28th International Conference on Screening for Lung Cancer

Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, NY May 9-10, 2013

The broadest mission of these Conferences is collective pursuit of understanding of the issues surrounding early diagnosis and early treatment of lung cancer. Starting with the Early Lung Cancer Action Program (ELCAP), which evolved into the International (I)-ELCAP, the focus has always been on practice-relevant research. CT screening for lung cancer continues to be implemented throughout the world. Guidelines are increasingly being developed by many organizations. The focus of this conference is on the research needed for further development of policies by clinical (professional societies, medical institutions, insurance companies) and by public (government) entities to address the benefit of the screening and the concerns about the potential harms.

Thursday, May 9, 2013

Location: Kenneth and Bonnie Davis Auditorium, Hess Building, 1470 Madison Avenue

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9:00 - 9:20	Welcome. J. Smith Conference Plan. C. Henschke
9:20 – 10:30	I-ELCAP Update. Moderator: C. Connery State of the consortium – C. Henschke Overall surgical results – R. Flores Limited resection results – N. Altorki
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break and Group Photo
11:00 – 12:00	Integrating Science and Public Policy in the Fight Against Lung Cancer. Moderator: P. Boffetta – C. Healton Discussion
12:00 – 2:00	Lunch Break
2:00 – 3:00	Guidelines on CT Screening. Moderator: R. Flores Current guidelines about the benefit and their basis – D. Yankelevitz What actually is the benefit? – O. Miettinen/J. Smith Essential information for a decision about the screening – C. Henschke
3:00 – 3:30	Coffee Break
3:30 – 5:30	Nonsolid Nodules. Moderator: F. Grannis Natural course of nonsolid nodules: literature review – D. Shaham Current guidelines – A. Wolf Pathology – M. Beasley Panel Discussion: CT reporting and management recommendations
5:30 – 6:30	Steering Committee Meeting

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Friday, May 10, 2013

Location: Hatch Auditorium, 1190 Fifth Av

9:00 - 9:30	Practice-based Data Collection and Quality Assurance. Moderator: L. Welch Critical data elements for future screening assessment – D. Yankelevitz Possible role of a hospital-based tumor registry – E. Ambinder/C. Ingram
9:30 - 10:15	Panel discussion: Quality assurance of CT scan acquisition and reading and potential modification of I-ELCAP's processes
10:15 – 10:45	Coffee Break
10:45 – 12:00	Meta-Analysis: Its Origins and Future. Moderator: C. Henschke – I. Olkin Discussion
12:00 – 1:30	Lunch
1:30 – 2:15	New Horizons for Lung Cancer Manifesting as a Nonsolid Nodule. Moderator: M. Pasmantier Radiation oncology – K. Rosenzweig Chemoprevention – P. Boffetta Precision Medicine – C. Cantley
2:15 – 2:30	Coffee Break
2:30 – 3:15	Optimization of Protocol. Moderator: C. Powell Image acquisition – L. Tanenbaum Algorithm for fine needle aspiration and core biopsy management – A. Saqi Discussion
3:15 – 4:30	Update on Ancillary Findings. Moderator: A. Rotter Breast imaging – M. Salvatore/L. Margolies Bone imaging – A. Reeves Limited field of view imaging – M. Cham Combined lung and cardiac protocol – H. Hecht Maintaining High Image Quality – R. Avila