

AGENDA

Southern Epilepsy & EEG Society 2025 Annual Meeting

Savannah, Georgia

January 31 – February 2, 2024

Friday, Jan 31, 2025

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Opening Reception (for attendees, speakers, and exhibitors)

7:00 pm – 7:10 pm President's Welcome

Symposium I: Debates Moderators: Katie Bullinger, MD and Abed Alwaki, MD		
7:10pm – 7:15 pm	Introduction by Debate Moderators	
First Debate	Hospital vs. Home Video EEG	
	7:15 pm – 7:35 pm	Video EEG monitoring belongs in the hospital
	7:35 pm – 7:55 pm	Staying at home gets the job done
	7:55 pm – 8:10 pm	Open discussion
Second Debate	Still a Need for Subdural Electrodes?	
	8:10 pm – 8:30 pm	We still need subdural electrodes
	8:30 pm – 08:50 pm	SEEG could do it all
	8:50 pm – 9:00 pm	Open discussion

Saturday, February 1, 2025

7:00 am – 8:00 am Breakfast

SYMPOSIUM II: MEG/ESI Moderator: Sasha Alick-Lindstrom, MD		
8:00 am – 8:05 am	Introduction	
8:05 am – 8:35 am	Approaches to source localization with MEG	
8:35 am – 9:05 am	Ictal vs. Interictal	
09:05 am – 09:35 am	Mapping cortical function with MEG	
9:35 am – 9:45 am	Open Discussion	

09:45 am – 10:00 am Break

SYMPOSIUM III: Advances in Antiseizure Medications Moderator: Ghazala Perven, MD		
10:00 am – 10:05 am	Introduction	
10:05 am – 10:45 am	Antiepileptogenesis	
10:45 am – 11:25 am	Treatment of nonconvulsive status epilepticus: Repurposing of traditional antiseizure medications	
11:25 am – 12:15 pm	Neuroimaging and physiologic biomarkers of efficacy in antiseizure therapy: fMRI and RNS	
12:15 pm – 12:25 pm	Open Discussion	

12:30 pm – 1:45 pm Lunch break & Visit exhibitors

SYMPOSIUM IV: Fellow Cases Moderators: Elizabeth Gerard, MD and Naymee Velez-Ruiz, MD		
1:45 pm – 1:50 pm	Introduction	
1:50 pm – 2:15 pm	Case 1	
2:15 pm – 2:40 pm	Case 2	
2:40 pm – 3:05 pm	Case 3	
3:05 pm – 3:30 pm	Case 4	
3:30 pm – 3:45 pm	Open Discussion	

SEEG Society Annual Board Meeting: 4pm – 5pm (for SEEG Society Board Members)

Sunday, February 2, 2025

7:00 am – 8:00 am Breakfast

SYMPOSIUM V: Morbidity and Mortality in People with Epilepsy		
Moderator: C. Akos Szabo, MD		
08:00 am – 08:05 am	Introduction	
08:05 am – 08:35 am	Neuropsychological effects of epilepsy and epilepsy therapies	
08:35 am – 09:05 am	Complications of convulsive seizures	
09:05 am – 09:35am	SUDEP/sudden cardiac death in epilepsy	
09:35 am – 09:45 am	Open Discussion	

09:45 am – 10:00 am Break

SYMPOSIUM VI: Epilepsy Surgery: Emerging Techniques		
Moderator: Terrence Lagerlund, MD, PhD		
10:00 am – 10:05 am	Introduction	
10:05 am – 10:50 am	Radiofrequency ablation	
10:55 am – 11:40 am	Focused ultrasound for epilepsy	
11:40 am – 12:20 pm	Thalamic recordings in SEEG	
12:20 pm – 12:30 pm	Open Discussion	

12:30 pm Closing Remarks