiologist
Pediatric Ambulatory Anesthesia: Hot Topics
Pediatric Mass Casualty
Pediatric Patients with Congenital Heart Disease for Noncardiac Emergency Cases
Pediatric Sedation: Methods to Enhance Safety
Pediatric Trauma Update
Perioperative Issues in Chronic Pain Patients
Perioperative Management of the Aging Patient: A Practical Guide to Frailty, Cognition, and Shared Decision Making
Perioperative Management of the Patient with Heart Failure
Perioperative Methadone: The Practical, Opioid-Sparing Opioid
Perioperative Neuroscience Update
Perioperative Peripheral Nerve Injury (PPNI) and Complex Regional Pain Syndrome (CRPS)
Perioperative Sepsis: The Anesthetist as the First Intensivist
Postoperative Brain Health: Still Foggy?
Postoperative Delirium: Clinical Aspect and Research Prospective
Postoperative Respiratory Events: Identification, Management, and Post-PACU Destination; Can Artificial Intelligence Help?
Preventing and Managing Complications on L&D: How to Move From Being Just REactive To PROactive
Processed Electroencephalography Target and Postoperative Delirium
Pulmonary Hypertension Master Class
REBOA in OB and Trauma: Saving Lives From Acute Hemorrhage
Recommendations From the Multi-Society Committee on Buprenorphine: The Role of the Anesthesiologist in Opioid Use Disorder
Rediscovering Norepinephrine in Routine Intraoperative Practice
Reducing the Risk of Infectious and Hemorrhagic Complications of Regional Anesthesia
Regional Anesthesia for Upper Limb Surgery: Update
REMS OPIOID SESSION: Pain Management Considerations: For the Anesthesiologist by the Anesthesiologist
Revascularization in 2021: Is Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery a Thing of the Past or Part of the Future?

Role of Anesthesiologists in Value-Based Care and Clinical Transformation in a Health System
Same-Day Joint Replacement: The Future?
See How I Feel, Not Who I Am: Mitigating Implicit Bias in Pain Management
SOAP/Gertie Marx Plenary Lecture: One-third of a Century of Learning: The Contributions of Anesthesiologists to Obstetric Care
Structural Heart Procedures: Echocardiography Like Never Seen Before!
Target-Controlled Infusions: Do They Have A Place In The Ambulatory Setting?
The Healthcare Ecosystem Post-Pandemic: A CMS Perspective
The Next Endoscopy Patient Has WHAT?! Safely Navigating Severe Comorbid Conditions in the Endoscopy Suite
Trauma Anesthesiology: Perioperative Management of the Multi-Trauma Patient
Truths, Tips, and Tactics for Caring for the Pregnant Patient With Substance Use Disorder
Understanding Medical Accidents
Updates in Cardiac Surgery-Associated AKI
Updates in Our Understanding and Application of Lower Extremity Nerve Blocks
What Is New With Geriatric Critical Care
When a Broken Heart Turns Your Call Into a Nightmare: Emergent Care of the Adult Patient With Congenital Heart Disease
WLM History Panel: Untold Stories of Anesthesia in the Second World War: Part I
WLM History Panel: Untold Stories of Anesthesia in the Second World War: Part II
Wood Library-Museum of Anesthesiology: Lewis H Wright Lecture: The Remarkable Story of Freeman Allen: A Pioneering Physician Anesthetist

October 11

ALERT! What Do I Need to Do About Intraoperative Neurophysiologic Monitoring?
Alternative Payment Models as Novel Revenue Streams: How Different Practice Settings Demonstrate Value In and Out of the OR
Anesthesiologists as Hospital Leaders: How We Can Contribute Beyond the Operating Room
Anesthetic Considerations for Modern Evolutions in Thoracic Aortic Surgery
Applying Clinical Trial Results in Anesthesia: What Do They Really Mean?
Applying ERAS to Cardiac Surgery: Key Components for Advancing Your Program
Art Into Science: The Intersection of Evidence and Pediatric Airway Management in Modern Practice
Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning for Anesthesiologists
ASA Units/FTE Does Not Work: The Right Way to Measure Anesthesia Clinical Productivity at the Group Level
Best Practices in Regional Anesthesia and Interventional Pain Medicine: The Benefit of Closed Claims Analysis
Brain Monitoring in 2021: Innovations and Applications
Cannabinoids in Acute and Chronic Pain: Utility, Legality, Safety, and Efficacy
Cardiac Case Crises on Labor and Delivery
Celebration of Research
Contemporary Challenges for Certified Anesthesiologist Assistants (CAA) Practice
Controversies in High-Risk Anesthesia and Critical Care
COVID and the Changed Landscape of Airway Management and Education
Critical Illness in the Perioperative Period: Five Topics in 50 Minutes
Current Controversies in Airway Management
Do Perioperative Handoffs Really Cause Harm? If So, What Can We Do About It?
Emergency Manuals in Clinical Uses: Impacts, Uptake, and Tips

Emery A. Rovenstine Lecture: Ever Eger: My Love Affair with Anesthesia
Encephalopathy and Seizure-Like Activity After Complex Cardiac Surgery
FAER Helrich Lecture: Crisis and Opportunity in Clinical Trials
FAER Panel: Modified Consent and Interpretation of Clinical Trials
FAER Research in Education Grant Panel
FAER: Defining the Academic Future: ARC's Recommendations for Anesthesiology's Physician Scientist Pipeline
Featured Session: ASA/IARS Panel: Anesthetic Neurotoxicity: Making Sense of the Clinical Studies
Here to Stay or Here for the Day? Important Considerations for Overnight Stay Ambulatory Surgicenters
How to Build and Lead a Safe and Efficient NORA Service
Into the Danger Zone: Pediatric Anesthesia in Remote Locations
Ketamine in the Clinic, Hospital, and at Home
Managing Neurologic Complications in Labor and Delivery: How to Move From Being Just REactive to PROactive
Navigating the Frontiers of Regional Anesthesia: Novel Techniques and Service Lines to Expand Your Practice
Negotiating With Numbers to Demonstrate Value of Anesthesia Services
No Parents? No Problem! Anxiolysis Options When Parental Presence at Induction is Impossible
Office-Based Anesthesia 2020: Safety, Snippets, and Snaps
Oozes, Bruises, and Confusion: Platelets, Anticoagulation, and Neuraxial Procedures on Labor and Delivery
Performance Metrics for Regional Anesthesia and Pain Medicine: Why and How?
Perioperative Management of Patients on Medication-Assisted Treatment: Methadone, Buprenorphine, and Naltrexone, Oh My!
Perioperative Opioids: Challenges and Opportunities for Preoperative Optimization and Coordinated Postoperative Care
Persistent Postsurgical Pain: Risks, Prevention, and Role of Transitional Pain Service
Postoperative Concerns: Post-Conceptual Age Admission, Emergence Delirium, Regional Post-Tonsillectomy Hemorrhage, and Stridor
Postoperative Pain Management in Challenging Situations
Preoperative Consideration of Social Determinants of Health: Can We Help Prevent Disparities in Health Care?
Preoperative Optimization: Small Things You Can Do to Make a Big Difference
Put the Pedal to the Metal: How Sponsorship Can Accelerate Careers, Elevate Departments, and Create Next Generation Leaders
Regional Anesthesia Training in Resource-Limited Settings: Sustainable Models for Change
Safe Practices in Ambulatory and Office Surgery in the COVID/Pandemic Era: PPE, Patients, and Policies
Sedation for High-Risk Patients: When Anesthesia Is the Riskiest Part of the Procedure
Subspecialization Is Threatening the Practice of Anesthesiology
Telehealth: Digital Strategies in Perioperative Medicine
The Cirrhotic Patient Presenting for Elective Surgery: Anesthesia Pearls and Pitfalls
The Leadership Imperative
The Magic School Bus Explores Hemorrhage From Microscopic to Macroscopic Concepts: A Talk About Bleeding and Hemostasis
Time is Brain: Mitigating Neurologic Emergencies in the Operating Room
Towards Controlling the Chaos: Organization and Scheduling of Cardiac Services Outside of the Operating Room
What is the Point of POCUS for the Anesthesiologist Covering L&D?
What's Race Got To Do With It? Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Pediatric Anesthesia
Will Further Cardiac Testing Impact Decision Making? A Collaborative Approach to Health Care With the Patient
Wood Library-Museum of Anesthesiology Patrick Sim Forum on the History of Anesthesiology/WLM Tea: 10 Years Later: Lessons from Patrick P. Sim, MLS

October 12

AAP Advocacy Panel — Facing Pandora's Box: Pediatric Depression, Racial Health Disparity, and Gun Violence in a Pandemic
Acute Spinal Cord Injury Patients: Improving Care and Outcomes
Anesthesia for Cesarean Delivery
Anesthetic Management of Obstetrical Patients After Unintentional Dural Puncture: Intrathecal vs. Epidural Catheterization
Arrest? Open the Chest! The New Protocol for Resuscitation of Patients Who Arrest After Cardiac Surgery
ASA/SABM Joint Session: Patient Blood Management as the Standard of Care in Cardiac Surgery
Becoming a #1 Influencer in Anesthesiology: How to Use Social Media for Professional Development
Cases, Cases, Nothing but Cases: Lessons Learned From the Clinical Arena
Challenges and Controversies in Trauma Management
Complex Cardiac Patients Coming to Your ORI
Controversies in Critical Care
Controversies in Management of OB Patients with COVID-19
Dilemmas and Decision-Making in Neuroanesthesia
Disparities and Their Impacts on Labor and Delivery
Do Opioids Promote Cancer Metastasis?
Enhancing Patient Safety During Periprocedural Neurologic Emergencies
Establishing Value and Remuneration in the Practice of Preoperative Medicine
Ethical Dilemmas in Pediatric Anesthesia
Fasting Guidelines: Challenges, Controversies, and Corroboration
Gender, Communication, and Emotional Intelligence: The Role of Women in the Future of the Workplace
Guide to Committee Greatness: Chairs and Members
Heroics Outside of the Heart Room: TEE for Unexpected and Unexplained Shock in Noncardiac Surgery
Hot Topics in Heart and Lung Transplantation
How About Neuraxial Techniques in Patients With Multiple Sclerosis, Pain Devices, or Undergoing Spine Surgery?
Improving Patient Outcome After Perioperative Neuromuscular Blockade
Interventional Pulmonology: Considerations for the Anesthesiologist
Is This Malignant Hyperthermia (MH)?
John W. Severinghaus Lecture: Gadgeteering for Pain Relief
Lung Isolation With a Difficult Airway
Managing Subcutaneous ICDs, LVAD Vagal Nerve, Deep Brain, and Dorsal Column Stimulators During Ambulatory Surgery
Millennials Transforming Medicine: Bridging the Generation Gap in Health Care
Multimodal Analgesia for Craniotomy: Moving Toward an Opioid-Free Technique
New Concepts in Perioperative Fluid Management
New Devices, New Problems in Perioperative Medicine
Novel Non-Opioid Regional Analgesics: Cryoanalgesia, Percutaneous Peripheral Nerve Stimulation, and Liposomal Local Anesthetic
Occupational Hazards for Anesthesiologists
One-Stop Shop for Geriatric Anesthesia: Be an Expert in One Session
Pediatric Patient Blood Management: Are They Small Adults?

Pediatric Surgical Patients at ASCs: Ambiguous Selection Criteria or Ambulatory Surgical Centers
Perioperative Considerations of Over-the-Counter Supplement Use: The Non-Medications Your Patients are Taking
Perioperative Management of the Patient With Pulmonary Hypertension Presenting for Noncardiac Surgery
Perioperative Myocardial Injury
Perioperative Oxygen: Friend or Foe?
Point-of-Care Ultrasound: A Powerful Tool in Perioperative Anesthesia-Centric Advanced Life Support
Preventing Lung Injury During One Lung Ventilation
Quality Improvement: A Subspecialty Perspective from Cardiac, Pediatric, and Neuroanesthesia
Regional Anesthesia for Trauma
Regional Anesthesia in the Athlete: Risk vs. Reward
Rise of the Machines! Understanding Your Anesthesia Workstation
Secrets of Successful Manuscript Preparation
She Has What and Still Wants an Epidural?
Still Pill-Popping: Opioid Stewardship on L&D
The Changing Nature of Global Health Involvement for Anesthesiologists in COVID Times
The Difficult Pediatric Airway
The Present and the Future of Quality Improvement
The Snap on Meds: Recent Insights Into New and Old Perioperative Medications
Thinking Fast, Thinking Slow: A Pro-Con Argument About Clinical Decision-Making
Thoracic Endovascular Repairs: To Drain or Not to Drain?
Through the Looking Glass and Beyond the EEG: In Vivo Imaging of Neuronal Activity During Wakefulness and General Anesthesia
To Line or Not to Line: Is a Central Line Necessary for the Safe Infusion of Vasopressor?
To Treat or Not to Treat Preoperative Hyperglycemia: A Dilemma in Ambulatory Surgery Setting
Tranexamic Acid and the Neurosurgical Patient: How Effective Is It? And Is It Safe?
Transthoracic Echocardiography for Hip Surgery in Geriatric Patients: A Necessity or a Waste of Resources?
Update on Coagulation Management in the Perioperative Setting
Updates in Anticoagulation Guidelines for Regional Anesthesia and Interventional Pain Management: When the Path is Not as Clear
Vasoplegia After Cardiopulmonary Bypass
What Anesthesia-Trained Intensivists Say About Stress, Bias, and Burnout During the Pandemic
What's New in Airway Management
Why Should You (Or Anyone!) Care About How Data Are Managed in Your EHR?
Yes, No, Maybe So: A Re-Examination of the Evidence Behind Common Clinical Practices

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