

**Thursday June 27, 2019**

- 6:30 am – 8:00 am **Industry Supported Breakfast Symposium: Sponsored by Relypsa**
- 8:15 am – 8:30 am **Opening Remarks**  
*Danielle DiGennaro, MSN, ANP-BC, UF Health Shands*
- 8:30 am – 9:00 am **Presidential Address**  
*Kelly Stamp, PhD, ANP-C, RN, FAHA, CHFN-K, School of Nursing University of North Carolina Greensboro, NC*
- 9:05 am – 10:05 am **Keynote: Donor/Recipient/Caregiver Story:**  
*Rod and Rhonda Carew*  
*Mary and Ralf Reuland*
- 10:10 am - 10:50 am **General Session: Patient-Reported Outcome Measures in Heart Failure**  
*Nancy Albert, PhD, CCNS, CHFN, CCRN, NE-BC, FAHA, FHFSa, FAAN, Cleveland Clinic*
- 10:55 am – 1:50 pm Lunch in Exhibit Hall/Product Theater Presentations
- 1:55 pm – 2:55 pm **Concurrent Sessions:**
- **Fundamental:** HFpEF: More Than a Garden Variety  
*Connie Lewis, MSN, ACNP-BC, NP-C, CCRN, CHFN, FHFSa*
  - **Global:** Oral Abstracts
    - Inspiratory Capacity and NT-pro BNP Predict Key Cardiopulmonary Exercise Results but not Six-Minute Walk Test distance in Older Patients with Heart Failure
    - Heart Failure Knowledge among CNAs in a Skilled Nursing Facility: A Pilot Project
    - A Heart Failure Collaborative to Accelerate Improved Patient Outcomes in 3 Metro Markets
  - **Advanced:** Managing Diabetes and HF  
*Savitri Fedson, MA, MD, Baylor College of Medicine*
- 2:55 pm – 3:25 pm Break
- 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm **Concurrent Sessions:**
- **Fundamental:** Frailty  
*Kismet Rasmusson, DNP, FNP, Intermountain Medical Center*
  - **Global:** Oral Abstracts
    - Safely Ambulating Patients with a Pulmonary Artery Catheter: Changing Practice and Improving Care
    - Advanced Heart Failure Patient Decision Making: Ventricular Assist Device through Cardiac Transplantation
  - **Advanced:** Biomarkers: *Savitri Fedson, MA, MD, Baylor College of Medicine*

## 15TH ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA

### Thursday June 27, 2019 (continued)

- 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm                    **General Session:** Pulmonary Hypertension  
*Kathy McCloy, MSN, ACNP-BC, RN, UCLA*
- 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm                    Welcome Reception/Poster Presentations
- 6:45 pm – 8:15 pm                    Industry Supported Dinner Symposium: Treating Advanced Heart Failure Patients: Choosing the Right Device at the Right Time:  
*Lisa Rathman, MSN, CRNP, CCRN*  
*Michele Gilbert, MSN, NP-C, CCRN, CHFN*  
*Tasha Freitag, CRNP, MSN, MPH, CHFN*  
*Sponsored by Abbott*

### Friday June 28, 2019

- 6:30 am – 8:00 am                    Industry Supported Breakfast Symposium: ONPATTRO® (patisiran): A Therapy for the Polyneuropathy of hATTR Amyloidosis in Adults  
*Ronald Zolty, MD, PhD*  
*Sponsored by Alnylam*
- 8:15 am – 8:30 am                    **Opening Remarks:**  
*Danielle DiGennaro, MSN, ANP-BC, UF Health Shands*
- 8:30 am – 9:30 am                    **Keynote:** Big Data  
*Larry Allen, MD, University of Colorado*
- 9:30 am – 10:15 am                    **General Session:** Management of the hospitalized HF Patient  
*Larry Allen, MD, University of Colorado*
- 10:15 am – 10:45 am                    Break
- 10:50 am – 11:50 am                    **Concurrent Sessions:**
- **Fundamental:** Tricks of the Trade: Tools for your HF toolbox  
*Lisa Rathman, MSN, CRNP, CHFN, CCRN, The Heart Group of Lancaster General Health*  
*Kismet Rasmusson, DNP, FNP, Intermountain Medical Center*  
*Ann Laramee, MS ANP-BC ACNS-BC CHFN ACHPN FHFSA, University of Vermont Medical Center*  
*Marie Galvao, MSN, ANP-BC, CHFN, Montefiore Medical Center*  
*Sara Paul, DNP-FNP, Catawaba Valley Cardiology, Catawaba Valley Health System*
  - **Global:** Treating the Heavy Heart: Considering Depression When Treating Heart Failure  
*Linda Wick, MS, CNP, CHFN, University of Minnesota Physicians*  
*Robert Page, Pharm.D., MSPH, FCCP, FAHA, FASHP, FASCP, BCPS, CGP, University of Colorado, Skaggs School of Pharmacy*
  - **Advanced:** Cardiac Imaging  
*Ronald Peshock, MD, UTSouthwestern Medical Center*
- 11:50 am – 1:50 pm                    Lunch in Exhibit Hall/Product Theater Presentations

**Friday June 28, 2019 (continued)**

1:45 pm – 3:45 pm

**Concurrent Power Hours:****Zebras**

- Chagas  
*Alpesh Amin, MD, UTSouthwestern Medical Center*
- Sarcoid  
*Cynthia Bither, RN, MSN, ANP, ACNP, CHFNP, MedStar Washington Hospital Center*
- Chemotherapy Induced Cardiotoxicity  
*Stacey Gross, NP, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Cedars-Sinai Heart Institute*

1:45 pm – 3:45 pm

**Concurrent Power Hours:****Heart Rhythm Society Joint Session: Electrophysiology**

- Sudden Cardiac Death  
*Lori Harvey RN, MSN, CNS, VA Eastern Colorado Health Care System*
- Alternative pacing models for avoiding/correcting LV dysfunction:  
*Lynne Foreman, RN, BSN, Indiana University Health Physicians*
- Optimizing Co-Management of HF:  
*Amy Clegg NP, Moses Cone Hospital, Cone Health*  
*Amber Seiler RN, Moses Cone Hospital, Cone Health*
- CRT Case Study  
*Margaret Harvey PhD, University of Tennessee Health Science Center*

**Stage D, NYHA 4: Aggressive Options**

- Introduction  
*Peggy Kirkwood, RN, MSN, ACNPC, AACC, CHFNP, Mission Heritage Medical Group*
- Overview of MCS  
*Susan George, CNS, NP, Other, RN, Integris Baptist Medical Center*
- VADS Gone Bad  
*Robin Miller, DNP, MPH, ACNP-BC, CHFNP, OHSU Cardiology, Knight Cardiovascular Institute Oregon Health & Science University*
- The Final Destination; Withdrawing LVAD Support:  
*Linda Ordway, NP, CHFNP, Tufts Medical Center*
- Transplants  
*Carol Bjorkman, MS, RN, FNP-C, CHFNP, American Association of Nurse Practitioners*
- Patient Selection and Allocation  
*Marie Fe White, MSN, ACNP/FNP-BC, AACC, FHFA, CHFNP, Cedars Sinai Medical Center -Advanced Heart Disease*

3:45 pm – 4:15 pm

Break

**Friday June 28, 2019 (continued)**

4:15 pm – 5:15 pm

**Concurrent Sessions:**

- **Fundamental:** Making Waves: Hemodynamics for Beginners  
*Michele Gilbert, MSN, NP-C, CCRN CHFN, Chilton Medical Center, Atlantic Health System*
- **Global:** *Complex Case Studies*  
*Sara Paul, DNP-FNP, Catawaba Valley Cardiology, Catawba Valley Health System*  
*Justin Grodin MD, UTSouthwestern Medical Center*
- **Advanced:** Cardiogenic Shock  
*Marwan Jumean, MD, UTHealth Houston*

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Industry Supported Dinner Symposium: Disparities in Heart Failure Care: How You Can Help  
*Poulina Uddin, MD*  
*Jane Wilcox, MD, MS*  
*Sponsored by Medtronic*

**Saturday June 29, 2019**

8:15 am – 8:30 am

Opening Remarks:

8:30 am – 9:30 am

**Keynote:** What is new in HF in 2019 and beyond  
*Lynne Stevenson, MD, Vanderbilt University Medical Center*

9:30 am – 10:30 am

**General Session:** From Panel Size to Pizzas: The Business and Human Side of Heart Failure Teams  
*Tasha Freitag, CRNP, MSN, MPH, CHFN, University of Minnesota Physicians*  
*Linda Wick, MS, CNP, CHFN, University of Minnesota Physicians*

10:30 am – 11:15 am

**Incoming President's Remarks/Awards**

*Beth Davidson, DNP, ACNP, CCRN, CHFN, TriStar Centennial Medical Center*

11:15 am – 11:30 am

Break

11:35 am – 12:35 pm

**Concurrent Sessions:**

- **Fundamental:** Guideline Directed Medical Therapy  
*Nancy Albert, PhD, CCNS, CHFN, CCRN, NE-BC, FAHA, FHFA, FAAN, Cleveland Clinic*
- **Global:** Innovative Pathways for the Complex Heart Failure Patient: Challenging Obesity, Addiction, Mental Illness, Poverty and Non-Compliance  
*Joseph Armitage, RN, Advocate Health*
- *Ashley Blalock, NP-C, CHFN, Banner University Medical Center- Phoenix, Banner Health System*
- **Advanced:** Congestion and HF  
*Lynne Stevenson, MD, Vanderbilt University Medical Center*

**Saturday June 29, 2019 (continued)**

12:35 – 1:35 pm                      Lunch on own

1:40 pm – 2:40 pm

**Concurrent Sessions:**

- **Fundamental:** Diuretic Management of Patients with Heart Failure  
*Candace Becker, APRN-CNS, BC, Integris Baptist Medical Center*
- **Global:** HFSA/AHA/ACC/AAHFN/PCNA Late Breaking Clinical  
Trials: Implications for Practice  
*Karen Tarolli, MSN ACNP-BC CHFNP, University of Pittsburgh Medical  
Center and VA Pittsburgh Healthcare System*
- *Margaret Harvey, PhD, APRN-BC, ACNP, University of Tennessee Health  
Science Center*
- **Advanced:** Neuromuscular Diseases and Cardiomyopathy  
*Pradeep Mammen, MD, UTSouthwestern Medical Center*