

2023 CONFERENCE

# October 4-8

Lymphological Investigations & Exploration

General Assembly Recordings

#### Lymphology

Changes in Lymphology: The Good, The Bad and The Ugly

Kathleen Francis

What MLD Is and Is Not

Guenter Klose

**MLD Demonstrations & Discussion** 

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Lymphedema Treatment Act

Heather Ferguson

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#### **Central Lymphatics**

Rehabilitation Approach to the Patient with Central Lymphatic Disease

Jasmine Zheng

**Discovering the Blueprints of Central Lymphatics** 

Max Itkin

**Lymphatic Mystery to Lymphatic Success** (Patient Experience)

Catherine Rosenberg

The Role of CLTs in the Management of Central Lymphatic Dysfunction

Leslyn Keith

Flying with Lymphedema: Central Lymphatic Issues, Occluded Thoracic Duct, & Glymphatic Drainage (Patient Experience)

Catherine Seo

The Potential Nutritional Impacts Caused By Central Lymphatic Dysfunction
(Patient Experience)

Kelly Bell

Unlocking the Flow: Innovative Approaches to Move Lymphatic Fluid in Central Lymphatic Dysfunction (Patient Experience)

**Amy Rivera** 

#### Wound Care

#### **Exploring Thermography in Wound Care**

Frank Aviles

**Wound Care Nutrition - Healing from the Inside Out** 

Jean LaMantia

The Use of Augmented Compression and Low Profile Wound Dressings to Enhance Compression Pressure Profiles and Wound Healing In Persons with Lymphedema

Erin Fazzari

**Wound Care Panel** 

Frank Aviles, Bryan Groleau, Denise Richlen, Erin Fazzari

#### Head & Neck

Barriers to Physical Activity in Survivors of Head and Neck Cancer

Bryan Spinelli

Challenging Head and Neck Cases (Panel Discussion)
Jie Deng, Bryan Spinelli, Lauren Meffen

## Sex, Intimacy, & Body Image

Body Image, Sexuality, and Intimacy: Overcoming Barriers in the Oncology Population

Molly Sleigh

Sexuality & Pleasure 101: Exploring Beliefs, Hang Ups, and Bias Kathryn Ellis

The Psychology of Sex: Yucks, Yums, and Everything in Between

**Erica Dawkins** 

**Panel Discussion** 

Erica Dawkins, Kathryn Ellis, Molly Sleigh

# Brain Lymphatics

Meningeal Lymphatic Regulation of Brain Function in Health & Disease

Antoine Louveau

Unlocking the Brain's Lymphatic System - A Promising Path for Alzheimer's Disease and Beyond

Wei Chen

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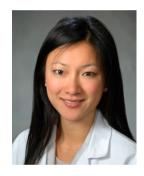
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The National Lymphedema Network's mission is to empower our community of lymphedema practitioners and patients by providing educational opportunities, networking opportunities, and interventional resources. We aim to inspire clinicians to provide world-class care for people with lymphedema by promoting best practice guidelines and standards of care.