SOUTHERN REGIONAL MEETINGS

February 22-24, 2018
InterContinental New Orleans
New Orleans, Louisiana

PRE-REGISTRATION INFORMATION
Dear Colleague,

The Southern Regional Societies Annual Meeting will be held February 22-24, 2018 at the Inter-Continental New Orleans in New Orleans, Louisiana. The Southern Regional Meetings promote excellence in both clinical and basic investigation. The three-day meeting will kick off on Thursday morning with the Cardiovascular Club meeting with State-of-the-Art lectures, and Mentored Oral Sessions, and continue with afternoon workshops on Manuscript Preparation and Peer-Reviewed Publication, Moving Your Clinical Case Presentation into a Published Manuscript, Career Advancement for Clinician Educator: Tactical Issues and the SSGIM Pre-Course entitled Learning and Teaching in a Time of Change: Effective chronic pain management and safe opioid prescribing and concurrent sessions including Case Reports in Cardiovascular Medicine, and Pediatric and Adult Medicine Clinical Case Symposia. All meeting attendees are welcome to attend any of the workshops/symposiums being offered. The Joint Plenary Poster Session will be held on Thursday from 4:30-7:00 pm. Following will be specialty Club dinners.

SSCI/SAFMR, SSPR Plenary Sessions as well as the APA Sponsored Workshops entitled Passing the Most Important In-Training Exam: Financial Independence. Developing a Financial Mindset During Residency and Beyond and Mind Makeover: Cultivating a Growth Mindset will be held on Friday morning with the addition of Meet the Experts for Breakfast session followed by a Workshop on Career Advancement for Clinician Educator: Strategic Concerns, Southern Epidemiology and Population Health Club Lunch “Exploring Population Health in the US and Internationally Through Research and Administrative Datasets”, and Concurrent Subspecialty Scientific Sessions including State-of-the-Art presentations.

Saturday’s activities will kick-off with the Joint Plenary Session entitled “The Microbiome”. This year a new opportunity has been added on Saturday morning, One-on-One Mentoring for Clinician Educators. In addition, a workshop entitled “Big Data for the Clinician: An Approach to Data Mining Using the United States Renal Data System” will be available to interested individuals. Following these programs, our traditional Jazz Lunch will be held. In the afternoon, there will be additional Concurrent Subspecialty Scientific Sessions and State-of-the-Art presentations. Please refer to the “Program-at-a-Glance” on the following page for further details on all of the exciting scientific sessions offered at this meeting.

We look forward to seeing you back in New Orleans!

Sincerely,

Mel Wilcox, MD  
President, SSCI

Abeer Moanna, MD  
Chair, SAFMR

Margarita Vasquez, MD  
President, SSPR

Jaime Pittenger, MD  
APA Co-Chair, Region VIII

Stephanie DeLeon, MD  
APA Co-Chair, Region VII
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REGISTRATION FEES
The member registration fee is for members of AFMR, SSCI, SSPR, and APA. On-site registration fees will be increased by $25 for all categories. Please indicate your membership type.

___Member $300  ____Student or Trainee $100  ____Nonmember $375
___AFMR  ____SSCI  ____SSPR  ____APA  CME certification $50 ___

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION
Pre-registration is requested to attend any of the workshops listed below. There are no additional fees, but you must check the appropriate box of the one you wish to attend.

**Thursday, February 22, 2018**

___Manuscript Preparation and Peer-Reviewed Publication • 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM
___Workshop on Career Development for Clinician Educators on Tactical Issues • 1:00 - 4:30 PM

___SSGIM Pre-Course: Learning and Teaching in a Time of Change: Effective chronic pain management and safe opioid prescribing • 1:30 - 4:30 PM
___Moving Your Clinical Case Presentation into a Published Manuscript • 2:45–4:15 PM

**Dinner Symposium:** These dinner symposia will be held on Thursday, February 22, 2018 from 7:00-9:00 pm in the hotel. Check the dinner you would like to attend.

___Patron Sponsor of Club: $100
___Blood Club (No charge)
___Gut Club (Trainees:$10; Members/Non Members (faculty): $40)
___Renal Club (Trainees: $10; Members/Non Members (faculty): $40)

**Friday February 23, 2018**

Meet the Experts for Breakfast - 7:00 - 8:00 AM. Select one of these three options.

___Choosing the Next Step in Your Career
___Doing Research in the Modern Age
___How to Advance as a Clinician Educator

___Southern Epidemiology and Population Health Club Lunch • 11:30 AM-1:30 PM (Trainees: $10; Members/Non Members (faculty): $20)
___Workshop on Career Development for Clinician Educators on Strategic Concerns • 1:00 - 5:00 PM

**Saturday February 24, 2018**

___Big Data for the Clinician: An Approach to Data Mining Using the United States Renal Data System • 1:00 - 2:00 PM

METHOD OF PAYMENT
Check (made payable to Tulane CCE in US dollars/US bank). Credit Cards Accepted: Visa, Mastercard, American Express, and Discover. Purchase orders are not accepted. Send checks to: Southern Regional Meetings, Tulane Center for Continuing Education, 1430 Tulane Ave #8451, New Orleans, LA 70112-2699

YOU MUST REGISTER ON-LINE at:
http://tulane.edu/cce
HOTEL RESERVATION

Southern Section American Federation for Medical Research
Southern Society for Clinical Investigation
Southern Society for Pediatric Research
Academic Pediatric Association
Southern Society of General Internal Medicine

You may make your reservation on-line: https://aws.passkey.com/e/49309631

Please mark below the type of accommodations requested. Reservations must be guaranteed with a deposit by check or one of the credit cards listed below. If you are unable to keep your guaranteed reservation, please cancel prior to 72 hours of the arrival date and obtain a cancellation number to avoid being billed for one night’s accommodations. If the accommodation rate requested is unavailable, a room at the nearest available rate will be reserved. All rooms are subject to applicable taxes. Your reservations must be received by January 30, 2018 to qualify for the 2018 Southern Regional Meetings conference rates. Reservations received after this date are subject to applicable rates and availability.

FULL NAME  NAME OF ROOMATE

INSTITUTION  ADDRESS

CITY  STATE  ZIP CODE  COUNTRY

DASHBOARD TELEPHONE

ARRIVAL DATE (Check in time after 4:00 pm)

DEPARTURE DATE (Check out time before 12:00 PM)

Method of Guarantee

Reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card or check for the first night’s room and tax. Deposit by check/money order must be enclosed. Make check payable to the InterContinental New Orleans.

Guarantee accommodations by credit card (check appropriate card below).

___ Amex ___ Discover ___ Mastercard ___ Visa

CARD NUMBER: ___________________ EXPIRATION DATE: ___________________

SIGNATURE: ___________________ CARD HOLDER’S NAME: ___________________