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THE 7TH ALFRED P. FISHMAN SYMPOSIUM

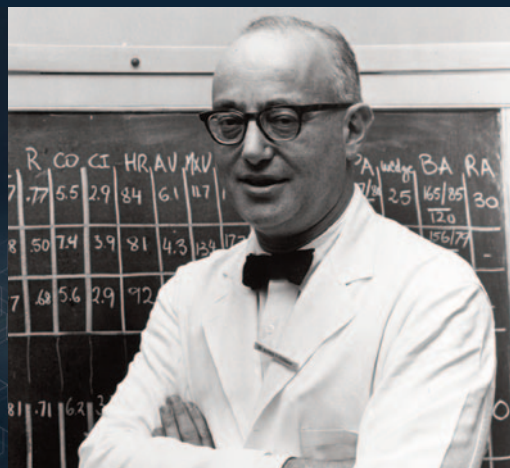
NEW SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERIES

AND IMPACT ON PATIENTS

WITH PULMONARY

HYPERTENSION OR

PULMONARY EMBOLISM



Friday–Saturday
April 11–12, 2025

In-Person Meeting Location

Arthur H. Rubenstein Auditorium at the
Smilow Center for Translational Research
3400 Civic Center Blvd.
Philadelphia, PA 19104

CME/CE-ACCREDITED CONFERENCE



This conference will be live streamed

<http://upenn.cloud-cme.com/Fishman2025>



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PROGRAM OVERVIEW & TARGET AUDIENCE

The Alfred P. Fishman Symposium will present cutting-edge topics pertinent to various types of pulmonary vascular disease. Major advances in research and understanding of the pathobiology and physiology in different types of pulmonary hypertension have translated into novel treatments for patients and a new way of looking at what constitutes successful treatment. Evolving treatment paradigms require a re-evaluation of clinical trial designs which are focused on patient well-being.

This activity has been designed for physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, respiratory therapists, nurses, residents, fellows, and students who may encounter patients with pulmonary hypertension or pulmonary embolism in their practices.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this activity, physicians and health care providers will be able to:

- Review how recent scientific discoveries in pulmonary hypertension can directly translate to improved patient outcomes.
- Discuss the different types of pulmonary hypertension and the appropriate treatment.
- Describe the approach to risk stratification and choice of therapies or referral for lung transplantation.
- Review the new standard of care in treatment of pulmonary embolism and follow-up.
- Discuss novel and alternative approaches to studying treatments in patients with pulmonary hypertension.

HOSTING DEPARTMENT

The Alfred P. Fishman Symposium is hosted by the Pulmonary Hypertension/Pulmonary Vascular Disease Program in the Department of Medicine at Penn Medicine.

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DESIGNATION OF CREDIT

Physicians: Penn Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 11.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*[™]. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.



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Credits Per Day

Friday: **7.0** Saturday: **4.25** **TOTAL: 11.25***

**Learners must attend both days to claim the maximum 11.25 credits.*

Certificates and Transcripts: After the conference has concluded, all participants will receive a follow-up email with a link and instructions on where to complete the post-test, evaluation and obtain their credits. After participants complete these elements, the credits will be available for viewing on your transcript or available for printing at <https://upenn.cloud-cme.com>. Please note that the individual certificate will not be mailed.



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LIVE AND VIRTUAL PRESENTATIONS

The Alfred P. Fishman Symposium will be held Friday-Saturday, April 11-12, 2025 by in-person or live-stream (virtual) attendance. The live and virtual presentations will follow the scheduled agenda in real time (EST).

IN-PERSON MEETING LOCATION

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Directions & Parking:

The Arthur H. Rubenstein Auditorium at the Smilow Center for Translational Research is located on floor 1 of the Perelman Center for Academic Medicine, 3400 Civic Center Blvd. Philadelphia, PA. We strongly recommend you use GPS for exact directions to and from your starting point. Public transportation to and from campus is available. Please visit <http://www.upenn.edu/services/transportation> for options.

Monday-Friday parking is available at 3600 Civic Center Parking Garage. Parking is \$20 per day. This garage provides shuttle service to the Smilow Center. On Saturday, parking is available at the Penn Museum Parking Garage, 3220 South Street, Philadelphia, PA. Cost per day for this garage is \$22. Parking fees will not be validated or reimbursed. Both parking garages are within a 1-2 block walk to the Smilow Center.

Overnight Accommodation within Walking Distance:

The Study at University City Hotel
20 South 33rd Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104
215-387-1400

TO ATTEND BY LIVE-STREAM (VIRTUAL):

Attendees who are registered to attend virtually will receive an email that includes a link to join the symposium 48 hours in advance. All virtual attendees will be required to sign into the meeting using your first name, last name and email address in order to be marked as attended and receive credit, if applicable.



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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Please register online at <https://upenn.cloud-cme.com/Fishman2025>.

Verified attendance includes access to view the presentations (videos and slides) online for one year. Pre-registration is required to attend. Walk-ins are discouraged. Please be sure to register in advance.

IN-PERSON REGISTRATION:

The fees to attend in-person are as follows: \$250 for physicians, \$350 for Industry attendees, \$125 for nurse practitioners, physician assistants and other healthcare professionals, \$100 for residents, fellows and students, and \$50 for Penn Medicine faculty, staff, residents, fellows, and students.

All preregistered in-person attendees will receive access to the symposium, the program handout, continental breakfast, lunch, and breaks. Attendees will be required to sign-in to be marked as attended, receive credit and view the recorded content.

LIVE-STREAM (VIRTUAL) REGISTRATION:

The fees to attend virtually are as follows: \$300 for physicians, \$400 for Industry attendees, \$175 for nurse practitioners, physician assistants and other healthcare professionals, \$150 for residents, fellows and students, and \$100 for Penn Medicine faculty, staff, residents, fellows, and students.

Attendees registered to attend virtually will receive an email that includes the link to join the symposium and the electronic program handout within 48 hours of the symposium. Virtual attendees will be required to sign onto the Live Stream broadcast using their first name, last name and email address to be marked as attended, receive credit and view the recorded content.

*Penn Medicine staff must register using a Penn Medicine email address to receive the discounted registration fee.

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Please note: mailed registrations may take more than 5-10 business days before they are received because we continue to experience longer delays in receiving mail. We encourage all attendees to register online. See the registration form for mailing instructions. All registrations will be confirmed by email as long as your registration is received before April 7, 2025.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR SPAM BOX FOR EMAILS REGARDING THIS CONFERENCE.

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In order to process refunds for course withdrawals, cancellations must be received in writing by April 4, 2025 (subject to a service charge equivalent to 10% of the registration fee, but no less than \$25.00). No refunds will be issued thereafter.

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Faculty members are also expected to disclose to participants any discussions of off-label and/or investigational uses of products or devices within their presentations.



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AGENDA

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 2025

- 7:00 AM – 7:45 AM **In-person Attendee Sign-in and Continental Breakfast**
- 7:30 AM – 7:45 AM **Virtual Attendee Sign-in**
- 7:45 AM – 8:00 AM **Welcome & Introduction**
Steven M. Kawut, MD, MS
- 8:00 AM – 8:30 AM **People Living with Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension – In Their Own Words**
Moderators: Christine Archer-Chicko, CRNP, MSN and Tina Walker, CRNP
TBD

Moderators: Jason S. Fritz, MD and Jennifer L. Keen, MD

- 8:30 AM – 9:00 AM **Slow Metabolism: The Right Ventricle in Pulmonary Hypertension**
Kurt Prins, MD, PhD
- 9:00 AM – 9:30 AM **The Science Leading to Sotatercept and Beyond**
Paul B. Yu, MD, PhD
- 9:30 AM – 10:00 AM **Sex Healing in PAH**
Corey E. Ventetuolo, MD, MS
- 10:00 AM – 10:15 AM Break

Moderators: Jasleen Minhas, MD and Harold I. Palevsky, MD

- 10:15 AM – 10:45 AM **Talking to People who (may) Have a New Diagnosis of Pulmonary Hypertension**
Daniel C. Grinnan, MD
- 10:45 AM – 11:15 AM **Magic 8-Ball Says the Patient Has HFpEF PH**
Bradley A. Maron, MD
- 11:15 AM – 11:45 AM **Connect the Tissue Disease Dots in Pulmonary Hypertension**
Stephen Mathai, MD, MHS
- 11:45 AM – 1:00 PM Lunch

Moderators: Marwa Oudah, MD and K. Akaya Smith, MD

- 1:00 PM – 1:30 PM **WSPH Treatment Algo in Pulmonary Hypertension**
Hilary DuBrock, MD, MS
- 1:30 PM – 2:00 PM **The Hospitalized Patient with PAH**
Estefania Oliveros, MD, MSc
- 2:00 PM – 2:30 PM **Treatment of ILD-PH – When to Hold ‘em and When to Fold ‘em**
Steven Nathan, MD
- 2:30 PM – 2:45 PM Break

*Five to ten minutes of Q&A is allotted at the end of each presentation.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 2025 *(continued)*

Moderators: Steven C. Pugliese, MD and Hari Shankar, MD

- 2:45 PM – 3:15 PM **Lung Transplant in Pulmonary Hypertension: Timing is Everything**
John Granton, MD, FRCPC
- 3:15 PM – 4:00 PM **PE(nn) Wars: Systemic 'lytics vs. Cather-based Therapy in High-Risk PE**
Alison Witkin, MD and Carin Gonsalves, MD
- 4:00 PM – 4:30 PM **Looking for an Opening: Balloon Pulmonary Angioplasty**
Lauren M. Glassmoyer, MD, FACC, FSCAI
- 4:30 PM **Adjourn**

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 2025

Re-imagining Clinical Trials in Pulmonary Hypertension

- 8:00 AM – 8:20 AM **In-person Sign-in & Continental Breakfast**
- 8:20 AM – 8:30 AM **Welcome & Introduction**
Steven M. Kawut, MD, MS
- 8:30 AM – 9:00 AM **Clinical Research Participant – What do I Want from PH Studies/Therapies?**
Patient - TBD
- 9:00 AM – 9:30 AM **Recruiting Minority Members into PH Clinical Trials – Why and How?**
Alex Fanaroff, MD
- 9:30 AM – 10:00 AM **Minimizing Health Care/Research Contact Days: No Place Like Home**
Monique S. Tanna, MD
- 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM **Digital Health in Clinical Trials**
Jasleen Minhas, MD, MS
- 10:30 AM – 10:45 AM Break
- 10:45 AM – 11:15 AM **Comorbidities, Inclusion Criteria, and Treatment Effects – More or Less**
Vallerie McLaughlin, MD
- 11:15 AM – 11:45 AM **Data and Safety Monitoring in Clinical Trials**
Mardi Gomberg-Maitland, MD, MSc
- 11:45 AM – 12:15 PM **What's the (End) Point?**
Jason Weatherald, MD, MSc, FRCPC
- 12:15 PM Pick up Boxed Lunch
Adjournment

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REGISTRATION FEES

(pre-payment is required to be officially registered)

IN-PERSON ATTENDANCE:

DAYS ATTENDING Friday Saturday

- \$250 for physicians
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- \$125 for nurse practitioners, physician assistants and other healthcare professionals
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- \$50 for Penn Medicine faculty, staff, residents, fellows, and students

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PAYMENT METHOD

- If you are paying by check or credit card, please register online at
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 Academic Programs, Penn Medicine, JMEC, SPE, 6th floor
 3400 Civic Center Blvd, Bldg. 421, Philadelphia, PA 19104-5162
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