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**AMERICAN COLLEGE OF GASTROENTEROLOGY**

## **Annual Postgraduate Gastroenterology Course**

**“Board Review and Update in Gastroenterology”**

**Saturday and Sunday, October 29 – 30, 2005**

and

## **70th Annual Scientific Meeting**

**Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 30 – November 2, 2005**

and

**Special Half and Full Day Programs**

**Friday, October 28, 2005**

Practice Management Course • ASGE-Sponsored Endoscopy Course  
What’s New in GI Pharmacology • Review of GI Structure and Function Course  
Recertification Preparation and Update

**Hawaii Convention Center, Honolulu, Hawaii**

# **PRELIMINARY PROGRAM**

### Program Description:

The challenges of quality patient care and optimal patient outcomes seem to increase exponentially from year to year through a combination of increased demand and burgeoning information/treatment options relating to disease, pharmaceuticals and devices. The clinical gastroenterologist needs to distill the essence of new information, maximize practical endoscopic/procedural knowledge, and integrate this with his/her baseline knowledge/experience regarding GI anatomy and disease states. Matching the latest information on new procedural and technological advances with the foundation of solid cognitive knowledge about GI organ systems and pathologies, will permit the needs of the GI patient to be advanced in today's complicated health system. Starting with the objective of capturing the essential points of both scientific and procedural advances to effective patient treatments, this year's Course applies these principles with a focused look at major GI organ systems and diseases. The Course's fundamental objective is to improve the GI practitioner's overall capacity to frame effective disease management strategies. Workshops, symposia and lunches provide updated perspectives on key GI conditions/disorders and the procedural/technological baseline for sound diagnosis and treatment. This program is designed primarily for gastroenterologists and others with significant involvement in diagnosis and treatment of GI conditions and disorders who are interested in an aggressive but scientifically sound approach to management of the treatment needs of GI patients with these conditions.

A comprehensive review will be conducted in didactic presentations from expert faculty, which collectively will provide broad coverage of organ systems. Optional, smaller group, "Meet the Professor" Learning Luncheons, together with question periods interspersed in the didactic sessions, and the choice among a series of debates and controversies in GI clinical care will provide ample opportunities for exploration of specific issues and greater depth in focused areas and GI procedures and treatments.

### Program Objectives:

Upon completion of this program attendees will:

- Strengthen their understanding of screening strategies for Barrett's esophagus, colorectal cancer and Hepatitis B.
- Assimilate the new paradigm relating to NSAIDs use in the area of apparent heightened risk of COX-2s and the potential role for *H. pylori* and NSAIDs in ulcers and GI bleeding.
- Improve their ability to weigh potential medical, endoscopic and surgical interventions as long-term strategies in the treatment of GERD, achalasia, dysphagia, as well as GI oncologies, including chemopreventive agents for GI malignancies, and relationships of gastritis and gastric cancer.
- Advance their familiarity with the full range of issues and treatment options in IBD, such as probiotics, antibiotics and management of dysplasia as well as new pharmacologic options in traditional GI disease areas like management of variceal bleeding, IBD, functional GI disorders and hepatitis B and C.
- Improve awareness and ability to incorporate into patient care decision-making issues relating to less common GI patient conditions such as assuring earlier diagnosis of celiac disease, difficulties in treating gastroparesis, as well as emerging GI epidemics, such as obesity, and the persistent problem of functional dyspepsia.
- Update their awareness and working familiarity with key aspects of GI liver disease, including recognition of non-alcoholic fatty liver disease and issues of hepatocellular cancer, severe constipation, ENT and pulmonary symptoms of GERD, refractory nausea and vomiting, NASH, cirrhosis, and acute pancreatitis.
- Attain a more comprehensive understanding and working knowledge of better diagnostic and treatment usages of endoscopy in specialized areas like the impact, safety and role of colonoscopy in colorectal cancer vis-a-vis other, newer diagnostic tools, to more esoteric usages, such as stenting, mucosal resection and chromoendoscopy, across the broad spectrum of GI organ systems.
- Achieve a better integration of the newest tools in diagnosis with the latest therapeutic/treatment alternatives to achieve optimal outcomes in disease management of both common and unique GI disorders.

Optional Learning Luncheon programs are available by pre-registration only. These sessions allow participants to explore in greater detail, on a "Meet the Professor" basis, key topic areas covered in the PG Course. Participants in each session are limited to 50. There is a separate charge of \$35 per Learning Luncheon.

## ACG 2005 ANNUAL POSTGRADUATE COURSE

### Board Review and Update in Clinical Gastroenterology

Course Directors: Maria T. Abreu, M.D., and Prateek Sharma, M.D.

October 29-30, 2005

Hawaii Convention Center, Honolulu, Hawaii

#### SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 29, 2005

##### 1A: UPPER GI DISORDERS

Moderator: M. Brian Fennerty, M.D., FACP

- 6:50 a.m. **Introduction**  
Maria T. Abreu, M.D.  
Prateek Sharma, M.D.
- 7:00 a.m. **Difficult to Treat Reflux Patients**  
Joel E. Richter, M.D., MACG
- 7:20 a.m. **Dysphagia and Esophageal Motility Disorders**  
Peter J. Kahrilas, M.D., FACP
- 7:40 a.m. **Practical Management Issues in Barrett's Esophagus**  
Richard E. Sampliner, M.D., FACP
- 8:00 a.m. ***H. pylori*, COX II and Ulcer Disease**  
Loren A. Laine, M.D., FACP
- 8:20 a.m. **Gastritis and Gastric Cancer**  
David Y. Graham, M.D., MACG
- 8:40 a.m. **Celiac Sprue: Are We Missing Cases?**  
Sheila E. Crowe, M.D.
- 9:00 a.m. **Break**

##### 1B: GI ONCOLOGY

Moderator: Sapna Syngal, M.D., FACP

- 9:30 a.m. **THE DAVID SUN LECTURE**  
**Optimizing the Impact and Safety of Colonoscopy in Colon Cancer Prevention**  
Douglas K. Rex, M.D., FACP
- 10:10 a.m. **Hereditary GI Cancers, HNPCC and Other Polyposis Syndromes**  
Sapna Syngal, M.D., FACP
- 10:30 a.m. **Hepatocellular Carcinoma**  
Naga P. Chalasani, M.D., FACP
- 10:50 a.m. **Chemoprevention in Gastrointestinal Malignancies**  
M. Brian Fennerty, M.D., FACP

#### SATURDAY AFTERNOON

11:10 a.m. **LEARNING LUNCHEONS** (separate registration required)

1. **Management of Celiac Disease and Food Allergies in Your Practice**  
Sheila E. Crowe, M.D.
2. **Esophageal Function Testing**  
Kenneth R. DeVault, M.D., FACP
3. **Biostatistics and Evidence Based Medicine: A Primer**  
Nicholas J. Shaheen, M.D., FACP
4. **Propofol in Your Endoscopy Unit**  
John J. Vargo, M.D., M.P.H., FACP
5. **Probiotics and Prebiotics: Do They Really Have a Role in GI Diseases?**  
Christina M. Surawicz, M.D., FACP
6. **Fecal Incontinence, Hemorrhoids and Fissures**  
Satish S.C. Rao, M.D., Ph.D., FACP
7. **Managing Complications of End Stage Liver Disease**  
Arun J. Sanyal, M.D.
8. **Eosinophilic Esophagitis**  
Edgar Achkar, M.D., FACP
9. **Biologic Therapy for IBD**  
Stephen B. Hanauer, M.D., FACP
10. **IBD: Are We Ready to Change the Natural History?**  
William J. Sandborn, M.D., FACP
11. **What's New in Irritable Bowel Syndrome?**  
Eamonn M.M. Quigley, M.D., FACP
12. **Small Bowel Bacterial Overgrowth: How and When to Treat**  
Jack A. DiPalma, M.D., FACP

##### 1C: FUNCTIONAL BOWEL DISORDERS

Moderator: Kenneth R. McQuaid, M.D., FACP

- 12:30 p.m. **Functional Dyspepsia: Bugs or Drugs?**  
William D. Chey, M.D., FACP
- 12:50 p.m. **Difficult to Treat Gastroparesis**  
Eamonn M.M. Quigley, M.D., FACP
- 1:10 p.m. **Evidence Based Approach to Irritable Bowel Syndrome**  
Mark Pimentel, M.D.
- 1:30 p.m. **Clinical Utility of the Rome Criteria**  
Nicholas J. Talley, M.D., Ph.D., FACP
- 1:50 p.m. **Break**

#### SIMULTANEOUS SESSIONS — 2:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

*Debates and Controversies in Gastrointestinal Disease*

##### SYMPOSIUM A: The "Reflux" Debate

Moderator: Philip O. Katz, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Philip O. Katz, M.D., FACP

Donald O. Castell, M.D., MACG

David A. Johnson, M.D., FACP

Thomas R. DeMeester, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Loren A. Laine, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Nimish Vakil, M.D., FACP

Richard H. Hunt, M.D., FACP

William D. Chey, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Douglas A. Corley, M.D., M.P.H.

Panelists: Nicholas J. Talley, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Kenneth R. McQuaid, M.D., FACP

Douglas A. Corley, M.D., M.P.H.

Panelists: John M. Inadomi, M.D.

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Panelists: Carol A. Burke, M.D., FACP

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#### SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 30, 2005

##### 2A: LIVER DISEASES

Moderator: Arun J. Sanyal, M.D.

- 7:00 a.m. **Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease**  
Luis A. Balart, M.D., MACG
- 7:25 a.m. **Hepatitis C: Updated Guidelines for Therapy**  
Rowen K. Zetterman, M.D., FACP
- 7:50 a.m. **Hepatitis B: Updated Guidelines for Therapy**  
Mitchell L. Shiffman, M.D., FACP
- 8:15 a.m. **Inherited Liver Diseases**  
Bruce R. Bacon, M.D., FACP
- 8:40 a.m. **Managing the Post Transplant Patient**  
Arun J. Sanyal, M.D.
- 9:00 a.m. **Break**

##### 2B: INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE

Moderator: Asher Kornbluth, M.D.

- 9:30 a.m. **Immunomodulator Use in IBD: An Evidence-Based Approach**  
William J. Sandborn, M.D., FACP
- 9:50 a.m. **Update on Biologic Therapy for Crohn's Disease**  
Gary R. Lichtenstein, M.D., FACP
- 10:10 a.m. **Therapy for Severe Ulcerative Colitis**  
Asher Kornbluth, M.D.
- 10:30 a.m. **Biomarkers in IBD**  
Stephen B. Hanauer, M.D., FACP
- 10:50 a.m. **Role of Probiotics and Antibiotics in the Treatment of IBD**  
Thomas A. Ullman, M.D., FACP

#### SUNDAY AFTERNOON

11:10 a.m. **LEARNING LUNCHEONS** (separate registration required)

13. **How to Remove Difficult Colonic Polyps**  
Douglas K. Rex, M.D., FACP
14. **Colonic and Duodenal Stents: How and Why?**  
Robert H. Hawes, M.D., FACP
15. **Large Biliary Stones: Tips from the Masters**  
Stuart Sherman, M.D., FACP
16. **Endoscopic Mucosal Resection: Cap vs. Knife**  
Charles J. Lightdale, M.D., FACP
17. **Chromoendoscopy: Dyes and Catheters**  
M. Brian Fennerty, M.D., FACP
18. **Achalasia Dilation**  
Roy K.H. Wong, M.D., FACP
19. **Push Enteroscopy: How Far Can We Go?**  
Amitabh Chak, M.D., FACP
20. **Endoscopic Ultrasound and FNA**  
Gregory G. Ginsberg, M.D., FACP
21. **Bleeding Control: Clip, Coagulate and Cauterize**  
David J. Bjorkman, M.D., FACP
22. **PEG and PEJ: How to Get the Best Results**  
Girish Mishra, M.D.
23. **ERCP: How to Make Difficult Cannulation Easy**  
Michael L. Kochman, M.D.
24. **Wireless Endoscopy: Venturing into New Areas**  
Jamie S. Barkin, M.D., MACG

##### 2C: PANCREATICOBILIARY

Moderator: Gregory G. Ginsberg, M.D., FACP

- 12:30 p.m. **Mechanisms and Treatment of Acute Pancreatitis**  
Gregory G. Ginsberg, M.D., FACP
- 12:50 p.m. **Cysts and Fluid Collections in the Pancreas**  
Michael Wallace, M.D.
- 1:10 p.m. **Chronic Pancreatitis and Pancreatic Cancer**  
Robert H. Hawes, M.D., FACP
- 1:30 p.m. **Spincther of Oddi Dysfunction: Any Progress?**  
Richard A. Kozarek, M.D., FACP
- 1:50 p.m. **Break**

#### SIMULTANEOUS SESSIONS — 2:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

*Debates and Controversies in GI and Liver Disease*

##### SYMPOSIUM A: Debate: Management of Dysplasia in IBD

Moderator: Stephen B. Hanauer, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Stephen B. Hanauer, M.D., FACP

William J. Sandborn, M.D., FACP

Thomas A. Ullman, M.D., FACP

Asher Kornbluth, M.D.

Panelists: Bruce R. Bacon, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Prashant K. Pandya, D.O.

Panelists: Kia Saeian, M.D.

Panelists: Bruce R. Bacon, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Glenn M. Eisen, M.D.

Panelists: James M. Scheiman, M.D., FACP

Panelists: Dennis M. Jensen, M.D., FACP

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Chemoprevention for IBD is Safe and Effective versus It Is Not Yet Proven to Work Low Grade Dysplasia in IBD Always Needs a Colectomy versus Dysplasia in IBD Can Be Removed Safely by Endoscopy of Liver Disease

Hepatotoxicity of Common Drugs PSC: Can We Treat It? Is it Safe to use Immunosuppressive Drugs in the Patient with Viral Hepatitis?

Reducing Risk in High Risk Patients: COX II vs. Traditional NSAID with PPI vs. Newer NO-NSAIDs Management of Bleeding: Medical vs. Endoscopic Therapy Challenging Cases

Optimizing Treatment for Dysplastic Barrett's Recognizing the High Risk Group: Is it Possible? Challenging Cases

# American College of Gastroenterology

## Annual Scientific Meeting Preliminary Program

### Program Description:

Clinical GI medicine—remaining abreast of the refinements in treatments of long-standing GI disorders, integrating paradigm shifts about medications as well as new technologies and pharmacologic treatment of both major as well as less prevalent digestive disease, and endoscopic treatment could pose a never-ending challenge and quandary for the average practitioner. Diagnostic and therapeutic options in GI patient care proliferate unabated. Staying updated in GI and disease management skills is a central objective, attainable only with a focus on grasping the essence of new advances, both the scientific and technological, persistently evaluating pros and cons of new technologies such as virtual colonoscopy, fecal DNA, endoscopic treatments for GERD, information on COX-2s and other NSAIDs are essential to being able to apply these new modalities to achieve the most desirable patient diagnostic and therapeutic outcomes. Changes and refinements in science continue to challenge the capacity of clinical practitioners to absorb new information and integrate it into the framework of their patient care and decision-making.

In treating today's patients, GI physicians need to be probing and conversant on GI nutrition, both the assessment and treatment, evacuation issues from fecal incontinence to defecation obstruction, that may trigger revisions in the practice level approach to disease management. A strong clinical GI meeting will offer an update of GI practice and disease management skills, such as the following: recent or prospective new pharmacologic advances in conditions such as inflammatory bowel disease (e.g., introduction of several new or refined treatment agents), hepatitis—both B and C, their diagnosis and treatment as well as role for screening, practical applications of new endoscopic technologies including questions and options relating to modes of sedation and options for the prep or thoughtful contemplation of complications and long-term expectations in celiac disease, new approaches on perennial issues—the pregnant GI patient, treatment of special populations (e.g., appropriate time to start CRC screening in African-Americans).

State-of-the-art symposia will explore unresolved or changing issues on tools for diagnosing and treating Barrett's esophagus, and obstructive jaundice and pancreatitis. Additional approaches are needed to special populations with GI disease such as treating the adolescent GERD patient and recognizing its role before the patient becomes an adult as well as pediatric fatty liver disease. Practical patient-related, and in some cases, practice efficiency options including coding updates and risk management strategies will be reviewed. Detailed coverage of refinement and new advances across the spectrum of GI diseases/conditions will be explicated in the 11 plenary state-of-the-art symposia, and 14 optional breakfast symposia which form the core curriculum of this year's program. The program is designed primarily for gastroenterologists and others with significant involvement in diagnosis and treatment of GI conditions and disorders who are interested in an aggressive but scientifically sound approach to management of the treatment needs of GI patients with these conditions.

### Program Objectives:

Upon completion of this program attendees will:

- Attain a broad understanding of new evidence changing traditional approaches to GI patient care in specific diseases, as well as improving practice efficiency, coding proficiency, and risk reduction/management more generally.
- Secure new information including a more comprehensive picture of patients using NSAIDs in a COX-2 restricted environment including strategies for risk palliation and GI bleeding treatment to placing into perspective risks of continued COX-2 usage.
- Attain a solid basis for understanding and placing new technologies and endoscopic options—virtual colonoscopy, fecal DNA, endoscopic treatment of GERD, a practical update on barium vs. newer options in small bowel imaging, and stenting in the proper clinical perspective.
- Learn the best information on some emerging challenges in GI diseases such as non-alcoholic fatty liver disease, and hepatocellular cancer risk and screening strategies, chemoprevention and tracking of Barrett's esophagus.
- Understand new pharmacologic approaches in probiotics.
- Be prepared to integrate the latest developments and expert recommendations on diagnosis and treatment of chronic constipation, liver disease, including practical issues in liver disease integration into GI clinical practice and reimbursement, and the mounting challenges of obesity, i.e., prevalent pediatric onset and pharmacologic and surgical treatment advances, viral hepatitis, the broad array of issues in IBD with special attention to new treatment agents, and strategies toward preventing post-operative recurrence.
- Be familiar with the latest in treatment of discrete special populations that may require specific knowledge and modified awareness and approaches including the unique needs of the pregnant patient, a range of issues for screening, timing, methods for African-Americans and the pediatric GERD patient.
- Be familiar with issues and new treatments in endoscopy in practice management as well as coding controversies and mistakes.

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

9:30 a.m. – 10:10 a.m. **DAVID SUN LECTURE** — Douglas K. Rex, M.D., FACG, Indianapolis, IN  
3:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. **GI JEOPARDY**

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

6:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. **REGISTRATION**  
2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **POSTER SESSION**  
2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **VISIT EXHIBITS**  
3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. **TRAINEES' FORUM**  
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **ALUMNI RECEPTIONS**  
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. **WOMEN AND MINORITIES IN GASTROENTEROLOGY RECEPTION**

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 31 — SCIENTIFIC MEETING 7:00 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

6:00 a.m. – 4:15 p.m. **REGISTRATION**  
7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **PLENARY SESSION**  
8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. **PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS** — John W. Popp, Jr., M.D., FACG, Columbia, SC  
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **PLENARY SESSION**  
9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **COFFEE BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS**  
10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. **SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA**

### A) Treatment of Inflammatory Bowel Disease and its Complications

Moderator: Bret A. Lashner, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Russell D. Cohen, M.D., FACG

Bret A. Lashner, M.D., FACG

Stephen B. Hanauer, M.D., FACG

**Prebiotics, Probiotics and Antibiotics for Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative Colitis: Snake Oil or Gold Bullion? Colon Cancer Prevention in Patients with IBD: Reality or Pie in the Sky?**  
6-TG, 6-MMP, TPMT: Alphabet Soup or State of the Art?

### B) The Ins and Outs of GI Bleeding

Moderator: Loren A. Laine, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Loren A. Laine, M.D., FACG  
Dennis M. Jensen, M.D., FACG  
Klaus Mergener, M.D., Ph.D., FACG

**Nonvariceal Upper GI Bleeding – Tricks of the Trade Portal Hypertensive Bleeding: When to March with the Band Effective Management of the Anticoagulated Patient**

11:15 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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11:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

12:15 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.

1:00 p.m. – 1:40 p.m.

1:40 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.

2:20 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.

2:50 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

### LUNCH BREAK

### POSTER SESSION

**FAQ SESSION – COLON** — Douglas K. Rex, M.D., FACG

**FAQ SESSION – IBD** — Stephen B. Hanauer, M.D., FACG

### SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSIONS

### AMERICAN JOURNAL OF GASTROENTEROLOGY LECTURE

### COFFEE BREAK – VISIT EXHIBITS

### SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA

### A) Taking the Dysfunction Out of Functional Bowel Diseases

Moderator: Douglas A. Drossman, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Douglas A. Drossman, M.D., FACG

Kevin W. Olden, M.D., FACG

Nicholas J. Talley, M.D., Ph.D., FACG

**Pearls to the Diagnosis and Evaluation of Dyspepsia and Abdominal Pain Mind Does Matter What Arrows are Best to Fling at Our Patients' Symptoms?**

### B) New Developments in Hepatitis B

Moderator: Sanjeev Arora, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Sanjeev Arora, M.D., FACG

Paul J. Pockros, M.D., FACG

Mitchell L. Shiffman, M.D., FACG

**Natural History / Testing / Serology / Vaccination: It's Not as Simple as It Used to Be Current and Future Therapies for HBV: Why the Future Looks Bright Hepatocellular Cancer Risk and Screening in HBV Infection: Strategies for Risk Reduction**

4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

6:15 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

## TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 — SCIENTIFIC MEETING 7:30 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

6:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m.

### BREAKFAST SESSIONS (Separate registration required)

### A) To Scope or Not to Scope? Examining the Evidence

Moderator: Brian P. Mulhall, M.D.  
Panelists: Brian P. Mulhall, M.D.  
Brooks D. Cash, M.D.  
Gary W. Falk, M.D., FACG

**The Principles of Evidence Based Medicine Colonoscopy in Constipation Surveillance in Barrett's Esophagus**

### B) Nutrition A La Carte

Moderator: Alan L. Buchman, M.D., MSPH  
Panelists: Alan L. Buchman, M.D., MSPH  
James S. Scolapio, M.D., FACG  
Stephen A. McClave, M.D.

**Appetizer: Getting Started with Nutritional Assessment Entrée: Indulging in Enteral Nutrition Dessert: Catering Nutrition to the Patient's Disease**

### C) Controversies in Management of Inflammatory Bowel Disease – I

Moderator: Joshua A. Katz, M.D.  
Panelists: Joshua A. Katz, M.D.

Asher Kornbluth, M.D.

Jean-Paul Achkar, M.D.

**Fistula in Crohn's: How to Score a Hole in One and Avoid a Leaky Mess Neoplasia in IBD: Can I Take Them Out with the Scope or Should I Call a Surgeon? Prevention of Postoperative Recurrence: Holy Grail or Realistic Goal?**

### D) Hot Topics in Hepatitis C

Moderator: Richard K. Sterling, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Richard K. Sterling, M.D., FACG

Sanjeev Arora, M.D., FACG

Bruce R. Bacon, M.D., FACG

**Co-Infection (HIV/HCV and HBV/HCV) Two is Not Always Better than One Management of Side Effects: Keys to Keeping Your Patients on Therapy Use of Non-Invasive Markers of Fibrosis: Will We Need Liver Biopsy in the Future?**

### E) Common Issues in Endoscopy – From A to Z

Moderator: Jack A. DiPalma, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Jack A. DiPalma, M.D., FACG  
John M. Inadomi, M.D.  
Andrew D. Feld, M.D., J.D., FACG

**What to Choose: Sedation and Preps Recognition and Management of Complications Informed Consent: Is It Informed and When is It Not Needed?**

### F) The Pregnant GI Patient

Moderator: Waqar A. Qureshi, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Eileen Hay, M.D., FACG  
Waqar A. Qureshi, M.D., FACG  
Philip O. Katz, M.D., FACG

**Liver Disease: When to Watch, Treat or Deliver Endoscopy in Pregnancy: Passing it Safely GERD: A Hot Issue til Delivery**

### G) The Celiac Iceberg: From Pediatrics to Geriatrics

Moderator: Ali Keshavarzian, M.D., FACG  
Panelists: Samuel A. Kocoshis, M.D., FACG  
Ali Keshavarzian, M.D., FACG  
Peter H.R. Green, M.D., FACG

**Pediatric Perspective Epidemiology and Genetics Who to Screen and Management of Sequelae**



### SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS and MEETINGS

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

9:30 a.m. - 10:10 a.m.

##### DAVID SUN LECTURE

Douglas K. Rex, M.D., FACG  
Indianapolis, IN

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

##### PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

John W. Popp, Jr., M.D., FACG  
Columbia, SC

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

1:40 p.m. - 2:20 p.m.

##### AMERICAN JOURNAL OF GASTROENTEROLOGY LECTURE

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

##### ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

College Members and  
Fellows Invited

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

##### NEW AND INTERNATIONAL MEMBER RECEPTION

Invitation Only

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

6:15 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

##### PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

All Attendees Invited

#### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

##### J. EDWARD BERK DISTINGUISHED LECTURE

Bruce R. Bacon, M.D., FACG  
St. Louis, MO

#### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2

9:15 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

##### DAVID Y. GRAHAM LECTURE

Francis K.L. Chan, M.D., FACG  
Hong Kong

#### ON-LINE REGISTRATION

AVAILABLE AT:

[WWW.ACG.GI.ORG](http://WWW.ACG.GI.ORG)

#### REMINDER:

A final Program Book will be mailed to ACG members 4-6 weeks prior to the meeting. Please bring this book with you to the meeting.

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 — SCIENTIFIC MEETING 7:30 a.m. - 4:15 p.m., continued

6:00 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

#### REGISTRATION

#### PLENARY SESSION

J. EDWARD BERK DISTINGUISHED LECTURE — Bruce R. Bacon, M.D., FACG, St. Louis, MO

#### COFFEE BREAK—VISIT EXHIBITS

#### SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA

##### A) Conundrums in Colorectal Cancer Screening

Moderator: Douglas K. Rex, M.D., FACG

Panelists: Douglas K. Rex, M.D., FACG

Inku Hwang, M.D.

Carol A. Burke, M.D., FACG

##### B) Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease: What

Moderator: Arun J. Sanyal, M.D.

Panelists: Zobair M. Younossi, M.D., FACG

Arun J. Sanyal, M.D.

Stephen H. Caldwell, M.D.

##### C) Hot Topics in Pediatric GI

Moderator: Vasundhara Tolia, M.D., FACG

Panelists: Philip Rosenthal, M.D., FACG

Marla C. Dubinsky, M.D.

Vasundhara Tolia, M.D., FACG

#### LUNCH BREAK

#### POSTER SESSION

FAQ SESSION — ESOPHAGUS — Joel E. Richter, M.D., MACG

FAQ SESSION — LIVER — Bruce R. Bacon, M.D., FACG

#### SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSIONS

#### COFFEE BREAK—VISIT EXHIBITS

#### SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA

##### A) The Great GERD Debate

Moderator: Joel E. Richter, M.D., MACG

Panelists: Stuart J. Spechler, M.D., FACG

Richard I. Rothstein, M.D., FACG

Brant K. Oelschlager, M.D.

##### B) New Horizons in the Small Bowel

Moderator: Simon K. Lo, M.D., FACG

Panelists: Douglas O. Faigel, M.D.

Simon K. Lo, M.D., FACG

Hironori Yamamoto, M.D.

11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

12:15 p.m. - 12:45 p.m.

1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2 — SCIENTIFIC MEETING 7:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.

#### BREAKFAST SESSIONS (Separate registration required)

##### H) Controversies in the Management of Inflammatory Bowel Disease – II

Moderator: Seymour Katz, M.D., MACG

Panelists: Sunanda Kane, M.D., FACG

Bo Shen, M.D., FACG

Seymour Katz, M.D., MACG

##### I) How Not to be Afraid of a Post-Transplant Patient

Moderator: Paul Y. Kwo, M.D.

Panelists: Paul Y. Kwo, M.D.

Paul Martin, M.D., FACG

Kris V. Kowdley, M.D.

##### J) Resolving Burning Issues in Acute Pancreatitis

Moderator: Darwin L. Conwell, M.D.

Panelists: Gavin C. Harewood, M.D.

Darwin L. Conwell, M.D.

Adam Slivka, M.D., Ph.D.

##### K) Your Practice: Minimizing Risk and Maximizing Reimbursement

Moderator: Edward L. Cattau, Jr., M.D., FACG

Panelists: R. Bruce Cameron, M.D., FACG

Andrew D. Feld, M.D., J.D., FACG

Edward L. Cattau, Jr., M.D., FACG

##### L) Disorders of Evacuation – The Word on Getting It Out

Moderator: Satish S.C. Rao, M.D., Ph.D., FACG

Panelists: Lawrence R. Schiller, M.D., FACG

Satish S.C. Rao, M.D., Ph.D., FACG

Joshua A. Katz, M.D.

##### M) Obesity: What's the Skinny?

Moderator: Amy E. Foxx-Orenstein, D.O., FACG

Panelists: Amy E. Foxx-Orenstein, D.O., FACG

Kenric M. Murayama, M.D.

Francis A. Farraye, M.D., FACG

##### N) East Meets West: Challenging Situations in Special Populations

Moderator: Stuart J. Spechler, M.D., FACG

Panelists: Akira Terano, M.D., FACG

Stuart J. Spechler, M.D., FACG

James M. Church, M.D., FACG

6:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

7:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

9:15 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### REGISTRATION

#### PLENARY SESSION

DAVID Y. GRAHAM LECTURE — Francis K.L. Chan, M.D., FACG, Hong Kong

#### COFFEE BREAK—VISIT EXHIBITS

#### SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA

##### A) Biologics in Inflammatory Bowel Disease

Moderator: Gary R. Lichtenstein, M.D., FACG

Panelists: William J. Sandborn, M.D., FACG

Gary R. Lichtenstein, M.D., FACG

Maria T. Abreu, M.D.

##### B) Challenges and Choices in Obstructive Jaundice

Moderator: Randall E. Brand, M.D.

Panelists: Randall E. Brand, M.D.

John Baillie, M.D., FACG

Michael L. Kochman, M.D.

Maximizing Detection of Neoplasia: Perfecting Colonoscopy Technique

Putting CTC Into Perspective and Into Your Practice: A Review of the Technology and Evidence

Post-Polypectomy Surveillance: Who Benefits and What is the Evidence?

All Practicing Gastroenterologists Need to Know

The Scope of the Problem: Natural History and Evaluation

Pathophysiology – How Does All That Fat Get in the Liver?

Therapy for NASH: Pill, Diet, Surgery or Exercise

NASH and the Pediatric Obesity Epidemic

Adolescents with IBD: Enhancing Their Care

Does GERD Go? Long-Term Implications of Pediatric GERD

Medical Therapy: Time Tested, Why Not?

Endoscopic Therapy: What's the Hold Up?

Surgery: It's a Wrap!

Through the Looking Glass – Lessons in CE:

Who's the Detective, What Lesions are Suspect and Do Our Patients Benefit?

Replacing Barium with Newer Small Bowel Imaging Techniques

Double Balloon Enteroscopy: We've Been Able to See It, Now We Can Treat It!

Anti TNF Therapy: A Lifelong Commitment?

What to do When the Pouch Fails: Pouchitis and Crohn's of the Pouch

5-ASAs in IBD: Are They All the Same and Does the Dose Really Matter?

Immunosuppression 101

Beyond the Liver in Post-Transplant Care

Disease Recurrence Post Liver Transplant: Deja Vu All Over Again

What to do When There's No Stone to Turn: Diagnostic Approach

Severe Pancreatitis: Improving Outcomes

Role and Timing of Invasive and Non-Invasive Imaging in Acute Pancreatitis

Update on Coding for New Technologies:

Getting Paid for What We Do

Risk Reduction: What's New on the Horizon?

Enhancing Efficiency in Your Endoscopy Suite

What Am I Seeing and How Does It Work: Anatomy and Physiology

Fecal Incontinence

Obstructed Defecation: Sorting Out the Panoply of Possibilities

Diets and Pharmaceuticals: What Works and What to Avoid

When to Call the Surgeon

When the Surgeon Calls Us: Interpretation of Post-Operative Symptoms and Endoscopic Findings

Treatment of Gastric Cancer in Japan: Current Status

Prevention of Esophageal Cancer in Barrett's:

American Lessons

Flat and Depressed Colorectal Neoplasia: Is It Only an Eastern Phenomenon?

Current and Future Treatments for Refractory Ulcerative Colitis

What to do When Infliximab Fails: Throw in the Towel or Keep on Trucking?

Immunomodulators and Infliximab in Pregnancy: Healthy Mother or Anxious Parents?

Diagnostic Algorithm: Putting Your Ducts in a Row

Biliary Obstruction from Resectable Pancreatic Cancer: To Drain or Not to Drain

Current and Evolving Therapies for the Management of Malignant Strictures

11:30 a.m.

#### MEETING ADJOURNS

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### REGISTRATION

**Pre-Registration:** You may pre-register for the ACG Annual Meeting, Postgraduate Course and other half-day and full-day optional programs one of three ways: (1) **ON-LINE** – You may register on-line at ACG's secure website, [www.acg.gi.org](http://www.acg.gi.org). (2) **FAX** – You may fax your completed pre-registration form (with credit card information) to ACG at 301-263-9025. (3) **MAIL** – You may mail your completed pre-registration form to the American College of Gastroenterology, 6400 Goldsboro Rd., Suite 450, Bethesda, MD 20817-5846. Deadline for receipt of pre-registration is October 7, 2005. All pre-registrations received prior to October 7 will be acknowledged.

**On-Site Registration:** After October 7, 2005, registration will only be available on-site at the ACG Registration Desk at the Hawaii Convention Center and will be on a **space available basis only**. Pre-registration is strongly recommended.

**Cancellation:** Written notice of cancellation and requests for refunds must be received by the College's office **by October 7, 2005. After this date, no refunds will be possible. Registration cancellations are not accepted by telephone.**

**Meeting Materials:** Meeting materials (including name badges and optional event tickets) will be available for pick-up on-site at the ACG Registration Desk. *A Program Book will be mailed to ACG members 4-6 weeks prior to the meeting, and attendees should plan to bring this book with them to the meeting.*

### Annual Scientific Meeting

There is no registration fee for ACG Fellows (FACG), Members and Trainee Members, or Residents/House Officers who provide a letter from their Chief of Service indicating they are currently in training. Guests/Non-Member Physicians/Exhibitors are required to submit a registration fee of \$300. Allied Health Personnel should submit a registration fee of \$150. Tickets for the optional breakfast sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday may be purchased for \$35 by indicating your preference on the registration form.

### Annual Postgraduate Course

A comprehensive syllabus with a separate self-assessment examination will be included. Registration forms will be processed in order of receipt and must be accompanied by payment in full of the registration fee. All pre-registrations received prior to October 7 will be acknowledged.

This year's Postgraduate Course again offers registrants the opportunity to participate in the optional Learning Luncheon programs. Participation will be by pre-registration only, with a maximum of 50 participants in each luncheon. These sessions will allow participants to explore in greater detail, on a one-on-one "Meet the Professor" basis, the key topic areas being covered in the Postgraduate Course. Because participation is limited in each session, you will need to provide your top five choices when completing your pre-registration form for the Learning Luncheons. There is a separate charge of \$35 per ticket for the Learning Luncheons.

### Optional Friday, October 28th Programs

Registration fees are noted on the enclosed pre-registration form. See program outline for details on course content.

### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

You may make hotel reservations one of three ways: **Internet:** For the fastest and most current information, visit [www.acg.gi.org/annualmeeting](http://www.acg.gi.org/annualmeeting) and book your hotel space online through ITS Travel Agency, which is also functioning as the ACG Housing Bureau. **Fax:** Complete the enclosed Hotel Reservation Form for the hotel of your choice and fax it to ITS Travel Agency, which is also functioning as the ACG Housing Bureau at: 1-800-521-6017.

**Mail:** Complete the enclosed Hotel Reservation Form for the hotel of your choice and mail it to:

ITS Housing Bureau  
108 Wilmot Road, Suite 400  
Deerfield, IL 60015

### THE HOTELS WILL ONLY ACCEPT NEW HOTEL RESERVATIONS UNTIL WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2005.

Please be sure your reservation reaches the Housing Bureau prior to October 5, 2005,

when any remaining rooms will be released. **There is NO GUARANTEE that rooms will be available up to the deadline date, and there is no guarantee that rooms will be available at the ACG Convention rate.** Rates quoted are on a space-available basis only. Once ACG's block of rooms is sold out, **the hotels may charge a higher rate for any additional rooms they make available.**

### Deposits

Credit cards will be charged a one night room deposit prior to the arrival date. Checks are only accepted with mailed Hotel Reservation Forms, in the amount of a \$200 deposit and made out to ACG Housing.

### AIRLINE INFORMATION

To receive the exclusive discounts go online to [www.acg.gi.org/annualmeeting](http://www.acg.gi.org/annualmeeting) or call ITS Travel Agency toll-free at 1-800-621-1083 (U.S. and Canada) between 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (CDT), Monday through Friday. A \$20.00 service fee will be charged for each airline ticket issued. Save \$5.00 when you book online.

### American Airlines

American Airlines offers 5-10% off AA/ Oneworld coach fares, with 30 day advance purchase. These fares are valid for round-trip travel to Honolulu, Kauai and Maui on American Airlines. All Tariff rules apply. To book tickets at these discounted rates, call ITS at 1-800-621-1083 or call American Airlines 1-800-433-1790 and refer to Authorization #A36H5AB. We encourage you to fly the official carrier, American Airlines, because your organization can earn transportation to move staff and speakers, thereby lowering your registration costs.

### Continental Airlines

Continental Airlines is offering 15% off Coach/ First Class Published One-Way fares over \$599, 15% off BusinessFirst One-Way Published fares over \$2,400, 5% off Coach/ First Class Published One-Way fares from \$299-\$598, 5% off BusinessFirst Published One-Way fares from \$1,200-\$2,399, 2% off Coach/First Class Published One-Way fares less than \$299 and 2% off BusinessFirst Published One-Way fares less than \$1,200. To book tickets at these discounted rates, call ITS

at 1-800-621-1083 or call Continental Airlines at 1-800-468-7022 and refer to Z Code: ZVKA and Agreement Code: UB62JM. We encourage you to fly the official carrier, Continental Airlines, because your organization can earn transportation to move staff and speakers, thereby lowering your registration costs.

### Northwest Airlines

Northwest Airlines is offering 10-15% off the published fares when you book your flights 30 days or more prior to your departure and 5-10% off the published fares when you book your flight 0-29 days prior to departure. Restrictions apply. To book tickets at these discounted rates, call ITS at 1-800-621-1083 or call Northwest Airlines at 1-800-328-1111 and refer to Call In #NM7JE. We encourage you to fly the official carrier, Northwest Airlines, because your organization can earn transportation to move staff and speakers, thereby lowering your registration costs.

### CAR RENTAL INFORMATION

#### Avis

Avis is offering special discounted daily and weekly rental rates for meeting attendees. To receive the exclusive discounts go online to [www.acg.gi.org/annualmeeting](http://www.acg.gi.org/annualmeeting) or call ITS Travel Agency toll-free at 1-800-621-1083 (U.S. and Canada) between 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (CDT), Monday through Friday. Or you may call Avis at 1-800-331-1600 and refer to AWD #H002616.

### ACCREDITATION

The American College of Gastroenterology is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The American College of Gastroenterology designates these educational activities for a maximum of the following category I credits toward the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those credits that he/she actually spent in the activity. (credit hours subject to change with any program changes):

Annual Scientific Meeting .....	16.5
Postgraduate Course .....	13.5
Practice Management Course .....	8
GI Structure/Function Course .....	5
What's New in GI Pharmacology .....	3
Recertification Course .....	4

For additional information, please contact: ACG, 6400 Goldsboro Rd., Suite 450, Bethesda, MD 20817-5846, 301-263-9000 or visit our website at [WWW.ACG.GI.ORG](http://WWW.ACG.GI.ORG)

## REVIEW OF GI STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION COURSE

Friday, October 28, 7:00am - 12:00 noon

The College is pleased to again offer this popular course which has been held biennially since 1993. This program, planned and coordinated by Course Co-Directors John F. Reinus, M.D., FACG, and Douglas M. Simon, M.D., FACG, is an important adjunct in the College's expanded three-day Board Review experience and will provide a comprehensive half-day review of the physiological, basic science underpinnings for the Postgraduate Course's organ system review of pathophysiology, diagnosis and therapeutic measures. The following topics will be explored:

- Structure and Innervation of the GI Tract
- Gastrointestinal Motility
- Gastrointestinal Hormones
- Gastric Secretion
- Pancreatic Structure and Function
- Intestinal Absorption of Nutrients
- Intestinal Absorption and Secretion of Fluids and Electrolytes
- Gut Immunology
- Hepatic Structure and Function
- Bile Composition and Circulation
- Bilirubin Metabolism

**Registration fees: Trainees \$110; Members/Fellows \$150; All Non-Members \$175**

## ACG'S 18th PRACTICE MANAGEMENT COURSE

Friday, October 28, 7:00am - 3:30pm

The ACG is proud to announce the 18th annual Practice Management Course. Ira L. Flax, M.D., FACG, and Irving M. Pike, M.D., FACG have organized a course that focuses on efficient practices and updates on areas of interest to the clinical gastroenterologist. Following the morning lectures by nationally recognized experts, there will be a presentation during lunch regarding national affairs, how they impact us and what the ACG is doing to represent the clinical gastroenterologist. Afternoon breakout sessions allowing for more detailed discussions of the morning's topics will be held. Speakers will include Debra Phairas, Edward C. Adler, M.D., FACG, R. Bruce Cameron, M.D., FACG, David A. Johnson, M.D., FACG, James S. Leavitt, M.D., Klaus Mergener, M.D., FACG, Ece A. Mutlu, M.D., and Mitchell L. Shiffman, M.D., FACG.

- How to Reduce Your Overhead, Increase Profitability and Have More Life Balance
- Process Improvements for the Small Practice
- Clinical Practice Efficiencies: Screening Colonoscopy
- Maximizing Practice Efficiency and Reimbursement Viability from Treatment of Hepatitis Patients
- Financial Benchmarking: How It Can Work for You
- The Electronic Practice – Integration of EMR / Scheduling / Billing and the World Wide Web
- Coding: Update from the Trenches and Coding Pearls & Optimizing Reimbursement

**Registration fees: Trainees \$0\*/\$150; Members/Fellows \$225; All Non-Members \$275**

\*As an accommodation to ACG Trainee and Candidate Members only, ACG will waive the usual \$150 Trainee/Candidate **Practice Management Course** registration fee if your registration is received and processed by October 7, 2005. The \$150 fee will apply to any registration received and/or processed after October 7.

## ASGE – SPONSORED ENDOSCOPY COURSE

Friday, October 28, 6:30am - 12:45pm

The ACG is pleased to announce a special half-day ASGE-sponsored course focused on endoscopy, to be held in conjunction with the ACG Annual Meeting and Postgraduate Course. This ASGE-sponsored course will emphasize common areas of endoscopic practice highlighted through endoscopic video and case studies. Experts will demonstrate new and emerging endoscopic therapies and discuss real-life experiences in clinical practice. Topics to be emphasized include endoscopic management of gastroesophageal reflux disease, Barrett's esophagus, non-variceal gastrointestinal bleeding and placement of endoprosthetics for malignancy.

**Registration fees: Member Trainees \$150; Members/Fellows/Allied Health \$250; Non-Members \$350; Residents/House Officers \$200; Non-Member Trainees \$200**

## WHAT'S NEW IN GI PHARMACOLOGY

Friday, October 28, 12:45pm - 3:45pm

Again this year the College is offering the always popular GI Pharmacology update course, moderated by Philip O. Katz, M.D., FACG. Tentative topics include — Antisecretory Therapy: What's New, What's Old? (Kenneth R. DeVault, M.D., FACG), GI Motility Disorders: Pharmacologic Management (Eamonn M.M. Quigley, M.D., FACG), Hepatitis: Management of Failures of Initial Therapy (Mitchell L. Shiffman, M.D., FACG), NSAIDs Controversy (M. Brian Fennerty, M.D., FACG) and Pharmacologic Prevention of Cancer in IBD (Francis A. Farraye, M.D., FACG).

**Registration fees: Trainees \$110; Members/Fellows \$150; All Non-Members \$175**

## RECERTIFICATION PREPARATION AND UPDATE

Friday, October 28, 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Once again, the College will be holding a recertification training course taught by leading clinicians designed to help GI physicians prepare for the board recertification process. Course Chair, William D. Chey, M.D., FACG, has assembled a top-notch faculty that will offer a 4 hour program on Friday evening, October 28. These GI experts will review some of the types of questions and scientific rationale you will need to be prepared to answer and be successful in specific recertification component areas.

**Registration fee: \$100\***

\***Recertification Course:** All attendees will also be required to purchase Recertification Gastroenterology Module 04-A from ABIM. Pricing for the module is pending at this time. If you have already purchased Module 04-A, please bring it with you.

## OPTIONAL FRIDAY PROGRAMS

## WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

THURSDAY OCTOBER 27	FRIDAY OCTOBER 28	SATURDAY OCTOBER 29	SUNDAY OCTOBER 30	MONDAY OCTOBER 31	TUESDAY NOVEMBER 1	WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 2
<p><b>Registration</b> 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Registration</b> 6:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>ASGE-Sponsored Endoscopy Course</b> 6:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m.</p> <p><b>Review of GI Structure and Function Course</b> 7:00 a.m.-12:00 noon</p> <p><b>Practice Management Course</b> 7:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>GI Pharmacology Course</b> 12:45 p.m.-3:45 p.m.</p> <p><b>Recertification Preparation and Update Course</b> 4:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Registration</b> 6:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Continental Breakfast</b> 6:15 a.m.-7:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>Postgraduate Course</b> 6:50 a.m.-3:45 p.m.</p> <p><b>David Sun Lecture</b> 9:30 a.m.-10:10 a.m.</p> <p><b>Optional Learning Luncheons (tickets required)</b> 11:10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>GI Jeopardy</b> 3:45 p.m.-5:15 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Registration</b> 6:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Auxiliary Registration</b> 6:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Job Forum</b> 6:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Continental Breakfast</b> 6:15 a.m.-7:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>Postgraduate Course</b> 7:00 a.m.-3:45 p.m.</p> <p><b>Optional Learning Luncheons (tickets required)</b> 11:10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>Poster Sessions</b> 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Trainees' Forum</b> 3:45 p.m.-4:45 p.m.</p> <p><b>Alumni Receptions</b> 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Women and Minorities in GI Reception</b> 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Registration</b> 6:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>Auxiliary Registration/ Hospitality Suite</b> 6:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>Job Forum</b> 6:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>Annual Meeting</b> 7:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>Presidential Address</b> 8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Poster Sessions</b> 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Lunch Break</b> 11:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>FAQ Session – Colon</b> 11:30 a.m.-12:00 noon</p> <p><b>FAQ Session – IBD</b> 12:15 p.m.-12:45 p.m.</p> <p><b>American Journal of Gastroenterology Lecture</b> 1:40 p.m.-2:20 p.m.</p> <p><b>ACG Business Meeting</b> 4:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>New and International Members Reception</b> 5:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>President's Reception</b> 6:15 p.m.-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Registration</b> 6:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>Auxiliary Registration/ Hospitality Suite</b> 6:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>Job Forum</b> 6:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>Optional Breakfast Sessions (tickets required)</b> 6:00 a.m.-7:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Annual Meeting</b> 7:30 a.m.-4:15 p.m.</p> <p><b>J. Edward Berk Distinguished Lecture</b> 9:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Poster Sessions</b> 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Lunch Break</b> 11:15 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>FAQ Session – Esophagus</b> 11:30 a.m.-12:00 noon</p> <p><b>FAQ Session – Liver</b> 12:15 p.m.-12:45 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Registration</b> 6:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Auxiliary Registration/ Hospitality Suite</b> 6:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Job Forum</b> 6:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Optional Breakfast Sessions (tickets required)</b> 6:00 a.m.-7:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Annual Meeting</b> 7:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>David Y. Graham Lecture</b> 9:15 a.m.-9:45 a.m.</p> <p><b>Exhibit Hall Open</b> 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.</p>

**PRE-REGISTRATION FORM**  
**THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF GASTROENTEROLOGY**  
**70th ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING and POSTGRADUATE COURSE**  
**October 28 – November 2, 2005**  
**Hawaii Convention Center, Honolulu, Hawaii**

On-line registration  
 available at:  
**WWW.ACG.GI.ORG**

Please Print or Type

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 First Name Middle Initial Last Name Spouse name, only if attending meeting:

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip/Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

<input type="checkbox"/> Please send ACG membership information: _____ Fellow/Member _____ Trainee Member <input type="checkbox"/> My application has been submitted and is pending.	<b>CIRCLE One Only</b>					* 3-Day Board Review includes GI Structure/Function, GI Pharmacology, and PG Course (Fri/Sat/Sun).					<b>OPTIONAL Programs: Friday, October 28</b>				
	PG Course Only	Annual Mtg. Only	Annual Mtg. and PG Course	3-Day Board Review *	3-Day Board Review * plus Annual Mtg.	GI Structure & Function Course	GI Pharmacology Course	Practice Mgmt. Course	GI Recertification Course	ASGE Endoscopy Course					
	Oct. 29-30	Oct. 31-Nov. 2	Oct. 29-Nov. 2	Oct. 28-30	Oct. 28-Nov. 2	half-day a.m.	half-day p.m.	full-day	half-day p.m.	half-day a.m.					
(A) Fellow of ACG (FACG)	\$400	\$0	\$400	\$600	\$600	\$150	\$150	\$225	\$100***	\$250					<b>TOTAL</b> \$ _____
(B) Member of ACG	\$400	\$0	\$400	\$600	\$600	\$150	\$150	\$225	\$100***	\$250					\$ _____
(C) Trainee Member/ Candidate Member of ACG	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200	\$200	\$110	\$110	\$0**/\$150	\$100***	\$150					\$ _____
(D) Guest/Non-Member Physician/ Exhibitor	\$500	\$300	\$700	\$750	\$850	\$175	\$175	\$275	\$100***	\$350					\$ _____
(E) Residents/House Officers/ Non-Member Trainees (w/letter from Chief of Service)	\$175	\$0	\$175	\$425	\$425	\$175	\$175	\$275	\$100***	\$200					\$ _____
(F) Allied Health Personnel (e.g., NP, RN, LPN, PA)	\$475	\$150	\$550	\$725	\$800	\$175	\$175	\$275	\$100***	\$250					\$ _____

\*\*As an accommodation to ACG Trainee and Candidate Members only, ACG will waive the usual \$150 Trainee/Candidate Practice Management Course registration fee if your registration is received and processed by October 7, 2005. The \$150 fee will apply to any registration received and/or processed after October 7.

\*\*\* **Recertification Course:** All attendees will also be required to purchase Recertification Gastroenterology Module 04-A from ABIM. Pricing for the module is pending at this time. If you have already purchased Module 04-A, please bring it with you. **SUBTOTAL "A" \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**POSTGRADUATE COURSE — LEARNING LUNCHEONS** *Select top five choices each day—1,2,3,4,5*

<b>Saturday, October 29, 11:10a.m.–12:30p.m.</b> _____ 1. Celiac Disease/Food Allergies _____ 2. Esophageal Function Testing _____ 3. Biostatistics _____ 4. Propofol in Endoscopy Unit _____ 5. Probiotics & Prebiotics _____ 6. Fecal Incontinence _____ 7. End Stage Liver Disease _____ 8. Eosinophilic Esophagitis _____ 9. Biologic Therapy for IBD _____ 10. IBD/Natural History _____ 11. Irritable Bowel Syndrome _____ 12. Small Bowel Bacteria	<b>Sunday, October 30, 11:10a.m.–12:30p.m.</b> _____ 13. Removing Colonic Polyps _____ 14. Colonic/Duodenal Stents _____ 15. Biliary Stones _____ 16. Mucosal Resection _____ 17. Chromoendoscopy _____ 18. Achalasia Dilation _____ 19. Push Enteroscopy _____ 20. Endoscopic Ultrasound/FNA _____ 21. Bleeding Control _____ 22. PEG and PEJ _____ 23. ERCP _____ 24. Wireless Endoscopy
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**PG Course Registrants ONLY may purchase an advance copy of the 2005 Self-Assessment Test Questions** .....  
 (The Answers & Annotated Bibliography will be available on-site at the conclusion of the PG Course.)

**Saturday Luncheon — \$35 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Sunday Luncheon — \$35 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_**  
**\$25 per copy \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**SUBTOTAL "B" \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**ANNUAL MEETING — SIMULTANEOUS BREAKFAST SESSIONS** *Select top five choices each day—1,2,3,4,5*

<b>Tuesday, November 1, 6:00a.m.–7:30a.m.</b> _____ A. To Scope or Not to Scope _____ B. Nutrition A La Carte _____ C. IBD Management #1 _____ D. Hepatitis C _____ E. Endoscopy Issues _____ F. Pregnant GI Patient _____ G. Celiac Iceberg	<b>Wednesday, November 2, 6:00a.m.–7:30a.m.</b> _____ H. IBD Management #2 _____ I. Post-Transplant Patient _____ J. Acute Pancreatitis _____ K. Practice Risk/Reimbursement _____ L. Disorders of Evacuation _____ M. Obesity _____ N. East Meets West
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**Tuesday Breakfast — \$35 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Wednesday Breakfast — \$35 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**SUBTOTAL "C" \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Make check (in U.S. funds) payable to: American College of Gastroenterology, 6400 Goldsboro Rd., Suite 450, Bethesda, MD 20817-5846. Or FAX with credit card number & signature to: 301-263-9025. **Deadline for receipt of pre-registration forms is October 7, 2005.** All forms received by deadline will be acknowledged. After October 7, 2005, registration will be on-site only. Requests for refunds must be received in writing by **October 7, 2005.**

**TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED**  
**(Subtotal "A" + "B" + "C") = \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**SELECT METHOD OF PAYMENT:**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Check    Credit Card    Check one:     MasterCard     Visa     American Express

CREDIT CARD # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ (mo./yr.)

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_



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## HOTEL RESERVATION FORM

Please be sure your reservation is submitted prior to **OCTOBER 5, 2005** when any remaining rooms will be released. There is **NO GUARANTEE** that rooms will be available up to the deadline date or that rooms will be available at the ACG meeting rate. Rates quoted here are on a space available basis only. Once ACG's block of rooms is sold out, the hotels may charge a higher rate for any additional rooms they make available.

Arrival Date \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
 If providing international numbers, please include country and city access numbers.

Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2 \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Zip/Postal Code/Country \_\_\_\_\_

### HOTEL SELECTION

Please list four choices in order of preference.

First \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
 Third \_\_\_\_\_ Fourth \_\_\_\_\_

If all requested hotels are unavailable, a reservation will be made at the next available hotel. Please indicate criteria for choices:

Comparable room rate  Proximity to conference site  
 # of occupants \_\_\_\_\_ # of beds requested \_\_\_\_\_

List all room occupants: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Check here if you have a disability requiring special services  Non-smoking room request

Special requests: \_\_\_\_\_

### PRE/POST MEETING HOTEL REQUEST

Arrival Date \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date \_\_\_\_\_

Check Location Choice:  Maui  Kauai  Hawaii (Big Island)

# of occupants \_\_\_\_\_ # of beds requested \_\_\_\_\_

Pre/Post meeting trips are being offered and coordinated by ITS Travel Agency, which also is functioning as the ACG Housing Bureau, which is in no way affiliated with the ACG, as a service to those attending ACG's 70th Annual Scientific Meeting and Postgraduate Course. ITS will contact you directly about your travel.

### DEPOSIT INFORMATION

All reservation requests must be guaranteed. Credit cards will be charged a one night room deposit prior to the arrival date. Hotel Reservation Forms received without valid credit card will not be processed. Please be advised that the credit card must be valid through the dates of the convention or your reservation will not be processed. Checks are only accepted with mailed Hotel Reservation Forms, in the amount of a \$200 deposit and made out to ACG Housing.

American Express  Discover  Diners Club  MasterCard  Visa

Card number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Signature\* (required) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*necessary to process reservation

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<b>Hotel Accommodation Options</b>	<b>Ala Moana Hotel</b>	<b>Sheraton Waikiki*</b>	<b>Sheraton Royal Hawaiian*</b>	<b>Hyatt Regency Waikiki*</b>	<b>Hawaii Prince Waikiki</b>	<b>Hilton Hawaiian Village</b>	<b>Renaissance Ilikai Waikiki</b>
<b>Distance to Convention Center</b>	<b>0.43 mi.</b>	<b>1.04 mi.</b>	<b>1.04 mi.</b>	<b>1.65 mi.</b>	<b>0.58 mi.</b>	<b>0.32 mi.</b>	<b>0.51 mi.</b>
<b>Single/Double</b>	\$135			\$189	\$179		\$169
<b>Cityview</b>		\$188					
<b>Mountain View</b>		\$208					
<b>Partial Ocean</b>		\$228		\$214		\$225	
<b>Ocean View</b>		\$238	\$275	\$229		\$253	
<b>Garden View</b>			\$215			\$202	
<b>Ocean View w/Kitchen</b>							\$199
<b>Deluxe Ocean View</b>						\$270	\$199
<b>Tower</b>						\$304	

\* The Hyatt Regency Waikiki, Sheraton Waikiki and Sheraton Royal Hawaiian are the greatest distance away from the Convention Center. As a result, these hotels have taken the initiative to provide a shuttle service for their guests.

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LISTING AS WELL AS INFORMATION ON PRE- AND  
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