AN INTERACTIVE, PANEL-BASED COURSE
Topics include: Facial Plastics, Head & Neck Surgery, Laryngology, Otology, Pediatric Otolaryngology, Reflux, Sinus, and Sleep Apnea

VANDERBILT Otolaryngology Symposium
38th George A. Sisson International Workshop

FEBRUARY 7-12, 2016 | THE LODGE AT VAIL | VAIL, COLORADO
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2016
6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.  Breakfast/Exhibits
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.  Chronic Ear Disease – What’s New?
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Management of SNHL – Role of Implantable Devices
2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.*  Medical & Surgical Labyrinthine Disorders
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.*  The Diagnosis and Management of Common Pediatric Airway Concerns

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2016
6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.  Breakfast/Exhibits
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.  Laryngeal Cancer: An In-depth Look at Zenker’s Diverticulum
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Evaluation of the Cystic Neck Mass
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  Complex Issues in Acoustic Neuroma I
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.  Otology Lightning Round I
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  The Expanding Role of Head & Neck Surgery in Global Health: Using our Resources Wisely to Make a Difference

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2016
6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.  Breakfast/Exhibits
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.  Complex Issues in Acoustic Neuroma II
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Otology Lightning Round II
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.  Complex Issues in Cochlear Implants
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.  Is Personalized Healthcare Hype or Reality?
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  Auricular Reconstruction: Minor to Microtia

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2016
6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.  Breakfast/Exhibits
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.  Financial Considerations in a Laryngology Practice
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Medical Management of Common Voice Disorders
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.  The Aging Nose
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  Allergy Collaboration in an Otolaryngology Practice

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2016
6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.  Breakfast/Exhibits
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.  Management of the Inferior Turbinate
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Determining the Appropriate Extent of FESS
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.  Case-based Pearls in Laryngology
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  How to Handle too Little or too Much Vocal Cord Motion

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2016
6:30 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.  Breakfast/Exhibits
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.  Laryngology/H&N Combined Panel
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Pearls of the Modified Endoscopic Lothrop: When and How

Schedule subject to change.  * Time changed to accommodate Super Bowl.
REGISTRATION
Attendees $650
Full Time Residents $375
To register, visit vanderbilthealth.com/sisson

COURSE DESCRIPTION
This meeting will employ both case presentation and panel discussion formats. Educational programming will include current concepts of diagnosis and treatment in head and neck medicine. New techniques and technology will be addressed, as well as outcomes of surgical techniques.

Course faculty is comprised of internationally recognized experts in academic otolaryngology. This meeting will provide an environment conducive to free exchange of experience and the sharing of clinical outcomes with the ultimate goal of advancing and improving patient care.

PURPOSE
The purpose of this program is to provide otolaryngologists an opportunity to review and update knowledge in otology, laryngology, sinus, facial plastics, pediatric otolaryngology and head & neck surgery.

OBJECTIVES
After participating in this CME activity, participants should be able to describe and discuss:

- Current evidence-based medical and surgical management of patients with common and uncommon disorders of the ears, nose, throat, head and neck
- Emerging protocols, procedures, and techniques being investigated in major teaching centers
- Future developments in the management of otolaryngologic disorders

TARGET AUDIENCE
This program is designed for practicing otolaryngologists and otolaryngology residents and fellows seeking the latest information in head & neck medicine.

MEETING LOCATION
The Vanderbilt Otolaryngology Symposium is held in Vail, Colorado, where participants can take advantage of some of the world’s finest skiing. All components of the meeting will be held at The Lodge at Vail.

LODGING RESERVATIONS
The Vanderbilt Otolaryngology Symposium will be held at The Lodge at Vail. Reservations must be made directly with The Lodge by calling 877-LAV-ROCK. Please be sure to indicate that you are with the Vanderbilt group in order to benefit from group rates. The cut-off date for making reservations is Friday, January 8, 2016. You are encouraged to book early as the rooms fill very quickly. Please pay close attention to cancellation and early departure policies as outlined by the hotel.

CME CREDIT DESIGNATION
Vanderbilt University School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Vanderbilt University School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 24.0 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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CANCELLATION POLICY AND TRANSFERABILITY OF REGISTRATION
If it is necessary for you to cancel your registration for this course, Vanderbilt will refund your registration fee, less a $75 administrative fee, provided you notify us by January 1, 2016. No refunds will be made after that date. Exceptions will be made for justifiable emergencies. In the event of cancellation or rescheduling of this CME activity due to unforeseen circumstances, Vanderbilt will refund registration fees in full. Vanderbilt is not responsible for non-transferable, refundable airline tickets or hotel accommodations purchased in connection with attendance at this CME activity.

LIFT TICKETS
Lift tickets that are pre-purchased in conjunction with this activity are available at discounted rates. In order to benefit from this group rate, pre-purchase is required as discounted rates cannot be honored upon arrival in Vail. Please visit vanderbilthealth.com/sisson for more information.

GROUND TRANSPORTATION
For shuttle service, please contact the Colorado Mountain Express. Colorado Mountain Express has point-to-point service from either Denver International Airport or Vail/Eagle Airport directly to your hotel.

To make reservations, call 800-525-6363 or visit cmex.com.

Discounted ground transportation is available by referencing group code Vanderbilt.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Email questions to sissonworkshop@comcast.net
Blue Sky Basin
Blue Sky Basin is the outer-most area of Vail Mountain, flanked by Pete’s and Earl’s bowls and accessed by three different chairlifts. Offering a distinct backcountry feel, intermediate and advanced skiers and snowboarders will find a variety of moguls, glades, cliffs, ridges, and fresh tracks amongst Blue Sky Basin’s 645 acres.

Vail’s Front Side
More than 120 individual trails greet skiers and snowboarders of all ability levels on the front side of Vail Mountain. A wide variety of terrain including gentle beginner slopes, smooth cruisers, moguls, glades, and terrain parks are accessed by two gondolas, 10 high-speed chairlifts and several beginner lifts for both children and adults. At more than 1,600 acres, the front side of Vail Mountain is bigger than 90% of other ski mountains in North America and is just the beginning of your on-mountain adventure.

Vail’s Back Bowls
Vail’s seven legendary Back Bowls – Sun Down, Sun Up, Tea Cup, China, Siberia, Inner Mongolia and Outer Mongolia – set Vail apart as a resort truly Like Nothing on Earth. Intermediate and advanced skiers and snowboarders can enjoy wide turns in endless snowfields amongst more than 3,000 acres of terrain here.
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