



Dear Colleague:

We are very pleased to announce that the Academy of Cardiovascular Research Excellence (ACRE), the Chinese American Academy of Cardiology (CAAC) and Chinese American Heart Association (CnAHA) and will jointly host a "China-USA Cardiovascular Symposium" and "China Night" on Saturday November 7th, 2015 in Orlando, Florida, the day before AHA Scientific Sessions (Nov 7-11, 2015). The event will include Scientific Symposium, Young Investigator Award (YIA) competition and Reception. You are cordially invited to join us to promote cardiovascular research excellence and collaborations. Please mark your calendar and book your air tickets accordingly. Please encourage your fellows/students to submit abstracts for oral presentation and YIA competition with cash award and certificates.

Preliminary Program (1:00-6:00pm):

- 1. Research Symposium (registration is free but required)
 - Featured scientific presentations (5 invited speakers, 20min/speaker, 1h 40 min)
 - Abstract oral presentations for YIA (8 speakers, 15min/speaker, 2h)
- 2. China Night (registration free for trainees, tentatively \$50 for faculty member) (6:30-11:00pm)
 - Dinner/Social/Network
 - Welcome from the Chairs and brief annual administrative reports
 - Guest leadership speech
 - YIA Ceremony
 - Keynote speeches

Abstract Submission deadline: Oct 16th 2015

<u>Location</u>: Embassy Suites Orlando-International Drive South/Convention, 8978 International Drive, Orlando, Florida, 32819, 10 min walking from the convention center.

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Research Symposium Time: Saturday Nov 7th 2015, 1:00-6:00 pm

China Night Time: Saturday Nov 7th 2015, 6:30-11:00 pm

Abstract and Registration should be sent to: Dr. Wang Wang <wangwang@u.washington.edu>

Sincerely

China-USA Cardiovascular Symposium Committee

Symposium Committee:

Co-Chairs: Dali Fan, Hong Wang, Qinglin Yang

Members: Xiongwen Chen, Dali Fan, Yuxin Fan, Ben He, David Hsi, Gangjian Qin, Hong Wang,

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