

**Saturday, May 15, 2021**

**7:30 am - 4:30 pm**

Virtual Webinar

### AGENDA

- 8:00 am Diagnosis and Overview of Surgical Practices  
Jerry Lin, MD, PhD, Associate Program Director,  
Associate Professor, Department of Otolaryngology-Head  
and Neck Surgery and Communicative Disorders, UofL
- 9:00 am Radiotherapy and Acoustic Neuroma  
Shiao Woo, MD, Professor,  
Department of Radiation Oncology, UofL
- 10:10 am Management of Patients with Acoustic Neuroma  
Norberto Andaluz, MD, Professor of Neurosurgery and Otolaryngology,  
Head, & Neck Surgery, Director of Skull Base Surgery at the University of  
Cincinnati College of Medicine
- 12:00 pm Nursing Perspective for Management of Acoustic Neuroma  
Alexandra Schaber, APRN, and  
Katherine Archer, APRN, Brain Tumor Program,  
Department of Neurological Surgery, UofL
- 1:00 pm KEYNOTE: Restoration after Acoustic Neuroma  
Ravi Samy, MD, FACS Associate Professor of Otolaryngology,  
University of Cincinnati
- 2:10 pm Patient Perspective with Acoustic Neuroma:  
Jessica Toews
- 3:10 pm Rehabilitation after Acoustic Neuroma  
Megan Nelson, MD, Associate Professor,  
Cancer Rehabilitation, and C. Alex Carrasquer, MD, PHD, PM&R Resident,  
Department of Neurological Surgery, UofL  
Brittany E. Kyzer, Au.D., CCC-A, FAAA, UofL Health Hearing & Balance  
Kathy Past, PT, UofL Health Sports Medicine

Diagnosed in 2,000-3,000 people annually in the United States, acoustic neuromas typically are benign tumors that can cause significant symptoms including hearing loss, tinnitus, issues with balance, headache, facial weakness and/or facial paralysis. While their cause most often is unknown, there are three main treatment options: observation, surgical resection and radiation. Regardless of the treatment chosen, acoustic neuromas affect patients for the rest of their lives. General practitioners, surgeons, ENTs, nurses, nurse practitioners, radiologists, health techs, oncologists, radiation oncologists, physical therapists, rehabilitation specialists and physiatrists are encouraged to attend this symposium.

### KEYNOTE: Restoration after Acoustic Neuroma

**Ravi Samy, MD, FACS**

**Associate Professor of Otolaryngology,  
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### Course Directors:



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