American Heart Association - Scientific Sessions 2012
Council on Peripheral Vascular Diseases - “Mentored Rounding” Program

The PVD Council has initiated a new and innovative “Mentored Rounding” program. You are invited to join national and international leaders in vascular disease to evaluate together new science in vascular disease biology and clinical care this year.

Objectives

The Scientific Sessions Mentored Rounds Program will:

- Provide a welcome to junior members to these AHA Scientific Sessions with a “personal touch”. This program will provide a unique and interactive small-group opportunity within the large and potentially overwhelming Scientific Sessions.
- Provide an opportunity for trainees & junior faculty from all vascular disciplines to meet and directly interact with national and international PVD leaders in a small group setting.
- Provide a unique academic discussion environment in which new science can be interpreted and discussed by you and your colleagues, with leading experts in PVD investigation.
- This experience will provide the PVD Council with an opportunity to learn about your needs and interests. Together, we can determine how you can best participate in future PVD Council Early Career-Fellow in Training (EC-FIT) activities.

This is Compelling: Why Mentored Rounding Matters

Mentors are senior AHA clinician-investigators and scientists who have contributed to the global vascular knowledge base and who have been dedicated to mentorship. A small group of mentees (6-10) and one to two mentors will meet to evaluate select arenas of “best vascular science” and will round together to the oral abstracts, posters, and cardiovascular seminars.

You will ask together: “What here is fundamentally new?” “Why did the investigators perform this study?” “What methodologic challenges were overcome?” “What limitations impede ‘next step’ investigations?” “How can I contribute within this research frame?”

Registration: How to Join the Program

Vascular-focused AHA Scientific Sessions attendees may sign up to join this mentorship program at the PVD Fellow’s Workshop at the registration desk on Saturday, November 3, 2012 and during the Workshop’s career lunch.

We welcome you to Scientific Sessions 2012.

Join the “PVD Council’s Mentored Rounding” program and live to learn!

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