



# AUC 2024 Program Overview

All times Eastern Standard Time • Subject to change

## Wednesday, February 21

### REGISTRATION DESK OPEN

2:00 PM – 5:00 PM  
Second Floor West Foyer

### EMERITUS SESSION

Jenkins King Charles Room  
Moderators: Nanette K. Wenger, MD (Chair), Michael Cain and Rose Marie Robertson

3:00 PM – 4:00 PM:  
Linda Gillam, MD  
"Health Equity in Cardiovascular Care: Challenges and Opportunities"

4:00 PM – 5:00 PM:  
Robert O. Bonow, MD  
"Reflections on 50 Years of Studying Aortic Valve Disease"

### ADJOURN

5:00 PM

### AUC WELCOME RECEPTION

6:00 PM – 7:30 PM  
Palmetto Garden Room  
*Badge and program pick-up available during reception*

## Thursday, February 22

**Note:** All sessions are in Cypress/  
Dogwood

### REGISTRATION DESK OPEN

8:00 AM – 3:00 PM  
Cypress Foyer

### Continental Breakfast

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM  
Live Oak

## Thursday, February 22

### PRESIDENTIAL SESSION

#### President's Welcome

9:00 AM – 9:10 AM:  
Barry London, MD, PhD

#### Nanette K Wenger Honorary Lecture

9:10 AM – 10:00 AM:  
Sylvia Priori, MD, PhD  
Professor of Cardiology, Department of Molecular Medicine, University of Pavia; Director of the Molecular Cardiology Unit at the IRCCS ICS Maugeri, Pavia, Italy; Professor and Director of Molecular Cardiology Laboratories at the Carlos III National Cardiovascular Research Institute (Madrid, Spain)

#### George Burch Memorial Lecture

10:00 AM – 10:50 AM:  
Kevin Campbell, PhD  
Professor and Chair of Molecular Physiology & Biophysics; Roy J. Carver Biomedical Research Chair in Molecular Physiology & Biophysics; Investigator, Howard Hughes Medical Institute; Director, Senator Paul D. Wellstone Muscular Dystrophy Specialized Research Center, University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine, Iowa City  
"Beyond Gene Replacement for Muscular Dystrophy: The Need to Restore Normal Muscle Function"

#### Break

10:50 AM – 11:10 AM  
Gazebo

#### Presidential Lecture

Moderator: Jane Freedman, MD

11:10 AM – 12:00 Noon:  
Barry London, MD, PhD  
"Regulating Cardiac Excitation (aka Exciting Cardiac Regulation)"

## Thursday, February 22

### LUNCH

12:00 Noon – 1:00 PM  
Live Oak

### Introduction of New Members in Attendance

1:00 PM – 1:10 PM:  
Barry London, MD, PhD

### SCIENTIFIC SESSION 1

Moderator: Karol E. Watson, MD

1:10 PM – 1:30 PM:  
Susan Cheng, MD  
"Sex Differences in Cardiovascular Risk"

1:30 PM – 1:50 PM:  
Jennifer Mieres, MD  
"Racial and Ethnic Differences in Awareness and Prevalence of Unidentified Cardiovascular Risk Factors Among Health System Employees"

1:50 PM – 2:10 PM:  
Jeffrey Goldberger, MD  
"Adjunctive Medical Therapy Improves Outcomes of Catheter Ablation for Atrial Fibrillation"

### BREAK

2:10 – 2:30 PM  
Gazebo

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## Thursday, February 22

### SCIENTIFIC SESSION 2

Moderator: Charles J. Lowenstein, MD

2:30 PM – 2:50 PM:

Stephen Y. Chan, MD

“Developing a Precision Medicine Approach to Vascular Inflammation and Pulmonary Hypertension”

2:50 PM – 3:10 PM:

Sean Wu, MD PhD

“Single Cell Multi-omic Approaches to Understanding Cardiac Development and Disease”

### ADJOURN

3:10 PM

### RECEPTION

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM

The Riviera Theater

227 King Street (across the street from the Charleston Place)

### FORMAL DINNER (Black-Tie)

7:00 PM – 10:00 PM

The Riviera Theater

## Friday, February 23

**Note:** All sessions are in Cypress/Dogwood

### REGISTRATION DESK OPEN

7:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Cypress Foyer

### Continental Breakfast

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM

Live Oak

### BUSINESS MEETING

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

### SCIENTIFIC SESSION 3

Moderator: Sumeet S. Chugh, MD

9:00 AM – 9:20 AM:

Larry Allen, MD

“Engaging Patients to Improve Medical Decision Making and Optimize Health Outcomes”

9:20 AM – 9:40 AM:

Jeffrey T. Kuvin, MD

“Uniting to Build a Cardiovascular Medicine Board”

## Friday, February 23

### BREAK

9:40 AM – 10:10 AM

Gazebo

### SCIENTIFIC SESSION 4

Moderator: Jane Freeman, MD

10:10 AM – 10:30 AM:

Laurence S. Sperling, MD

“Impact of COVID-19 on Cardiovascular Disease Outcomes, Care and Prevention”

10:30 AM – 10:50 AM:

John Rutherford, MD

“The Health of a President”

### CLOSING COMMENTS

10:50 AM – 11:00 AM:

Jane Freedman, MD

### ADJOURN

11:00 AM

### Latest Program



### Information on Invited Speakers



### Information on New Members Presenting at AUC 2024



### New Member Presentation Abstracts

