Legislative Advocacy Conference and Leadership Summit

Grand Hyatt | Washington, DC | May 3-6, 2015

ADVOCATE FOR YOUR SPECIALTY
- Get up to speed on the issues and hone your media skills on Monday, followed by an entire day on Capitol Hill visiting with Members of Congress and key staff on Tuesday

NEW FOR 2015 – STAY FOR THE LEADERSHIP SUMMIT
- Join us for the ALL-NEW Leadership Summit on Wednesday for CME and the leadership training you need

CONNECT WITH EM LEADERS
- Sign-up for small-group networking at Dine Arouunds with EM leaders and Members of Congress

REGISTER TODAY!
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The 2014 elections brought dramatic changes to the 114th US Congress. Many members have recently retired, resigned or lost elections. There are many new Members of Congress and new leaders of important health care committees. **Now more than ever it is crucial for Congress to hear from emergency physicians.** This is a dynamic time as the power shifts to a new majority in the Senate with new agendas in Congress...**your voice needs to be heard.**

Join more than 500 of your emergency medicine colleagues as we get up to speed on the current issues facing EM. With 13% of the Congressional seats filled with new faces this year, now is the time to forge relationships and impart the value of emergency medicine to these new leaders and their staffs. **Stand with us and amplify emergency medicine’s voice.**

Michael J. Gerardi, MD, FAAP, FACEP
ACEP President

Join emergency medicine leaders from around the country for ACEP’s Legislative Advocacy Conference and Leadership Summit with a new schedule and format.

- **A FULL Day on the Hill** – Spend the day meeting with your legislators and key staff
- **Dine Arounds** – Network through small-group dinners with EM leaders in some of the city’s best restaurants
- **Leadership Summit** – Expand your leadership skills to become more effective in your hospital and state while earning CME credit

**You will gain world-class advocacy skills and health policy education at ACEP’s Legislative Advocacy Conference and Leadership Summit.**
Grand Hyatt Washington
1000 H Street NW
Washington, DC 20001

Reservations: (888) 421-1442
http://tinyurl.com/p52odhx

Room Rates: $319 single / $344 double
(plus local and occupancy taxes approximately 14.5% per room night)

ACEP’S BLOCK OF ROOMS SELL OUT QUICKLY. We HIGHLY recommend that you call the Grand Hyatt Washington directly to make your reservation as soon as possible. Please be sure to request the group rate for the American College of Emergency Physicians Legislative Advocacy Conference and Leadership Summit. Reservations must be made by 5:00 PM EST Monday, April 6, to guarantee the negotiated rate. After April 6, rooms and rates are subject to availability.

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ESSENTIAL GROUNDWORK

First time attending the Legislative Advocacy Conference and Leadership Summit? Looking for a refresher on the basics of health policy? Lay the foundation on Sunday for the rest of the week.

8:00 am – 6:00 pm  Registration
8:30 am – 4:30 pm  Chapter Executives Forum
12:30 pm – 5:30 pm  Leadership and Advocacy Essentials, presented by EMRA / Young Physicians Section
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm  Presentation Training
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm  Resident and Young Physicians Reception
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm  NEMPAC VIP Reception (By invitation only)
8:30 pm - 10 pm  EMF Major Donor Reception (By invitation only)

A DEEPER POLICY DIVE

Engage in intense discussions on key issues affecting emergency medicine to get a better understanding of the current health care landscape and EM’s role.

8:00 am – 5:00 pm  Courses led by expert faculty and panels
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm  Welcome Reception
7:00 pm  Dine Arounds and Fundraisers with Members of Congress

A FULL DAY ON THE HILL

Coordinated visits to Capitol Hill. Get face-to-face time with your Members of Congress and their influential staff.

7:30 am – 5:00 pm  A Day on the Hill
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm  Congressional Reception
7:00 pm  Dine Arounds

DINE AROUNDS

Take advantage of these unique opportunities for small-group conversations over dinner with EM leaders at some of Washington, DC’s best restaurants. For a list of available Dine Aroun ds and campaign fundraisers you could attend, visit www.acep.org/lac/dinearounds

ADD TO YOUR CONFERENCE REGISTRATION TODAY!
$100 per plate
Transportation on your own.

HOSPITALITY SUITES ON THE HILL

Need a break or wrapped up early on Tuesday? You don’t have to leave the Hill — visit one of ACEP’s hospitality suites — check email, meet with colleagues or take a breather before the Congressional Reception. Rooms will be located on both the Senate and House sides of Capitol Hill.

NEW FOR 2015

LEADERSHIP AND ADVOCACY ESSENTIALS

This course, presented by EMRA and the ACEP Young Physicians Section, connects the dots on why advocacy matters and why physician input is vital for your future.

Course highlights:

• Intro to Health Policy Basics
• Treating Patients with Mental Illness in the ED
• How to be a Leader in ACEP
• Journal Club

See www.acep.org/lac for the schedule and faculty
Can’t make the Legislative Advocacy Conference or just interested in becoming an EM leader? Sign up exclusively for the Leadership Summit.

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION CREDIT
The American College of Emergency Physicians is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Leadership Summit
The American College of Emergency Physicians designates this live activity for a maximum of 5.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Leadership Summit is approved by the American College of Emergency Physicians for a maximum of 5.5 hours of ACEP Category I credit.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6 7:30 AM – 2:50 PM
MAKE PLANS TO STAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY for the all-new Leadership Summit. Enhance your leadership skills to become more effective in your hospital and in your state. Influential emergency medicine leaders will discuss relevant topics to make you stand out as a leader. Earn your CME in this complete day of leadership education.

7:30 AM – 8:00 AM Leadership Breakfast
8:00 AM – 8:15 AM Welcome – Michael J. Gerardi, MD, FAAP, FACEP; Robert W. Strauss, Jr., MD, FACEP
8:15 AM – 9:00 AM Engage, Create Synergy and Facilitate Change: Leadership and Accountability – Jay A. Kaplan, MD, FACEP
9:00 AM – 9:45 AM Leadership Diagnostics: Symptoms and Cures – Thom A. Mayer, MD, FACEP
9:45 AM – 10:00 AM BREAK
10:00 AM – 10:45 AM What Works: DNA, MBA or OJT? – Lynn Massingale, MD, FACEP
10:45 AM – 11:15 AM How to Succeed in an Evolving Health System – Stephen J. Stack, MD, FACEP
11:10 AM – 12:05 PM Panel: Critical Leadership FAQs – Robert W. Strauss, Jr., MD, FACEP (Moderator); Stephen J. Stack, MD, FACEP; Jay A. Kaplan, MD, FACEP; Michael J. Gerardi, MD, FACEP
12:05 PM – 12:50 PM Lunch with ACEP President - 15 min presentation – Michael J. Gerardi, MD, FAAP, FACEP
12:50 PM – 2:05 PM Crucial Conversation With Your Providers – Wolfram G. Schynoll, MD
2:05 PM – 2:45 PM What I Wish I Knew When I Became a Chapter Officer – Marco Coppola, DO, FACEP (Moderator); Angela F. Gardner, MD, FACEP; Enrique R. Enguidanos, MD, FACEP; Carlton E. Heine, MD, PhD, FACEP

Faculty subject to change. Check acep.org/LAC for current speakers.
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ACEP MEMBERS take advantage

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Dine Arounds $100 per plate

*All registrations must be received by May 2. After May 2, you must register on-site at the higher onsite rate.

ACEP underwrites the majority of expenses for this conference and is very pleased to be able to provide ACEP members a low rate of $170 and $50 for resident members.

Space is limited, so register before May 2 to take advantage of this rate.

Conference Registration Includes:
· Breakfast Monday–Wednesday
· Lunch Monday–Wednesday
· Evening Receptions Monday and Tuesday
· Transportation to Capitol Hill
· Leadership Summit – including CME credit

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CANCELLATION POLICY Full conference registration (less the $75 cancellation fee) is refundable only if submitted in writing to meetingregistrar@acep.org 30 days prior to the beginning of the conference. Registrations and cancellations received after the 30 day deadline are not refundable. Exceptions will be made for family emergencies and must be submitted in writing to meetingregistrar@acep.org. For these instances the full conference registration fee, less the $75 admin fee, will be refunded. You cannot reinstate a registration after you cancel. If you cancel and are entitled to a refund, expect the refund within 30 days. All refunds will be issued back to the original payment type. Cash payments will be refunded by check.