Ritz-Carlton • Beaver Creek, Colorado
February 23 - 27, 2014

2014 Honored Guest Speaker
Juha Hernesniemi, MD, PhD – University of Helsinki, Finland
Presented by the Department of Neurosurgery
University of Colorado School of Medicine
Sponsored by the University of Colorado School of Medicine
Office of Continuing Medical Education

Conference Registration

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FEES Pre-registration is required. All registration fees include course syllabus, continental breakfasts, refreshments, Saturday evening cocktail reception and Tuesday evening banquet. Spouses/guests are invited to attend the reception and banquet for an additional per person fee.

Please make check payable to Neurosurgery in the Rockies. A 90% refund will be made for cancellations up to 10 working days before the course. No refunds will be made for cancellations after this time or for non-attendance. A comprehensive course syllabus containing outlines and abstracts of the presentations will be given to each registrant upon check-in. The conference committee reserves the right to cancel this conference in the event of an unforeseen circumstance, or if the minimum acceptable registration is not attained. In the event of a cancellation the University of Colorado School of Medicine is obligated to refund the registration fee only.

Physician $650 $695
Residents/Allied Health Professional $250 $250
Additional Banquet Guest $ 85 $ 85
Additional Reception Guest $ 70 $ 70

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Discounted Ski Lift Tickets will be available for purchase at
Neurosurgery in the Rockies is an intimate gathering hosted by the Department of Neurosurgery at the University of Colorado School of Medicine. Our goal is to provide an environment in which neurosurgeons can exchange ideas, meet new friends and enjoy the natural beauty of the Rocky Mountains. This conference is designed for neurosurgeons, neurologists, interventional neuroradiologists, resident physicians and all individuals with an interest in the clinical neurosciences. The morning session will address topics in Neurosurgery that will be presented by international honored guest speakers. The afternoon sessions will consist of clinical and basic science papers presented by the participants.

**Course Objectives**

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- Analyze the issues that impact the decision making when caring for patients with cavernomas
- Assess the surgical options as well as expectant management
- Evaluate complications for SAH and how to recognize and treat
- Define which types of pathology are found in the pineal region and discuss workup and treatment

**Honoried Guest Speaker:**

**Juha Hernesniemi, MD, PhD** is Professor and Chairman of the Neurosurgery Department in Helsinki, Finland.

**General Information**

**Accreditation**

The University of Colorado School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Colorado School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 15.50 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. These credits are also recognized by AANS for CME credit.

**Hotel Reservations**

The Ritz-Carlton in Beaver Creek is a two hour drive from Denver. Please contact them directly at 970-748-6200 to reserve your room at this ski-in/ski-out facility. The group rate is $359 per room per night. You may also contact them via their website at http://www.ritzcarlton.com/

A block of rooms will be held at The Ritz-Carlton until December 15, 2013. After that date, rooms will be on a space available basis only.

**Course Director** – Steven Ojemann, MD, Department of Neurosurgery

**Co-Directors** – Kathy Beauchamp, MD, Department of Neurosurgery
Richard Hughes, MD, Department of Neurology

**Submitting Abstracts**

For those wishing to present papers, please submit an abstract by January 1, 2014. You can obtain an abstract form on our website - www.cuneurosurgery.com. Click Neurosurgery in the Rockies. Click Submit your Abstract Today. Or you may submit your abstract via mail to: University of Colorado Department of Neurosurgery. Attn: Steven Ojemann, MD • Mail Stop C307 • 12631 E. 17th Avenue • Aurora, CO 80045

Email: Steven.Ojemann@ucdenver.edu

**The Colorado Cup Ski Race**

Each year, Neurosurgery in the Rockies participants are invited to compete in a NASTAR ski race. A trophy will be awarded to the program whose resident or fellow posts the fastest time and will be inscribed with the winning program and resident’s names. There will be a men’s and a women’s category.

**Scientific Program**

**Sunday, February 23rd**

4:30 – 8:00 pm  Vendor Set-up and Registration
5:30 – 6:30 pm  Colorado Neurosurgical Society Meeting
5:30 – 8:00 pm  Registration & Opening Cocktail Reception

**Monday, February 24th**

6:30 am  Exhibit Viewing / Breakfast
7:00 – 9:30 am  Case presentation
Controversies in the Surgical Management of Cerebral, Brainstem, and Spinal Cord Cavernomas
4:30 – 5:00 pm  Exhibit Viewing / Refreshments
5:00 – 7:00 pm  Moderated Abstract Sessions
Moderator: Steven Ojemann, MD

**Tuesday, February 25th**

6:30 am  Exhibit Viewing / Breakfast
7:00 – 9:30 am  Controversies in the Management of Aneurysmal Subarachnoid Hemorrhage
4:30 – 5:00 pm  Exhibit Viewing / Refreshments
5:00 – 7:00 pm  Moderated Abstract Sessions
Moderator: Steven Ojemann, MD

7:00 – 7:30 pm  Cocktails
7:30 – 10:00 pm  Banquet / Dinner Buffet

**Wednesday, February 26th**

6:30 am  Exhibit Viewing / Breakfast
7:00 – 9:30 am  Management of lesions of the pineal region
4:30 – 5:00 pm  Exhibit Viewing / Refreshments
5:00 – 7:00 pm  Moderated Abstract Sessions
Moderator: Steven Ojemann, MD
7:00 – 7:30 pm  Cocktails
7:30 – 10:00 pm  Banquet / Dinner Buffet

**Thursday, February 27th**

6:30 am  Exhibit Viewing / Breakfast
8:00 – 9:00 am  Tricks in Surgery for Meningiomas
Juha Hernesniemi, MD, PhD
9:00 – 10:00 am  Life and Training in Neurosurgery
Juha Hernesniemi, MD, PhD
10:00 am  Meeting adjourns