



NORTHWESTERN
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Department of Emergency Medicine SAEM Presentation Schedule

Abstracts

Thursday, May 14

10:00 - 11:30 (Paper Presentation)

- **17** - "Factors Affecting Dyspnea Reduction in Emergency Department Patients with Acute Heart Failure Syndromes" – Peter Pang (presenting author); Jim Kyriacou & Mark Courtney (co-authors)

2:00 - 3:00 (Paper Presentation)

- **24** - "Classification and regression tree (CART) analysis: a novel method to derive and validate a pre-test probability rule for pulmonary embolism" – Mark Courtney, (presenting author)

3:00 – 5:00 (Poster Session)

- **110** - "Educational Orphans: A Survey of EM Residency Directors on Didactics for Rotating Residents in the ED" – Jeremy Branzetti (presenting author); Amer Aldeen & D. Mark Courtney (co-authors)
- **128** - "Adaptation of the Education in Palliative and End-of-Life Care in Emergency Medicine (EPEC-EM) Curriculum in a Residency Program Using Synchronous and Asynchronous Teaching Methodology" – Mike Gisondi (presenting author); Dave Lu, May Yen, Mark Courtney, & Paula Tanabe (co-authors)

Friday, May 15

9:30 - 11:00 (Paper Presentation)

- **181** - "Prospective Multi-Center Assessment of Interobserver Agreement for Radiologist Interpretation of 64-Channel Angiography for Pulmonary Embolism" – Mark Courtney (presenting author)
- **183** - "Influence of Gender on the Clinical Presentation of Venous Thromboembolism: a Prospective, Multi-Center, Observational Study of Emergency Department Patients" – Peter Richman (presenting author); Mark Courtney (co-author)
- **185** - "Factors Associated with Positive D-Dimer Results in Patients Evaluated for Pulmonary Embolism" – Chris Kabrhel (presenting author); Mark Courtney (co-author)

1:00 – 3:00 (Poster Session)

- **303** - "Empiric Systemic Anticoagulation in Patients with Suspected Pulmonary Embolism" – Michael Marchick (presenting author); Mark Courtney (co-author)
- **305** - "12-Lead Electrocardiogram Findings of Pulmonary Hypertension Occur More Frequently in Emergency Department Patients with Pulmonary Embolism than in Patients

without Pulmonary Embolism” – Michael Marchick (presenting author); Mark Courtney (co-author)

- **307** - "High Frequency Repeated Negative Computerized Tomographic Pulmonary Angiography in Emergency Department Patients" – Maria Glenn (presenting author); Mark Courtney (co-author)
- **309** - "Pulmonary Infiltrates Revealed on CT in Patients with Negative Evaluation for Pulmonary Embolism" – Wes Self (presenting author); Mark Courtney (co-author)
- **313** – "History of Anxiety Significantly Decreases the Probability of Pulmonary Embolism in Symptomatic Emergency Department Patients" – Jeff Kline (presenting author); Mark Courtney (co-author)

Saturday, May 16

9:30 – 11:00 (Paper Presentation)

- **359** - "A Hospital-Wide Approach to Decreasing Emergency Department Congestion: Matching Supply with Demand" – Emilie Powell (presenting author); Rahul Khare & Arjun Venkatesh (co-authors)

Sunday, May 17

10:00 – 12:00 (Poster Session)

- **616** - "Implications of the Consensus SCCM/ACP Definition for Sepsis on Proposed Time-based Performance Measures" – Arjun Venkatesh (presenting author); Mike Schmidt, Peter Pang, & Mark Courtney (co-authors)

Didactics

Saturday, May 16

9:00 – 10:30

- "State-of-the-Art in Acute Heart Failure Syndromes: Evolving Role of the ED – Current State and a Framework for Future Research" – Peter Pang

10:30 – 11:30

- "Academic Career Development for Clinical Directors" – Chris Beach

Sunday, May 17

9:30 – 10:30

- "The Science of Simulation in Healthcare: Follow-up of the 2008 AEM Consensus Conference" – John Vozenilek

Chief Resident Forum

Friday, May 15

9:00 – 10:00

- “Communication as a Key to Leadership Success” – Jim Adams

Medical Student Symposium

Saturday, May 16

11:15 – 11:45

- “The Interview” – Jamie Collings