

# CRT 2008

## Final Program

February 11 - 13, 2008  
Omni Shoreham Hotel  
Washington, DC

Presented by:  
Cardiovascular Research Institute  
at Washington Hospital Center



Tuesday, February 12, 2008

## Breakfast Symposia

7:00 am - 8:00 am

### Medtronic: Current & Future Technologies

Empire Ballroom

Jeffrey J. Popma, MD, Renu Virmani, MD & Josiah N. Wilcox, PhD

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## BEST Abstract: Oral Presentations

Congressional Room

Moderators: Robert A. Lager, MD & Mickey Scheinowitz, PhD

Revascularization (Surgical or Percutaneous) in Patients With Chronic Total Occlusions Confers a Significant Survival Advantage When Compared to Medical Therapy

Saurabh Gupta, MD

Quantification of Adventitial Neovascularization During Atherosclerosis Progression With Contrast Ultrasound: A Histologic Validation

Diego Moguillansky, MD

Novel Anti-inflammatory Salicylate-Based Bioabsorbable Drug-Eluting Polymeric Stent Coating

Refat Jabara, MD

Paradigm Shift in Management of Critical Lower Limb Ischaemia (CLI) in the 21st Century - Randomization of CLI Patients With TASC C and D Lesions to Subintimal Angioplasty (SIA) or Bypass Surgery (BS) in Concomitance to Plaque Echolucency in the Femoro-popliteal Segment: The 5-year Irish Trial

Niamh Hynes, MD, MRCSI

The Potential Clinical Utility of Intravascular Ultrasound Guidance in Patients Undergoing Percutaneous Coronary Intervention with Drug-Eluting Stents

Prabhat Ray, MD

Heart Failure Improvement by Minimally Invasive Delivery of Autologous Bone Marrow Mononuclear Cells (ABMNC) Transplantation: Long Term Follow-up

Jorge Tuma-Mubarak, MD

Vasorelaxation is Impaired Proximal and Distal to Paclitaxel-eluting Stents

Lakshmana Pendyala, MD

Experience With CoreValve Aortic Valve Replacement in Patients for Surgical Aortic Valve Replacement

Raoul Bonan, MD

Incidence of True Clopidogrel Resistance in High Risk PCI Patients Using Vasp-test

Marc Bedossa, MD

Distal Embolization During Renal Artery Angioplasty and Stenting: Role of Thienopyridine Antiplatelets

Khalil Karjiwal, MD



Subject  
Congratulations from the CRT 2008 Committee

Dear Jorge Tuma-Mubarak, MD:

Congratulations! Your abstract entitled “Heart Failure Improvement By Minimally Invasive Delivery Of Autologous Bone Marrow Mononuclear Cells (ABMMC) Transplantation. Long Term Follow-up” has been chosen as one of the “Best Abstracts” for CRT 2008. New for CRT 2008, the top 10 abstracts will be presented by their author as a 5 minute oral presentation during The BEST Abstract Breakfast Symposium on Tuesday, February 12, 2008. This symposium will be held at the Omni Shoreham Hotel’s Congressional Room from 7:00 AM – 8:00AM.

The top “5 BEST Abstracts” will receive an Apple iPhone. Please note that in order to receive your iPhone, you must be present at CRT, have displayed your poster in the Exhibit Hall, and present your abstract at the Abstract breakfast symposium. In addition, your abstract will be published in the Cardiovascular Revascularization Medicine (CRM) journal and you will receive a one-year complimentary subscription to CRM.

Please send me an email to confirm your attendance at CRT 2008. If you have not already registered for CRT.

Again, Congratulations and we look forward to seeing you soon!

Thank you.