General Session
Saturday, April 28, 2018
2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Hilton San Diego Bayfront, Sapphire Ballroom D
San Diego, CA

Agenda

Welcome/President’s Remarks
Leadership Announcements / Service Recognition
2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.
Dr. Sandra Starnes

TSDA Reports
2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Boot Camp: Dr. George Hicks, Jr.
TSDA In-Training Exam: Dr. David Cooke
Congenital Update: Dr. Cynthia Herrington
Thoracic Education Cooperative Group (TECoG): Dr. Mara Antonoff

Presentation 1
2:30 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.
What Steps to Take When a Resident is Not Performing: Dr. Dave Fullerton

Breakout Sessions
2:50 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.
Attendees will participate in two 30-minute breakout sessions.

1. How to Properly Construct an ITE Question (for Current or Interested Question Writers): Moderators: Dr. David Cooke, Dr. Sande Starnes
2. Creating a Remediation Plan for the Resident Who is Behind: Moderators: Dr. Dave Fullerton, Dr. Andrea Carpenter
3. Building Research Time into Integrated Six Year Schedules: Moderators: Dr. Michael Fischbein, Dr. Andrew Chang
4. Effectively Incorporating Learn CT Surgery into Your Program’s Curriculum: Moderators: Dr. Ara Vaporiyan, Dr. Nahush Mokadam

Presentation 2
3:50 p.m. – 4:10 p.m.
ACGME Common Program Requirements Review Update / How to Increase a Resident’s Complement: Dr. Ara Vaporiyan

TSDA Business Meeting
TSDA Officer Elections
4:10 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
(TSDA Members Only)
Nominating Committee: Dr. Nahush Mokadam
Election of Officer: Councilor

Written Reports
AATS, ABTS, STS, TS-RACS

*Membership vote required.
4/24/18