



October 13-14, 2017
Washington, DC

PROGRAM

FRIDAY OCTOBER 13, 2017 – Main Conference	
7:00 – 8:00 AM	Registration, Continental Breakfast, Exhibit Viewing
8:00 – 8:15 AM	Opening Remarks
8:15 – 9:15 AM	<p>FREE PAPERS: Vocal Fold Lesions and Microlaryngeal Surgery Moderator: Mark Courey, MD</p> <p><i>A Novel "Steady-Hand" Robotic Approach to Microlaryngeal Phonosurgery – Lee Akst, MD</i> <i>Safety and feasibility of Liquid Spray Nitrogen Cryotherapy in the larynx – Elizabeth Guardini, MD</i> <i>Vocal Fold Scar Following Surgical Intervention – Peak Woo, MD</i> <i>Adjuvant human papillomavirus vaccination for secondary prevention – Gregory Dion, MD</i> <i>Clinical Implications of the Reinke's Edema Grading – Melin Tan, MD</i> <i>Phonotraumatic Injury in Fitness Instructors: Risk Factors, Treatment, and Outcomes – Christine Estes, MM, MA, CCC-SLP</i> Q&A – Audience Discussion</p>
9:15-10:15 AM	<p>FREE PAPERS: Glottic Insufficiency Moderator: Blake Simpson, MD</p> <p><i>A Novel, Silk-Based Vocal Fold Augmentation Material – Thomas Carroll, MD</i> <i>Voice outcomes of lipoinjection versus medialization laryngoplasty – Laura Dominguez, MD</i> <i>Minimal Clinically Important Difference of Voice Handicap Index-10 in Vocal Fold Paralysis – VyVy Young, MD</i> <i>A National Database Study of Geriatric Voice Problems and Treatment – Caitlin Bertelsen, MD</i> <i>Presbylaryngis or pathologic presbyphonia: voice, health, and quality of life in the very elderly – Brianna Crawley, MD</i> <i>Association between upper respiratory infection and idiopathic unilateral vocal fold paralysis – Neel Bhatt, MD</i> Q&A – Audience Discussion</p>
10:15 – 10:45 AM	Break: Exhibit and Poster Viewing
10:45 – 11:45 AM	<p>KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Joseph Stemple, Ph.D. - "Clinical Mantras and other Curiosities" Moderator: Chris Watts, Ph.D.</p>
11:45 – 1:15 PM	Lunch On Your Own
1:15 – 2:15 PM	<p>FREE PAPERS: Neurolaryngology Moderator: Amanda Hu, MD</p> <p><i>The origin of cerebral cortical output to laryngeal muscles – Christina Cerkevich, PhD</i> <i>Cortical control of the costal diaphragm in monkeys – Leah Helou, PhD, CCC-SLP</i> <i>Does Botox Make Me Look Better or Sound Better? – Linda Carroll, PhD, CCC-SLP</i> <i>Characterizing the rate of laryngeal tremor – Cristen Paige, MS, CCC-SLP</i> <i>Thyroarytenoid Myoneurectomy in the treatment of Adductor spasmodic dysphonia. – Rohan Bidaye, DNB, RCS Fellow</i> <i>Spasmodic Dysphonia versus Muscle Tension Dysphonia: What's in the air? – Ann Rooney Clifford, MS, CCC-SLP</i> Q&A – Audience Discussion</p>
2:15-2:45 PM	<p>Mini Panel: "Big Apple Circus: Voice Therapy Under the Big Top" Moderator: Debbie Phyland, PhD Panelists: Christine Estes, MM, MA, CCC-SLP, Shirley Gherson, MA, CCC-SLP and Amy Cooper, MS, CCC-SLP</p>
2:45-3:15 PM	<p>FREE PAPERS: Laryngopharyngeal Reflux Moderator: Melin Tan, MD</p> <p><i>Rethinking the Laryngopharyngeal Reflux Treatment Algorithm – Thomas Carroll, MD</i> <i>Treatment of Laryngopharyngeal Reflux Using a Sleep Positioning Device – William Tierney, MD, MS, MS</i> <i>Correlating PVHI and RSI with findings on laryngoscopy in pediatric patients – Thomas Townes, MD</i></p>

	Q&A – Audience Discussion
3:15 – 3:45 PM	Break: Exhibit and Poster Viewing
3:45 – 4:45 PM	Panel #1: “Interprofessional Treatment of Glottic Insufficiency” Moderator: Sarah Schneider, CCC-SLP Panelists: Elizabeth Sjogren, MD, Clark Rosen, MD, Doug Roth CCC-SLP, Christine Estes, MM, MA, CCC-SLP
4:35 – 5:00 PM	Discussion/Question & Answer Session
5:00 - 6:30 PM	Cocktail Reception - Poster and Exhibit Viewing

SATURDAY OCTOBER 14, 2017 – MAIN CONFERENCE

7:00 – 8:00 AM	Registration, Continental Breakfast, Exhibit Viewing	
8:00 - 9:00 AM	FREE PAPERS: Voice Therapy Moderator: Laura Toles, CCC-SLP	FREE PAPERS: In-Office Procedures Moderator: Milan Amin, MD
	<i>Investigating the efficacy of Vocal Function Exercises in improving voice quality following radiation therapy for laryngeal cancers- Vrushali Angadi, PhD, CCC-SLP</i>	<i>Preliminary safety and efficacy of intramuscular delivery for office-based vocal fold injections of corticosteroids – Babak Sadoughi, MD</i>
	<i>Re-Examination of the /s-z/ +/a/ Relationship in Voice Assessment and Trial Therapy – Marina Gilman, MM, MA, CCC-SLP</i>	<i>Serial In-Office Intralesional Steroid Injections in Airway Stenosis – Caitlin Bertelsen, MD</i>
	<i>Voice Feminization: Motivations and Barriers to Transition – Hailun Wang, MD</i>	<i>Type I Posterior Glottic Stenosis: Natural History and In-Office Management – Valeria Merea, MD</i>
	<i>Development of a voice therapy discharge instrument – Amanda Gillespie, PhD, CCC-SLP</i>	<i>Impact of vocal fold augmentation and laryngoplasty on dyspnea in patients with glottal incompetence – Gregory Dion, MD</i>
	<i>Effects of an independent at-home mobile health vocal training program on vocal function and practice adherence in older adults – Aaron Johnson, MM, PhD, CCC-SLP</i>	<i>In-Office KTP laser: Patient Safety Protocol and Institutional Review of 150 cases. – Yael Benssouden, MD</i>
	<i>Current Utilization of Stimulability During the Voice Evaluation: for Predicting Therapy Outcomes – Joanna Lott, MA, CCC-SLP</i>	<i>In-office Esophageal Dilation in Head and Neck Cancer: Safety and Feasibility Study – Melissa Schopper, BA</i>
	Q&A – Audience Discussion	Q&A – Audience Discussion
9:00 – 10:00 AM	FREE PAPERS: Dysphagia Moderator: Greg Postma, MD	FREE PAPERS: Basic Science Moderator: Bernard Rousseau, Ph.D.
	<i>Muscle Tension Dysphagia Treatment Efficacy – Christina Kang, MM, MS, CCC-SLP</i>	<i>Creation of a Tissue Engineered, Biomimetic, Multilayered Vocal Fold Scaffold – David Lott, MD</i>
	<i>UC Dysphagia score: a simple algorithm from validated EORTC-QLQ-H&N35 – Douglas von Allmen, MD</i>	<i>Effects of Repetition on Phonation Threshold Pressure Task Performance – Christina Dastalfo-Hromack, MS, CCC-SLP</i>
	<i>Volitional Control of the Upper Esophageal Sphincter with High-resolution Manometry Biofeedback – Nogah Nativ-Zeltzer, PhD</i>	<i>Optical and Digital Chromoendoscopy Filters Improve Visualization of Tissue Changes – Christopher Johnson, MD</i>
	<i>Surgical Dysphagia Outcomes of Open Transcervical versus Endoscopic Repair of Zenker’s Diverticula – Jeffrey Harmon, MD</i>	<i>Effects of phonation magnitude-dose on structural, molecular, and functional changes in rabbit vocal folds – Maria Powell, PhD, CCC-SLP</i>
	<i>Assessment and Therapeutic Intervention for Muscle Tension Dysphagia – Michelle Adessa, MS, CCC-SLP</i>	<i>fNIRS: Differences in Brain Activation and Pathways Following Training – Cari Tellis, PhD, CCC-SLP</i>
	<i>Contribution of cervical osteophytes to subjective and objective dysphagia measures – Derrick Randall, MD, MSc</i>	<i>The Clinical Value of Salivary Cortisol as a Biomarker of Stress in Voice Research – Maria Dietrich, PhD, CCC-SLP</i>
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10:00 – 10:30 AM	Break: Exhibit and Poster Viewing	
10:30 – 11:30 AM	Panel #2: “Emerging Technologies in Voice Care” Moderator: Jonathan Bock, MD Panelists: David Lott, MD, Michael Pitman, MD, Ashli O’Rourke, MD and Bernard Rousseau, PhD, MMHC, CCC-SLP	
11:30 – 1:00 PM	Lunch On Your Own	

1:00 – 2:00 PM	KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Nikki Johnston, Ph.D. - “Pepsin: Biomarker, Mediator, and Therapeutic Target for Reflux and Aspiration” Moderator: Thomas L. Carroll, MD
2:00 - 3:00 P	FREE PAPERS: Chronic Cough and Laryngeal Disordered Breathing Moderator: Eric Hunter, Ph.D.
	<i>Choosing cough suppression therapy for treatment of idiopathic chronic cough – Lauren Tracy, MD</i>
	<i>Tramadol: A new treatment option for chronic cough – Benjamin Rubinstein, MD</i>
	<i>Determining size ratio norms for patients diagnosed with PVFM – Amanda Hembree, MA, CCC-SLP</i>
	<i>Self-Perception of Voice Disorders in Chronic Cough Patients – Christina Kang, MM, MS, CCC-SLP</i>
	<i>The Olin EILOBI Breathing Technique for Exercise Induced PVFM Therapy: A Brief Introduction to a Novel Technique - Emily Nauman, MA, CCC-SLP</i>
	<i>A Literature Review of Laryngeal Hypersensitivity and Chronic Cough: Where are we now? – Matthew Mori, MD</i>
	Q&A – Audience Discussion
3:00 - 3:30 PM	Break: Exhibit and Poster Viewing
3:30 – 4:30 PM	Panel #3: “Work Partners! Can they agree to disagree?” A gameshow style format with audience participation Your Host: Al Merati, MD Panelist Teams: Jackie Gartner-Schmidt, PhD, CCC-SLP and Clark Rosen, MD, Milan Amin, MD and Ryan Branksi, PhD, CCC-SLP, Jonathan Bock, MD and Carrie E. Kalata, MS, CCC-SLP
4:30 – 5:00 PM	CLOSING REMARKS

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