

**2016 EMERGING THERAPIES FOR PBC, NASH AND ESLD SEMINAR SERIES**

**New York/New Jersey – April 30, 2016**

**Conference Location**

**SHERATON LINCOLN HARBOR HOTEL**  
500 Harbor Boulevard  
Weehawken, NJ 07086

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**Parking at the Conference**

Complimentary Parking for all participants is included as part of the program.  
Once you enter the self-parking area, bring the parking ticket to the Seminar Registration Desk

**Driving Directions**

**From the East**

- Exit the Lincoln Tunnel and make the first right (Hoboken).
- Turn left at the second traffic light and proceed straight into Lincoln Harbor Complex.
- Bear right over the railroad tracks. The hotel is 100 yards ahead on the right.

**From the West**

- Take Route 3 East and follow the signs for the Lincoln Tunnel - 495 East.
- Take the last exit in New Jersey (Weehawken/Hoboken).
- Proceed to the first traffic light at the bottom of the hill and turn right.
- Turn left at the fourth traffic light (Dykes Lumber). The hotel will be on the right.

**From the South**

- Take the New Jersey Turnpike North to Exit 16E.
- Follow signs to 495 East-Lincoln Tunnel.
- Take the last exit in New Jersey (Weehawken). Proceed to the bottom of the hill and turn right.
- At the fourth traffic light (Dykes Lumber) turn left. The hotel will be on the right.

**From the North**

- Take Interstate 95, Interstate 80 or the George Washington Bridge.
- Continue to the New Jersey Turnpike (Lincoln Tunnel/Eastern Spur).
- Proceed south to Exit 17.
- Follow signs to the Lincoln Tunnel 495 East.
- Take the last exit in New Jersey (Weehawken/Hoboken). Proceed to the bottom of the hill, bearing right.
- Turn left at the fourth traffic light (Dykes Lumber). The hotel will be on the right.

**Seminar Agenda and Syllabus Information**

Registration and breakfast begin at **7:30 a.m.** in the **Delancey Rom**. Please check signage for any last minute room changes.

The Emerging Therapies seminar is a paperless program. The course syllabus and related materials will be made available on a digital app that can be accessed by a smart phone, tablet device or personal computer. Instructions to download the *App* will be provided to participants in advance of the seminar. WiFi will be available without charge.

7:30 am	<i>Registration, Continental Breakfast &amp; View Exhibits</i>
8 am	<p><b>End Stage Liver Disease: Case Presentations, Managing Complications</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Treatment of hepatic encephalopathy</li> <li>- Treatment of ascites, edema and hepatorenal syndrome</li> <li>- Management of esophageal varices</li> </ul>

<b>8:45 am</b>	<b>Hepatocellular Carcinoma</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Screening diagnostic serum assays and imaging tests</li> <li>- Diagnosis without histology</li> <li>- Treatment and management options</li> </ul>
<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Liver Transplantation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Listing criteria</li> <li>- MELD Exceptions</li> <li>- Long Term Complications</li> <li>- Outcomes</li> </ul>
<b>10:15 am</b>	<b>Break &amp; View Exhibits</b>
<b>10:30 am</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>New Treatments for PBC</b></li> <li>- Ursodiol</li> <li>- Obeticholic Acid</li> </ul>
<b>11:15 am</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>PSC</b></li> <li>- Epidemiology</li> <li>- Predicting Outcomes</li> <li>- Improving Survival</li> </ul>
<b>12:00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch and View Exhibits</b>
<b>12:45 pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>NAFLD, LAL and NASH</b></li> <li>- Epidemiology</li> <li>- Demographics</li> <li>- Diagnosis</li> <li>- Conventional treatments</li> </ul>
<b>1:30 pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- NASH Treatments in Development</li> <li>- Obeticholic Acid</li> <li>- Elafibranor (GTR505)</li> <li>- Others</li> </ul>
<b>2:00pm</b>	<b>Break and View Exhibits</b>
<b>2:15 pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Case Presentations:</b></li> <li>- PBC</li> <li>- LAL causing fatty liver disease</li> <li>- NASH</li> </ul>
<b>3 pm</b>	<b>Final Comments and Adjourn</b>

**Attendee Cancellation, Substitution, Refund**

The course tuition is refundable, minus a \$20 processing fee, if your cancellation is received in writing no later than seven days prior to the conference. Attendee substitutions are allowed, but notification must be made in writing seven days prior to the conference. After that date, no refunds, credits, or substitutions will be granted. No refunds or credits will be given to those who “no show.”

**Recording and Photography**

The University of Louisville reserves exclusive rights to record (audio and video) and/or photograph conference proceedings for use in marketing materials, future presentations and other purposes.

**Attendance Policies**

**Guest Attendance**

All conference activities (including educational sessions, meal functions, exhibit hall participation and others) are exclusively reserved for seminar participants. Non-registered guests (including children, family members, colleagues and others.) are not permitted in the seminar areas.

**Conference Modification or Cancellation**

The University of Louisville and SC Liver Research Consortium reserve the right to modify the course’s schedule, faculty or content if necessary. They also reserve the right to cancel this seminar, and in the unlikely event, a full refund of the registration fee will be provided. We are unable to refund any travel costs (flight, hotel, etc.) in the case of a seminar cancellation.

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**Physicians (MD/DO)** - The University of Louisville Office of Continuing Medical Education & Professional Development designates this live activity for a maximum of 6.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*<sup>TM</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

**CME Information** **Nurses** - This program has been approved by the Kentucky Board of Nursing for 7.2 continuing education credits through University of Louisville Hospital, provider number 4-0068-7-16-878. The Kentucky Board of Nursing approval of an individual nursing education provider does not constitute endorsement of program content.

**Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants** - AANP and AAPA accept Category I credit from AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)<sup>TM</sup> organizations accredited by ACCME.

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**Your Seminar  
Faculty**



**IRA JACOBSON, MD .**

Dr. Ira Jacobson earned his BS summa cum laude from Yale University and his MD from Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons. After completing an internship and residency at the University of California San Francisco he trained as a fellow in gastroenterology and Hepatology at Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School.

In 1984, he joined the faculty at Weill Cornell Medical College and New York Presbyterian Hospital. During his 30 years at Weill Cornell, Dr. Jacobson served as Chief of the Division of the Gastroenterology and Hepatology from 1998-2015 and was Vincent Astor Distinguished Professor of Medicine as well as Medical Director of the Center for the Study of Hepatitis C. In March 2015 he assumed the position of Chair of Medicine at Mount Sinai Beth Israel Medical Center, and Vice Chair of Medicine and co-Director of the Liver Institute at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.



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Robert S. Brown, Jr., MD, MPH is Vice Chair of Transitions of Care and Interim Chief of the Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology in the Department of Medicine Weill Cornell Medical College in New York, New York. He is also Professor of Clinical Medicine at Columbia University College of Physicians & Surgeons. Dr. Brown is the Director of the Center for Liver Disease and Transplantation at New York-Presbyterian Hospital in New York.

Dr. Brown is an internationally known expert in liver disease and liver transplantation. He has co-authored over 150 peer-reviewed articles most dedicated to viral hepatitis and liver transplantation and has extensive research funding in those areas.



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Mary C. Olson, DNP, ANP-BC, is the Director of Clinical Trials for the Department of Medicine at the Icahn School of Medicine, Mount Sinai Beth Israel Medical Center.

She is also an Adult Nurse Practitioner with an expertise in the treatment of chronic hepatitis C viral infection. She has published and presented on topics related to the current treatment of chronic hepatitis C.

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