



# LEARNING & NETWORKING

Scientific Sessions 2018 introduces more science, more research and more interactive learning and networking opportunities. Check the Scientific Sessions 2018 Planner or your AHA Conferences App for complete details.

**Cardiovascular Expert Theaters (Booths 250, 2002, 2038)**  
Enjoy a complimentary lunch while learning the latest advances in cardiovascular practices, services and technologies.

**Health Innovation Pavilion (Booth 214)**  
Learn about health innovations and medical technology. See companies and start-ups showcasing their breakthroughs during Sessions.

**Frontiers in Science Summits**  
Be at the forefront of cardiovascular research with the summits' focus on pre-discovery and pre-publication topics. Debate the most impressive science with your colleagues.

- Arrhythmia Research: Saturday, Nov. 10
- Vascular Disease: Saturday, Nov. 10
- Thrombosis: Monday, Nov. 12
- Therapeutic Discovery: Monday, Nov. 12

**Simulation Zone (Booth 2224)**  
• Augmented Reality for Ultrasound Diagnostics  
• Augmented Reality in the Cath Lab  
• Imaging Data Exploration With Your Fingertips  
• Case-Study Simulation for Lifestyle Management

**Lounges**  
• Early Career and Fit Lounge (Attendee Central)  
• Women in Science and Medicine Lounge (Attendee Central)  
• FAHA Lounge (Attendee Central)  
• Interventional Central (Booth 438)  
• EP Central (Booth 226)  
• Charging Lounge *Sponsored by Amgen* (Booth 241)

## SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY HALL HOURS

**SATURDAY, NOV. 10:** 11 a.m.-5 p.m.  
**SUNDAY, NOV. 11:** 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  
**MONDAY, NOV. 12:** 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

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for more information**

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SESSIONS 118**

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# ATTENDEE WELCOME GUIDE

Welcome to Scientific Sessions 2018 in Chicago! This handy guide will help you get oriented for your on-site conference activities at McCormick Place.

## INSIDE

- ▶ Late-Breaking Science highlights
- ▶ Interactive learning opportunities
- ▶ Science & Technology Hall features  
... And more

## VISIT ATTENDEE CENTRAL TO REGISTER

**FRIDAY-SUNDAY, NOV. 9-11:** 6 a.m.-7 p.m.  
**MONDAY, NOV. 12:** 6 a.m.-6 p.m.

Refer to the Scientific Sessions 2018 Planner or your AHA Conferences App for complete details.

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**WEAR RED DAY:** Sunday, Nov. 11

**SNEAKERS & RED SOCKS DAY**

Monday, Nov. 12

### WALKING CHALLENGE

Track your daily steps and watch them feed into a leaderboard so you can compete against fellow attendees. Sign up at HeartQuarters, Booth 2057.

*Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Physical Activity Guidelines for Americans*

## LATE-BREAKING SCIENCE

### SATURDAY, NOV. 10

Late-Breaking Clinical Trial: Answers to Critical Questions in Cardiovascular Prevention

**2-3:15 p.m.**

Late-Breaking Clinical Trial: Novel Approaches to CV Prevention

**3:45-5 p.m.**

Late-Breaking Clinical Trial: Harnessing Technology and Improving Systems for Global Health

**5:30-6:45 p.m.**

### SUNDAY, NOV. 11

Preserving Brain & Heart in Acute Care Cardiology

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

Late-Breaking Clinical Trial: Hot News in HF

**10:45 a.m.-noon**

Late-Breaking Science in Coronary Revascularization

**5:30-6:45 p.m.**



## Resources to help you navigate the conference

- Final Program
  - Science & Technology Planner
  - Sessions Daily Newspaper
  - Symposia Locator Map
  - Poster Hall Map
  - AHA Conferences App
- Search "AHA Conferences" in Google Play or the App Store to download

## Transportation to and from McCormick Place

AHA has arranged complimentary shuttle bus service to and from select Chicago hotels. Please refer to signage in your hotel's lobby for your route number and specific times.

Hotel Route Number	Drop-off/Pickup at McCormick Place
<b>Route 1</b>	South Building, Gate 3
<b>Route 2</b>	South Building, Gate 3
<b>Route 3</b>	South Building, Gate 2
<b>Route 4</b>	South Building, Gate 2
<b>Route 5</b>	South Building, Gate 1
<b>Route 6</b>	South Building, Gate 1
<b>Route 7</b>	North Building, Gate 27
<b>Route 8</b>	North Building, Gate 26
<b>Route 9</b>	North Building, Gate 26

*Please allow about 20 minutes between shuttle buses. Shuttle service will not be provided from the following hotels that are within walking distance to McCormick Place: Hyatt Regency McCormick Place and the Marriott Marquis Chicago.*

## MAIN EVENTS

Check the final program or your AHA Conferences App for complete schedule, and time and location details.

**Cutting Edge in Cardiovascular Science**

**The Future of Your Aortic Valve**

**Hey Doc, My Wristband Says I Have AF, What Do I Do Now?**

**2018 Cholesterol Clinical Practice Guidelines**

**Distinguished Scientist Lecture: Anti-Cytokine Therapy for Atherosclerosis: A 25-Year Journey From Diagnostic Test to Proven Intervention**

**Structural Heart Disease, 3D Imaging and Artificial Intelligence**

**Shocking Controversies From the Edge! Saving the Sickest Against All Odds**

**You Are What You Eat: The Intestinal Microbiome and Cardiometabolic Disease**

**State of the Heart for Women: Top 10 Advances in Gender-Specific Medicine**

**Innovations in Advanced Therapy for Pulmonary Embolism: How Cardiovascular Medicine Is Rewriting the Playbook**

**Presidential Session**

**Paul Dudley White Lecture & Session**

**Non-ST-Elevation Acute Coronary Syndromes: 2018 and Beyond**

**The Metabolic Face of Heart Failure**

**Prevention Beyond the Guidelines: What to Do Next**

**Unpacking the Cardiovascular Biology of Violence**

**Department of Health and Human Services' Physical Activity Guidelines for Americans**

## Participate in Scientific Sessions' first Hackathon!

Teams will collaborate in an intense, fun-filled challenge to develop innovative solutions to issues facing them every day. See AHA's Conference App for details. Nationally Supported by Novartis. **#RiseAboveHF**