

## **9<sup>th</sup> International Tracheostomy Symposium**

### **Tentative Agenda**

**Date:** October 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>

**Location:** Rubenstein Forum

**Host Institution:** University of Chicago

**Symposium Chairs:** Vinciya Pandian and Michael Brenner

#### **Day 1: October 23<sup>rd</sup> – Clinical and Community Integration**

**9:00 – 9:05 AM**

##### **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

Dr. Vinciya Pandian, President, Global Tracheostomy Collaborative

**9:05 – 9:20 AM**

##### **Host Institution Welcome**

Dr. Nishant Agrawal, Division Chair, University of Chicago

**9:20 – 10:20 AM**

##### **Keynote Address**

Dr. Allan Klock, Chair of Anesthesiology and Past President, Society for Airway Management

**10:20 – 10:25 AM**

##### **Break**

**10:25 – 11:10 AM**

##### **Panel Discussion: Optimizing Communication Across the Lifespan**

University of Chicago Speech-Language Pathology Team (Adult and Pediatric Interdisciplinary Perspectives)

**11:15 – 12:00 PM**

##### **Session: Procedural Implications for Transition to Community**

**Presenter:** TBD

**12:00 – 1:00 PM**

##### **Lunch Break**

**1:00 – 2:00 PM**

##### **Keynote Presentation**

Laura Michelle Jackson, Ms. Wheelchair

**2:00 – 5:00 PM**

**Concurrent Tracks**

- **Track A:** Patient-Family Communication (PFC) Initiatives
- **Track B:** GTC Database Updates and Insights

**5:00 PM**

**Poster Presentation Session**

**Day 2: October 24<sup>th</sup> – Advancing Science and Advocacy**

**7:00 AM**

**Fun Walk/Run**

**9:00 – 10:00 AM**

**Keynote Speaker**

TBD

**10:00 – 12:00 PM**

**Concurrent Scientific Sessions**

- **Track A:** Adult Tracheostomy Care
- **Track B:** Pediatric Tracheostomy Care

**12:00 – 1:00 PM**

**Lunch Break**

**3:00 – 4:00 PM (EST)**

**Panel Discussion: Quality of Life in the Community**

Dr. Amy Freeman-Sanderson and Interdisciplinary Team

**4:00 PM**

**Closing and Awards Ceremony**

Presentation of Awards for:

1. Poster Presentations
2. Oral Presentations
3. Education Excellence
4. Research Innovation

5. Clinical Practice
6. Patient Advocacy
7. Global Hospital Engagement (Australia, US, UK)