



2025 Perioperative Care in Liver Transplantation Meeting
On Friday, October 10, 2025
San Antonio, TX

Please join us **on October 10th, 2025** for the
2025 Perioperative Care in Liver Transplantation meeting
jointly organized by the
International Liver Transplant Society (ILTS)
and the
Society for the Advancement of Transplant Anesthesia (SATA)

University of San Antonio Hospital Main Campus
UH Women's and Children's Hospital - Adams Conference Center
4502 Medical Drive
San Antonio, Texas 78229

Registration fees	Before October 10, 2025	On October 10, 2025
ILTS and SATA members (SCA, SOCCA)	\$150	\$180
Non-members	\$200	\$250
Reduced fee for non-physicians attendees	\$100	\$120

Registration website:

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7:15 am – 7:50 am	Registration
7:50 am – 8:00 am	Welcome and Introduction
8:00 am – 8:55 am	<u>How Modern Donor Care Has Changed our Daily Operations</u> <i>Moderators: Fareedul Azam - University of Colorado Medical Campus, Aurora, CO, USA Jwnnuw Ngai - New York University Medical Center, New York, NY, USA</i>
8:00 am – 8:15 am	<i>Donor center and DCD donation. Is it a game-changer for LT in the USA?</i> <i>Martin Littlejohn - University of Texas Health, San Antonio, TX, USA</i>
8:15 am – 8:30 am	<i>NRP: Progress and Challenges</i> <i>Govind Rangrass - Saint Louis University, St Louis, MO, USA</i>
8:30 am – 8:45am	<i>The ups and downs of machine perfusion: how do DCD donors affect our practice?</i> <i>Peter Frasco - Mayo Clinic Arizona, Scottsdale, AZ, USA</i>
8:45 am – 8:55 am	<i>Discussion</i>
8:55 am – 9:15 am	Break
9:15 am – 10:10 am	<u>Challenges of Perioperative Management</u> <i>Moderators: Fuat Saner - King Faisal Specialized Hospital, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia Rachel Freeman - University of Texas Health, San Antonio, TX, USA</i>
9:15 am – 9:30 am	<i>How to start a new liver transplant program</i> <i>Saravanan Ramamoorthy - Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas, TX, USA</i>
9:30 am – 9:45 am	<i>Venous Excess Ultrasounds for postoperative assessment after Liver Transplantation</i> <i>Ronny Munoz-Acuna - Yale University, New Haven, CT, USA</i>
9:45 am – 10:10 am	<i>AKI and HRS: why this is still significant for perioperative care</i> <i>Mike Bokoch - University of California-San Francisco, CA, USA</i>
10:00 am – 10:10 am	<i>Discussion</i>
10:10 am – 10:30 am	Break
10:30 am – 11:30 am	<u>Pro/Con Debate: How much monitoring do we still need?</u> <i>Moderators: Kapil Gupta - University of Washington , Seattle, WA, USA Gurmukh Sahota - University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, USA</i>
10:30 am – 10:50 am	<i>A lot: liver transplantation REQUIRES complex monitoring</i> <i>Yaroslava Longhitano - University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pittsburgh, PA, USA</i>
10:50 am – 11:10 am	<i>A little: Liver transplantation DOES NOT REQUIRE complex monitoring</i> <i>Kate Kronish - University of California-San Francisco, CA, USA</i>
11:10 am – 11:20 am	<i>Discussion</i>
11:20 am – 1:00 pm	<u>Lunch Break and Workshops</u>
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	<u>Case Presentations</u> <i>Moderators: Kristen Burton - University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, USA Konstantin Balonov - Tufts University, Boston, MA, USA</i>
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	<i>Case 1: Brian Gebhard -University of Massachusetts, Worcester, MA, USA</i>
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm	<i>Case 2: Simone Redaelli - Lahey Clinic,Burlington, MA, USA</i>

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2:00 pm – 2:15 pm	Break
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	<u>ILTS Cardiovascular Special Interest Group (SIG)</u> <i>Moderators: Michel Little -University of Texas Health, San Antonio, TX, USA Cale Kassel - University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE, USA</i>
2:15 pm – 2:35 pm	Combined liver-lung transplants <i>Zachary Fleissner - Mayo Clinic Florida, Jacksonville, FL, USA</i>
2:35 pm – 2:55 pm	2025 Cirrhotic Cardiomyopathy Update <i>Kymberly Watt - Mayo Clinic Rochester, MN, USA</i>
2:55 pm – 3:10 pm	<i>Discussion</i>
3:10 pm – 3:20 pm	Break
3:20 pm – 4:15 pm	<u>The future of transplant anesthesia</u> <i>Moderators: Alexandra Anderson - Mayo Clinic - Rochester, MN, USA Samir Gandhi - University of Texas Health, San Antonio, TX, USA</i>
3:20 pm – 3:35 pm	AI in transplantation: this is just the beginning <i>Jiapeng Huang - University of Louisville, Louisville, KY , USA</i>
3:35 pm – 3:50 pm	Are our patients sicker or healthier, are our grafts better or worse? <i>Eugenia Tsai - University of Texas Health, San Antonio, TX, USA</i>
3:50 pm – 4:05 pm	Robotic transplant surgery: first impressions <i>Katharina Beckmann - University of Illinois, Chicago, IL, USA</i>
4:05 pm – 4:15 pm	<i>Discussion</i>
4:15 pm – 5:00 pm	<u>Closing remarks</u> <i>Moderators: Dmitri Bezinover - Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania</i>
4:15 pm – 4:30 pm	Highlights from consensus conference "Safety of Living Donors" <i>Carla Luzzi - University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada</i>
4:30 pm – 4:45 pm	Address of ILTS president <i>Valeria Mas - University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD, USA</i>
4:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Address of SATA president <i>Lorenzo DeMarchi - Georgetown Medical Center, Washington, DC, USA</i>
4:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Closing Remarks <i>Gebhard Wagener - Columbia University Medical Center, New York, NY, USA</i>