

Education Sessions - The Obesity Society 2008 Annual Scientific Meeting

Date	Time	Session	Lecture Title	Speaker	Confirmed / Invited
October 3, 2008	5:30 to 7 PM	Opening Session	President's Address and Atkinson-Stern and Bray Founders Award Presentations	Gary Foster PhD	Confirmed
October 4, 2008	8:00 to 9:30 AM	Plenary Oral Abstract Presentations	Top-Rated Abstracts from all obesity research tracks		
	9:30 to 10:00 AM	Friends of Albert "Mickey" Stunkard Award and Lecture	Awardee to be announced at the meeting		
	10:15 to 11:15 AM	Key Lecture - Regulation of Metabolism by Bone	Regulation of Metabolism by Bone	Gerard Karsenty MD	Confirmed
	10:15 to 11:15 AM	Key Lecture - Leptin	Mechanisms of Leptin Action and Leptin Resistance	Martin Myers MD, PhD	Confirmed
	10:15 to 11:15 AM	Key Lecture - Genetics of Obesity	Genetics of Obesity	Rudolph Leibel, MD	Invited
	10:15 to 11:15 AM	Key Lecture - The Built Environment	The Built Environment	James Sallis PhD	Confirmed
	10:15 to 11:15 AM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - Genetics 101 for Clinicians	An Introduction to Genetics	Kari North MA, PhD	Confirmed
			What is Epigenetics?	Robert Waterland PhD	Confirmed
	11:15 AM to 12:45 PM	Oral Abstract Presentations	Abstracts in Cell & Molecular Biology, Integrative Biology, Clinical Studies, and Population studies		
	1:45 to 3:15 PM	Symposium - Adipose Stem Cells	Adipose Stem Cells and Lipodystrophy	Matthew Rodeheffer PhD	Confirmed
			Adipose Stem Cells: Treatment for Ischemia	Keith March MD, PhD	Confirmed
			Adipose Stem Cells and Tumorigenesis	Mikhail Kolonin PhD	Confirmed
1:45 to 3:15 PM	Symposium - Chariots of Fire: Regulation of Energy Expenditure	Factors in Cellular Regulation	Daniel Kelly PhD	Confirmed	
		Uncoupling Proteins in Metabolism	Denis Richard PhD	Confirmed	
		Torpor and Fibroblast Growth Factors	Steven Kliewer PhD	Confirmed	
1:45 to 3:15 PM	Symposium - Treatment of Pediatric Obesity	Behavioral Strategies	Denise Wilfley PhD	Confirmed	
		Medical and Pharmacologic Treatments	Robert Berkowitz MD	Confirmed	
		Bariatric Surgery	Thomas Inge MD, PhD	Confirmed	

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October 4, 2008	1:45 to 3:15 PM	Symposium - Obesity and Disability	Body composition and weight change in the etiology of disability: the Health ABC Study	Tamara Harris, MD	Confirmed
			Population Trends in Obesity and Disability	Dawn Alley PhD	Confirmed
			Adherence to Physical Activity in the Lifestyle Interventions and Independence for Elders Pilot Study (LIFE-P)	Walter Rejeski PhD	Confirmed
	1:45 to 3:15 PM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - Setting Up an Obesity Management Program: What is Different?	The Obesity Clinic Setup	Richard Atkinson MD	Confirmed
			The Patient History and Physical Examination	Robert Kushner MD	Confirmed
Treatment Modalities			Donald Schumacher MD	Confirmed	
The Treatment Team and Other Resources			Judy Loper PhD, RD	Confirmed	
3:30 to 5 PM	Symposium - Boning Up on Fat	PPAR(gamma) Effects on Bone and Fat	Beata Lecka-Czernik PhD	Confirmed	
		Is Osteoporosis Actually Obesity of the Bone?	Clifford Rosen PhD	Confirmed	
		Vitamin D Deficiency and Atherosclerosis in Obese, Insulin Resistant Humans	Carlos Bernal-Mizrachi MD	Confirmed	
3:30 to 5 PM	Symposium - From Cradle to Grave: The Life of a Fat Cell	Fetal Fat	Gary Hausman PhD	Confirmed	
		Fat and Aging	James Kirkland MD, PhD	Confirmed	
		Fat Cell Death	Martin Obin PhD	Confirmed	
3:30 to 5 PM	Symposium - Physical Activity Levels and Obesity	Lessons Learned from Real-Life Lifestyle Interventions	Anne McTiernan MD, PhD	Confirmed	
		Calculating the Weight and Metabolic Benefits of Physical Activity	Robert Ross PhD	Confirmed	
		Integration of Science and Experience: Clinical Guidelines for Physical Activity	William L. Haskell PhD	Confirmed	

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October 4, 2008	3:30 to 5 PM	Symposium - The Genetics of Childhood and Early Onset Obesity	Genome-Wide Linkage Studies on Child Obesity and Its Comorbidities	Anthony Comuzzie PhD	Confirmed
			The Genetics of Early Onset Obesity in Pima Indians	Leslie Baier PhD	Confirmed
			UK Genetics of Obesity Study	Sadaf Farooqi PhD	Confirmed
			Genome Wide Association Studies on Childhood Obesity	Struan Grant PhD	Confirmed
October 4, 2008	3:30 to 5 PM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - Enhancing Weight Management Strategies	The Tool Box- Additional Tools for Patients to Build Insight	Greg Hottinger MPH, RD, LDN	Confirmed
			Changing the Communication Paradigm: A New Relationship between Health Professional and Patient	Julie Schwartz MS, RD	Confirmed
			The Coaching Weigh: Finding a New Direction for Weight Loss	Michael Scholtz MS, CFT, CSCS	Confirmed
	5:00 to 7:00 PM	Poster Abstract Viewing Session #1	Abstracts in Cell & Molecular Biology, Integrative Biology, Clinical Studies, and Population studies		
October 5, 2008	8 to 9:30 AM	Symposium - Regulation of Adipocyte Differentiation and Metabolism	Control of Lipolysis in Adipocytes	James Granneman PhD	Confirmed
			Renin and Obesity	Joyce Harp MD	Confirmed
			Peripheral Effects of Neuropeptide Y on Obesity and the Metabolic Syndrome	Zofia Zukowska PhD	Confirmed
	8 to 9:30 AM	Symposium - Can't Get No Satisfaction: Reward Addiction and Obesity	Molecular Pathways of Addiction	Brain Baldo PhD	Confirmed
			Neural Circuitry	Hans-Rudolf Berthoud PhD	Confirmed
			Peptides and Reward	Allen Levine PhD	Confirmed
	8 to 9:30 AM	Symposium - Antipsychotic Drugs and Obesity	Antipsychotic Medications and Metabolic/Cardiovascular Risk	John W. Newcomer PhD	Confirmed
			Metabolic Dysregulation with Antipsychotics	Marilyn Ader PhD	Confirmed
			Management of Antipsychotic-Induced Weight Gain	Kishore M. Gadde MD	Confirmed

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October 5, 2008	8 to 9:30 AM	Symposium - Putative Causes of Obesity: Infections and Pollutants	Pollutants Organic Pollutants and Obesity Viruses	Angelo Tremblay PhD Jerrold Heindel, PhD Nikhil Dhurandhar PhD	Confirmed Confirmed Confirmed
	9:30 to 10:00 AM	TOPS Research Achievement Award and Lecture	Awardee to be announced at the meeting		
	10:15AM to 12:00 PM	Oral Abstract Presentations	Abstracts in Cell & Molecular Biology, Integrative Biology, Clinical Studies, and Population studies		
	2:30 to 3:30 PM	Key Lecture - Brown Fat: It's Hot Again	Brown Fat: It's Hot Again	Barbara Cannon PhD	Confirmed
	2:30 to 3:30 PM	Key lecture - Lessons from the Gila River	Lessons from the Gila River Indian Community	Peter Bennett PhD	Confirmed
	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - Eutopic and Ectopic Fat Droplets	Lipin-1 in Obesity-Related Fatty Liver Disease	Brian Finck PhD	Confirmed
			Mitochondrial Stress and Insulin Resistance in Muscle	Deborah Muoio PhD	Confirmed
			Cardiac Lipid Metabolism and Function FSP27 (CIDEc) and Adipocyte Triglyceride Storage	Jean Schaffer MD Vishwajeet Puri PhD	Confirmed Confirmed
	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - The Metabolic Effects of Bariatric Surgery	Clinical Effects of Bariatric Surgery	Bruce M. Wolfe MD	Confirmed
Effects of Bariatric Surgery on Gut Hormones			David E. Cummings MD	Confirmed	
Resolution of Diabetes and Bariatric Surgery			Francesco Rubino MD	Confirmed	
Insulin Secretion after Bariatric Surgery			Mary Elizabeth Patti MD	Confirmed	
3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - Leptin: From Bench to Bedside	Overcoming Leptin Resistance	Christian Weyer MD	Confirmed	
		Leptin and Hypothalamic Amenorrhea	Christos Mantzoros MD, DSc	Confirmed	
		Leptin Treatment After Weight Reduction	Michael Rosenbaum, MD	Invited	
		Leptin Receptor Mutations and Obesity	Stephen O'Rahilly MD	Invited	

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October 5, 2008	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - Building Evidence for Environmental and Policy Solutions to Prevent Childhood Obesity	An Evaluation of Preschool and K-12 School Wellness Policies in Connecticut	Marlene Schwartz PhD	Confirmed
			Capturing the Impact of New Food and Beverage Standards in California High Schools	Patricia Crawford PhD	Confirmed
			Survey of Healthy Activity and Eating Practices and Environments in Head Start (SHAPES)	Robert Whitaker MD, MPH	Confirmed
			Food Policies and the Environment in and Around Public Schools	Roland Sturm PhD	Confirmed
October 5, 2008	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - Weight Management for Life Stages	Weight Loss for Children: Why, When, and How Much	Angelo Pietrobelli MD	Confirmed
			Weight Management in Adulthood	Arya Sharma MD, PhD	Confirmed
			Pregnancy, Prenatal Status, and Weight Management	Matthew Gillman MD	Confirmed
			Weight Management for Older Adults	Caroline M. Apovian MD	Confirmed
October 5, 2008	5:30 to 7:30 PM	Poster Abstract Viewing Session #2	Abstracts in Cell & Molecular Biology, Integrative Biology, Clinical Studies, and Population studies		
October 6, 2008	8:00 to 9:45 AM	Lilly Scientific Achievement Award and Lecture/Ethan Sims Young Investigator Award	Awardees to be announced at the meeting		
	10 to 11:45 AM	Oral Abstract Presentations	Abstracts in Cell & Molecular Biology, Integrative Biology, Clinical Studies, and Population studies		
	10 to 11:45 AM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - Using Evidence to Treat Overweight and Obesity: The ADA's Adult and Pediatric Weight Management Guidelines	The American Dietetic Association's Adult and Pediatric Weight Management Guidelines: Using the ADA Evidence Analysis Library	Christina Bieseimer MS, RD	Confirmed
			Tools, Resources, and Practical Strategies for Guideline Implementation	Nancy Cooperman MS, RD	
October 6, 2008	12:45 to 2:45 PM	Poster Abstract Viewing Session #3	Abstracts in Cell & Molecular Biology, Integrative Biology, Clinical Studies, and Population studies		

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October 6, 2008	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - Adipokines	RBP4, Obesity, and Insulin Resistance	Barbara Kahn PhD	Confirmed
			Lipocalin 2 and Obesity-Associated Insulin Resistance	Evan Rosen PhD	Confirmed
			Omentin in Human Obesity	John McLenithan PhD	Confirmed
			Hepatocyte Growth Factor and Adipose Angiogenesis	Robert Considine PhD	Confirmed
	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - Fat in the Hat: Fatty Acid Synthesis in the Hypothalamus	Malonyl CoA and Energy Balance	M. Daniel Lane PhD	Confirmed
			Lipid Synthesis and Oxidation	Roy Martin PhD	Confirmed
			Leptin and Fatty Acid Synthesis	Timothy Moran PhD	Confirmed
			Long Chain Fatty Acids and Glucose Homeostasis	Tony Lam PhD	Confirmed
	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - Calorie Restriction and Longevity	Calorie Restriction and Mitochondrial Function	Eric Ravussin PhD	Confirmed
			Long Term Voluntary Caloric Restriction: CRonies	Luigi Fontana PhD	Confirmed
			Calorie Restriction in Rodents and Primates	Richard Weindruch PhD	Confirmed
			Calorie Restriction and Autophagy	Stephanie Wohlgemuth PhD	Confirmed
	3:45 to 5:30 PM	Symposium - Early Life Risk Factors for Obesity	The Evolution of Fatness	Jonathan Wells PhD	Confirmed
			Long Term Effects of Infant Feeding	Linda Adair PhD	Confirmed
			Implications of Rapid Growth in Infancy	Nicolas Stettler MD, MSCE	Confirmed
			Lessons from Prenatal Overfeeding in the Rodent Model	Suzanne Ozanne PhD	Confirmed
3:45 to 5:30 PM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - Smart Use of Obesity Drugs	Combination Drug Treatment: What Works	Frank Greenway MD	Confirmed	
		Off-Label Use of Obesity Drugs: Do's and Don'ts	Louis J. Aronne MD	Confirmed	
		Currently Approved Drugs for Weight Loss	Richard Lutes MD	Confirmed	

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October 7, 2008	8:00 to 9:30 AM	Oral Abstract Presentations	Abstracts in Cell & Molecular Biology, Integrative Biology, Clinical Studies, and Population studies		
	9:45 to 10:45 AM	Key Lecture - Metabolic Reverberations (Reverb Alpha)	Metabolic Rev-erberations (Reverb Alpha)	Mitchell Lazar PhD	Confirmed
	9:45 to 10:45 AM	Key Lecture - Brainstem Control of Energy Balance	Brainstem Control of Energy Balance	Harvey Grill PhD	Confirmed
	9:45 to 10:45 AM	Key Lecture - Sexual (Dys)Function in Obesity	Sexual (Dys)Function in Obesity	Raymond Rosen PhD	Confirmed
	9:45 to 10:45 AM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - How to Recognize and Manage Binge Eating, Night Eating, and Cravings	Assessment and Intervention for Food Cravings	Corby Martin PhD	Confirmed
			Assessment and Treatment of Binge Eating Disorders	Donald Williamson PhD	Confirmed
			Night Eating Disorders: Identification and Treatment	Kelly Allison PhD	Confirmed
	11 to 12:45 PM	Symposium - Rhythms of Life	The Melanocortin System and Metabolic Cycles	Andrew A. Butler PhD	Confirmed
Circadian Gene Expression in Adipose Stem Cells			Jeffery Gimble MD PhD	Confirmed	
PGC1(alpha) Integrates the Mammalian Clock and Energy Metabolism			Jiandie Lin PhD	Confirmed	
11 to 12:45 PM	Symposium - Fat in the Fire: Inflammation and Obesity	Salicylates as a Therapeutic	Allison Goldfine PhD	Invited	
		Signaling and Inflammation	Andrew Greenberg MD	Confirmed	
		M0 Markers and Weight Loss	Anthony Ferrante MD, PhD	Confirmed	
		Inflammation Biomarkers	James Meigs MD MPH	Confirmed	

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October 7, 2008	11 to 12:45 PM	Symposium - Looking Within: Factors Related to Obesity and Weight Control in African Americans	Neighborhood and Personal Influences on Weight Gain among African Americans in the Multi-ethnic Study of Atherosclerosis	Ana Diez Roux PhD	Invited
			Weight Maintenance in African American Young Adults: The CARDIA Study	Cora Lewis MD	Confirmed
			Weight Loss and Weight Loss Maintenance: Insights from the African American Experience in Premier and Other Multicenter Trials	Jamy Ard MD	Confirmed
			Unraveling the Female-Male Disparity in Black American Obesity Prevalence: The National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health	Whitney Robinson MSPH	Confirmed
	11 to 12:45 PM	Clinical-Professional Practice Symposium - Bariatric Surgery	Recognizing Indications for Surgical Revisions	Bruce M. Wolfe MD	Confirmed
			Surgical Procedures: An Update	Edward Livingston MD	Confirmed
			Perioperative Guidelines	Philip Schauer MD	Confirmed