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## The Endoscopy Course

The 9th Annual Harvard vs. Yale:  
Cases and Controversies  
in Endoscopy

Attendees have the opportunity to engage  
in controversial topics in endoscopy  
with live debates!

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# 2020

## April 17-18

Gurney's Newport Resort & Marina  
Newport, Rhode Island

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## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

This conference will take place at Gurney's Newport Resort and Marina, Newport, Rhode Island.

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### FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2020

- 7:30 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:25 AM Welcoming Remarks and Introductions  
Priya A. Jamidar MD and John R. Saltzman MD

#### SESSION I: STARTING AT THE TOP

Moderator: Kunal Jajoo MD

- 8:30 AM Barrett's Esophagus: What is New in Diagnosis and Therapy  
Kunal Jajoo MD
- 8:50 AM GERD: Current Medical and Endoscopic Treatments  
Amir Masoud MBBS
- 9:10 AM Old and New Concepts Beyond White Light: Chromoendoscopy, NBI and Blue-Light Laser  
Harry Aslanian MD
- 9:30 AM Panel Discussion
- 9:50 AM Harvard vs. Yale Debate #1: All Diminutive Polyps (<5 Mm) Should Be Removed Using the Cold Snare Technique  
Pro: Harry Aslanian MD  
Con: Kunal Jajoo MD
- 10:00 AM Refreshment Break

#### SESSION II: COMMON THINGS ARE COMMON

Moderator: John R. Saltzman MD

- 10:15 AM Sedation During Endoscopy: Risks and Benefits of IVCS and MAC  
Paul Akerman MD
- 10:35 AM Upper GI Bleeding: New Guidelines and Recommendations  
Loren Laine MD
- 10:55 AM How to Manage Patients on Antithrombotics Undergoing Endoscopy and/or With GI Bleeding  
John R. Saltzman MD
- 11:15 AM Panel Discussion
- 11:30 AM Lunch

#### SESSION III: INNOVATIONS IN ENDOSCOPY

Moderator: Harry Aslanian MD

- 12:30 PM Therapeutic EUS in 2020  
Thiruvengadam Muniraj MD, MRCP
- 12:50 PM Metabolic Endoscopy  
Pichamol Jirapinyo MD, MPH

- 1:10 PM Endoscopist as Poet: E-POEM and G-POEM?  
Harry Aslanian MD
- 1:30 PM Panel Discussion
- 1:50 PM Harvard vs. Yale Debate #2: Patients with Malignant Gastric Outlet Obstruction Should Preferably Undergo Endoscopic Gastro-Jejunostomy (Rather Than Gastroduodenal Stent Placement)  
Pro: Pichamol Jirapinyo MD, MPH  
Con: Thiruvengadam Muniraj MD, MRCP

#### STATE OF THE ART TALK:

Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning: What is it and How it is Transforming Endoscopy and Gastroenterology  
Lin Shen MD

#### 2:30 PM Refreshment Break

#### SESSION IV: BEYOND THE SCOPE

Moderator: Amir Masoud MBBS

- 3:00 PM Current Management of Hepatitis B and C  
Annamarie Liapakis MD
- 3:30 PM PPI Issues and Answers  
Amir Masoud MBBS
- 3:50 PM Medical Therapy for IBD in 2020  
Samir Shah MD
- 4:10 PM "Right on Time": Living Donor Liver Transplantation  
Annamarie Liapakis MD
- 4:30 PM Panel Discussion
- 4:50 PM Adjourn

### SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2020

- 8:00 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast

#### SESSION V: BOTTOM'S UP

Moderator: Samir Shah MD

- 8:30 AM How to Perform a Better Colonoscopy  
Kunal Jajoo MD
- 8:50 AM EMR Techniques During Colonoscopy  
Anil Nagar MD
- 9:10 AM Role of ESD in the Colonoscopy  
Hiroyuki Aihara MD, PhD
- 9:30 AM Endoscopy in IBD  
Samir Shah MD
- 9:50 AM Question and Answers
- 10:10 AM Refreshment Break

#### SESSION VI: ERCP UPDATE

Moderator: Priya A. Jamidar MD

- 10:30 AM Endoscopic Management of Hilar Strictures  
Priya A. Jamidar MD
- 10:50 AM Altered Anatomy ERCP: Best Approaches  
Paul Akerman MD
- 11:10 AM Indeterminate Strictures: Is Cholangioscopy the Answer?  
Marvin Ryou MD
- 11:30 AM Panel Discussion
- 11:40 AM Harvard vs. Yale Debate #3: A NSAID Prophylaxis Against Pancreatitis Should Be Given to All Patients Undergoing ERCP  
Pro: Anil Nagar MD  
Con: Marvin Ryou MD
- 11:55 AM Winner of Debates Announced ~ Trophy Presentation

12:00 PM Lunch

#### SESSION VII: ADVANCED ENDOSCOPY

Moderator: Marvin Ryou MD

- 1:30 PM Third Space Endoscopy: The Final Frontier?  
Hiroyuki Aihara MD, PhD
- 1:50 PM EUS and Liver Disease: Biopsies, Stents, Gastric Varices and Pressure Measurements  
Marvin Ryou MD
- 2:10 PM Difficult Bile Duct Stones  
Priya A. Jamidar MD
- 2:30 PM Acute Cholangitis: When do we Need to do ERCP?  
Anil Nagar MD
- 3:00 PM Panel Discussion
- 3:15 PM Refreshment Break
- 4:00 PM Breakout Sessions:
  1. How to Survive and Thrive as a Clinical Gastroenterologist  
Samir Shah MD
  2. Fellow's Track: Tips and Tricks on How to Pass the GI Boards  
Navin Kumar MD
- 5:00 PM Adjournment



# CONFERENCE FACULTY

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## Course Directors

**Priya A. Jamidar MD**  
Director of Endoscopy  
Yale New Haven Hospital  
Professor of Medicine  
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**John R. Saltzman MD**  
Senior Physician  
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Professor of Medicine, Part-time  
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## Guest Faculty

**Paul Akerman MD**  
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine  
Alpert Medical School  
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**Samir Shah MD**  
Chief of Gastroenterology  
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## Yale New Haven Hospital/ Yale School of Medicine Faculty

**Harry Aslanian MD**  
Associate Director, Endoscopy  
Director, Yale Advanced Endoscopy Fellowship  
Yale New Haven Hospital  
Professor of Medicine (Digestive Diseases)  
Yale School of Medicine

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Interim Chief of Gastroenterology  
Director of Clinical Research, Yale New Haven Hospital  
Professor of Medicine, Yale School of Medicine  
Past President, American Gastroenterological Association

**Annamarie Liapakis MD**  
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**Anil Nagar MD**  
Director of Endoscopy, West Haven VA Medical Center  
Associate Professor of Medicine (Digestive Diseases)  
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*The field of endoscopy has rapidly evolved with the introduction of innovative diagnostic techniques and novel therapies. The endoscopist frequently encounters difficult issues and controversies in patient management. "The Endoscopy Course" is designed to take a case-based approach to understand the current role of endoscopy in the care of patients with a variety of gastrointestinal diseases. Numerous challenging topics will be explored, including the basics of endoscopy, innovations in upper and lower GI disorders, gastrointestinal bleeding, and pancreas and biliary tract disorders.*

*In addition, this year's course will feature lectures on new endoscopic interventions and the application of artificial intelligence to endoscopy. As always, the highlight of this unique educational symposium are the debates between Harvard and Yale faculty on areas of endoscopic controversy. This program is designed for practicing gastroenterologists, gastroenterology fellows, nurses, advanced practice providers interested in the care of patients with gastrointestinal diseases and the latest information on state of the art of endoscopic diagnosis and treatment of these illnesses.*

## Accreditation Statement

The Yale School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

## Designation Statement

The Yale School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of **12.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

## Disclosure Policy

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## Financial Support

Yale School of Medicine is grateful to its supporters. They are acknowledged in all conference materials.

## Hotel Information

This 2-day symposium will be held at Gurney's Newport Resort & Marina, 1 Goat Island, Newport, RI 02840. A block of rooms has been reserved at the resort for participants. The rate for a standard room is \$295 USD per night on the following dates: 4/16/2020 and 4/17/2020. Individual reservations should be made directly with the hotel via the group reservation link provided below or by phone.

Online reservations can be made at: <https://bit.ly/38qJW2U>

To make a reservation by phone, please call (401) 851-3366. To receive the reduced rate, please identify yourself as part of the "Yale University School of Medicine Group."

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All reservations are required on or before Tuesday, March 17, 2020; after which the block will be released.

## Learning Objectives

This course will enable participants to:

- ~ Review new considerations with regard to endoscopy and gastrointestinal bleeding including management of antithrombotic agents and sedation
- ~ Implement methods for improving colonoscopy quality, removal of difficult polyps and endoscopic mucosal resection
- ~ Practice new developments in therapeutic EUS including biliary and pancreatic drainage and management of small bowel obstruction
- ~ Discuss developments in Bariatric Endoscopy

## Registration Information

Please note: You must register online. This informational panel is not a registration form.

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Friday & Saturday, April 17 – 18, 2020

~ Register online at [cme.yale.edu](http://cme.yale.edu) ~

#### Online Registration Instructions:

1. Visit "Find/Register for CME"
2. Go to "Live Courses"
3. Scroll down and select "The Endoscopy Course"
4. Click "Register" in order to proceed

Please note: You will be required to login or create a profile to register

OR, Please scan the image at right (QR Code)  
with your Smartphone or Tablet to be directed  
to the conference homepage and proceed with Step 4.



#### Registration Fees

Physicians – \$350

Nurses/PAs/Allied Health Professionals – \$200

Residents/Fellows\* – \$150

\*All cancellations must be received in writing (or via e-mail) at least 14 days prior to the start of the conference to receive a refund. Any requests for refunds received after this date, or by telephone, will not be honored.

\*A letter of verification from department head must accompany registration. Letter should be sent separately to Yale CME at the below address. You may also e-mail a pdf copy of your verification letter to [cme@yale.edu](mailto:cme@yale.edu).

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