

**STRAIGHT TALK FROM THE EXPERTS**

16th Annual

# Electrophysiology Conference 2020

Friday, February 21, 2020 – Monday, February 24, 2020

Vail Marriott Mountain Resort  
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### **CME Conference Description**

Through this highly practical and interactive 3-day course, attendees will have an opportunity to interact with experts creating an open forum for questions and experience sharing among the physicians in attendance.

### **Learning Objectives**

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to:

1. Discuss new concepts of sinus node function and dysfunction
2. Prevent esophageal injury during left atrial based procedures
3. Define treatments of co-morbidities in patients with atrial fibrillation
4. Utilize how to interpret different imaging modalities in the EP lab
5. Analyze insights on how to publish your research work

### **Target Audience**

This CME program is designed for Electrophysiologists.

## **AGENDA**

### **Friday, February 21, 2020**

- 3:00 p.m. Registration and welcome  
*Adam Strickberger, MD and Raul Weiss, MD, Co-Chairs*
- 3:10 p.m. Case Presentations: Challenging Cases...Implants, Explants, Occluders and Ablation (4 cases, 30 minutes each)  
*Ralph Augostini, MD; David Callans, MD; Emile Daoud, MD; Vadim Fedorov, PhD; Mark Haigney, MD; Bradley Knight, MD; Adam Strickberger, MD and Raul Weiss, MD*
- 5:10 p.m. Primary Prevention: ICDs in Patients Not Covered by Guidelines  
*Emile Daoud, MD*
- 5:30 p.m. Welcome Reception  
*Please join us for a memorable evening*
- 8:00 p.m. Conclude

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## Saturday, February 22, 2020

- 7:00 a.m. Mechanism of Atrial Fibrillation: Basic Concepts and What the Clinician Needs to Know to Treat Their Patient Effectively  
*Vadim Fedorov, PhD*
- 7:45 a.m. VT Ablation  
*David Callans, MD*
- 8:30 a.m. Treating Atrial Fibrillation Co-Morbidities: Treatment of Sleep Apnea by Electrophysiologist in the Electrophysiology Lab  
*Ralph Augostini, MD*
- 9:00 a.m. Atrial-Esophageal Fistula: How Can We Protect the Esophagus?  
*Emile Daoud, MD*
- 9:30 a.m. Exhibits and Breaks
- 3:30 p.m. Industry Rapid Firing  
*This is a unique opportunity for the audience to meet industry leaders and learn where technology is going and how do companies plan to meet their goals. (Presentations are not certified for AMA PRA Category 1 CME credit.)*
- 6:00 p.m. Conclude
- 6:30 p.m. Keynote Lecture: How to Successfully Submit Your Research and Critically Evaluate Clinical Publications.  
*Bradley Knight, MD*
- 7:30 p.m. Conclude

## Sunday, February 23, 2020

- 7:00 a.m. Sinus Node Dysfunction: Revolutionary Concepts  
*Vadim Fedorov, PhD*
- 7:30 a.m. How to Simply Incorporate Imaging Techniques in the Electrophysiology Lab and Use It for a Successful Ablation Procedure  
*David Callans, MD*
- 8:00 a.m. What's New?  
*Mark Haigney, MD*
- 8:30 a.m. SCD: State of the Art Review and a Look into the Future  
*Raul Weiss, MD*
- 9:00 a.m. Five Most Important Electrophysiology Publications from the Past Year  
*Bradley Knight, MD*
- 9:30 a.m. Exhibits and Break
- 3:30 p.m. Case Presentations: Challenging Cases... Atrial Fibrillation, Lead Placement, Extraction Cases, Tough Ablation Procedures (4 cases, 30 minutes each)  
*Ralph Augostini, MD; David Callans, MD; Emile Daoud, MD; Vadim Fedorov, PhD; Mark Haigney, MD; Bradley Knight, MD; Adam Strickberger, MD and Raul Weiss, MD*
- 6:00 p.m. Conclude

## Course Faculty



**Ralph Augustini, MD**  
*Bob and Corrine Frick Chair in Cardiac Electrophysiology*  
*Professor of Medicine*  
*Co-Director of Electrophysiology Training Program*  
*Director of Ambulatory Device Clinic*  
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## Conference Registration Information

Course fee:	Physician	\$645
	Retired Physician	\$350
	Fellow, Resident, Nurse, Medical Student	\$250
	Allied Health Professional	\$250

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### Staying in Vail

The host hotel for Electrophysiology 2019 is the Vail Marriott Mountain Resort in Vail, Colorado. Please mention Ohio State University when reserving your accommodations with The Vail Marriott. Hotel rooms are available within the conference room block, but must be reserved to ensure room rate.