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SOUTH CAROLINA CHAPTER  
SCIENTIFIC MEETING

OCTOBER 16–19, 2008

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# GOVERNOR'S LETTER

## South Carolina Chapter Meeting Highlights:

- College Update by J. Fred Ralston, Jr., MD, FACP, ACP Regent
- New Medications and Indications
- Associates' Presentations
- Updates in Cardiac Surgery, Invasive Cardiology, Bone Health, Travel Medicine, and Imaging Procedures
- Controversy in Perioperative Care Cardiovascular Assessment
- Evaluation and Management of Breast Cancer
- South Carolina Political Landscape and Implications for Physicians
- Town Meeting
- Achieving a High-Performance Health Care System with Universal Access: What the US Can Learn from Other Countries

**This educational activity has been designated for 12 CME credits.**

Dear Colleague,

I invite you to join me and your colleagues in internal medicine at the next scientific meeting of the South Carolina Chapter of the American College of Physicians, being held October 16–19, 2008, at the Crowne Plaza Resort.

*This meeting is not just for ACP members.*

I particularly want to invite nonmembers to join us for this important clinical update and to learn about the benefits of membership at the same time.

In addition to earning 12 CME credits, by attending this meeting you will:

- Gain insight into recent medical advances.
- Discuss local and national issues affecting the practice and teaching of internal medicine.
- Greet old friends, meet new friends, and develop a network of colleagues in your area.
- Take some time for yourself or with your family to relax and enjoy the sights around Hilton Head Island.

Between scientific sessions, please visit the College table. You will find information on new ACP programs, products, and services. There's always something new at the College table—stop by and see for yourself.

To ensure your place at this invaluable meeting, complete the registration form at the back of this brochure and send it in today. The opportunities available at this meeting will help you meet not only your needs as a physician, but also the needs of the patients you serve.

I look forward to seeing you in Hilton Head Island.

Sincerely,

Dawn E. Clancy, MD, MSCR, FACP  
ACP Governor, South Carolina Chapter

John B. DuBose, MD, FACP  
Program Chair

P.S. J. Fred Ralston, Jr., MD, FACP, a Regent of ACP, will attend this meeting to talk about College activities related to quality improvement on behalf of internists. *This is a good chance to make your voice heard by ACP leadership—register today to reserve your seat.*



# PROGRAM SCHEDULE

## Thursday, October 16, 2008

3:00–5:30 p.m. Registration and Associates' Poster Set-up  
Exhibits Set-up

7:00 Associates' Dinner

## Friday, October 17, 2008

7:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast  
Visit Exhibits and ACP Table

8:00 Welcome and Introduction to Associates' Presentations  
Mary Beth Poston, MD, FACP

8:15 Associates' Presentations

10:30 Break  
Visit Exhibits and ACP Table

10:50 Associates' Presentations

12:15 p.m. Associates' Luncheon

1:15 Welcome  
Opening of General Session  
Dawn E. Clancy, MD, MSCR, FACP

1:30 New Medications and Indications  
C. Wayne Weart, PharmD

2:30 Update in Cardiac Surgery  
John P. Sutton, III, MD

3:30 Update in Invasive Cardiology  
Troy A. Bunting, MD

4:30 Fostering Excellence in Internal Medicine: 2008  
J. Fred Ralston, Jr., MD, FACP

5:30–7:30 p.m. Happy Hour

6:30 p.m. Award Presentations

## Saturday, October 18, 2008

7:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast  
Visit Exhibits and ACP Table

7:45 Introductions and Announcements

8:00 Achieving a High-Performance Health Care System with Universal Access: What the US Can Learn from Other Countries  
J. Fred Ralston, Jr., MD, FACP

9:00 Update in Bone Health  
Sandra L. Weber, MD, FACP

10:00 Break  
Visit Exhibits and ACP Table

10:30 Update in Travel Medicine  
Robert T. Ball, Jr., MD, MPH

11:30 Update in Imaging Procedures  
Jeffrey Scott Lackey, MD  
Richard J. Wunder, MD

12:30 p.m. Luncheon and Town Meeting  
Voice your concerns about issues affecting the internal medicine environment as well as your Chapter.

1:45 p.m. Adjourn

## Sunday, October 19, 2008

7:00 a.m. ACP South Carolina Council Breakfast Meeting

7:00 Continental Breakfast

7:45 Introductions and Announcements

8:00 South Carolina Political Landscape and Implications for Physicians  
Oscar F. Lovelace, Jr., MD

9:00 Controversy in Perioperative Cardiovascular Assessment  
Allan S. Brett, MD, FACP

10:00 Break

10:30 Evaluation and Management of Breast Cancer  
Paul L. Baron, MD  
Lisa F. Baron, MD  
David M. Ellison, MD, ACP Member

12:30 p.m. Adjourn



# MEETING INFORMATION

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## Faculty

**Robert T. Ball, Jr., MD, MPH,** Infectious Disease Consultant and Epidemiologist, South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, Public Health Districts 6 & 7, Charleston

**Paul L. Baron, MD,** General Surgeon, Cancer Specialists of Charleston, Charleston

**Lisa F. Baron, MD,** Radiologist, Charleston Breast Center, Charleston

**Allan S. Brett, MD, FACP,** Director of the Division of General Internal Medicine, University of South Carolina School of Medicine, Columbia

**Troy A. Bunting, MD,** Internist, Cardiology Associates of Charleston, Charleston

**Dawn E. Clancy, MD, MSCR, FACP,** ACP South Carolina Chapter Governor; Private Practice, Maybank Internal Medicine, Johns Island

**David M. Ellison, MD, ACP Member,** Hematologist, Charleston Hematology/Oncology Associates, Charleston

**Jeffrey S. Lackey, MD,** Radiologist, Carolina Radiology Associates, Myrtle Beach

**Oscar F. Lovelace, Jr., MD,** Former SC Gubernatorial Candidate, Family Practitioner, Newberry

**Mary Beth Poston, MD, FACP,** Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of South Carolina School of Medicine, Columbia

**J. Fred Ralston, Jr., MD, FACP, ACP Regent;** Private Practice, Fayetteville Medical Associates, Fayetteville, TN

**John P. Sutton, III, MD,** Cardiovascular Surgeon, Thoracic Cardiovascular Associates, Columbia

**C. Wayne Weart, PharmD,** Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston

**Sandra L. Weber, MD, FACP,** Internal Medicine/Endocrinology, Greenville Hospital System, Greenville

**Richard J. Wunder, MD,** Radiologist, Carolina Radiology Associates, Myrtle Beach, SC

## Program Planning Committee

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If you are interested in becoming a member of the College, please contact the Customer Service Department at 800-523-1546, ext. 2600, or 215-351-2600 (M–F, 9 a.m.–5 p.m. ET).

Attendance at Chapter meetings can help all ACP members meet the qualifications for advancement to Fellowship. It is especially important for those applying under the pathway that calls for 5 years of activity as a Member.

# MEETING INFORMATION

## Associate Activities

Clinical vignettes and research papers prepared by Associates will be presented at the meeting. Winners will receive a cash prize and be eligible for entrance into the national competition held during Internal Medicine 2009 in Philadelphia, April 2009. The deadline to submit papers for the competition is August 11, 2008. Contact Mary Beth Poston, MD, at 803-540-1000 for information about entering the competition.

## Laureate Award

It is with distinct pleasure that the South Carolina Chapter presents this year's Laureate Award. Laureate Award winners are long-standing and loyal supporters of the College who have rendered distinguished service to their chapters and community and have upheld the high ideals and professional standards for which the College is known. The award will be presented during the reception on Friday, October 17.

## Chapter Excellence Award Winner

We are pleased to announce that our Chapter is the recipient of a 2007 Chapter Excellence Award. The Chapter Excellence Award recognizes those chapters that excel in reaching the standards for managing a chapter, such as communicating to members, instituting Medical Students' and Associates' activities, and advancing and recruiting members. A Chapter Excellence certificate will be awarded to the Chapter at the meeting by the College Representative.

## Who Should Attend

- General internists
- Subspecialty internists
- Family practitioners
- Fellows in subspecialty training
- Allied health practitioners
- Residents (internists in training)
- Medical students interested in internal medicine

## Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- Apply updated knowledge of internal medicine to clinical practice.
- Apply updated knowledge of travel medicine and pharmacology to clinical practice.
- Improve clinical practice by incorporating major new developments in subspecialty medicine.
- Improve clinical practice by incorporating major new developments in imaging procedures.
- Understand recent advances in internal medicine.
- Understand recent advances in imaging and cardiac procedures.
- Diagnose and manage breast cancer and bone health.
- Understand political advocacy and reform.

## CME Accreditation

The American College of Physicians is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The American College of Physicians designates this educational activity for a maximum of **12 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)**<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

# MEETING INFORMATION

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## Hotel Accommodations

We have reserved a block of rooms at the following rates until September 15, 2008. When making your reservation, be sure to mention that you will be attending the South Carolina Chapter of the American College of Physicians' meeting.

Single/Double: \$160 + \$10 resort fee

Crowne Plaza Resort  
Shipyards Plantation  
130 Shipyards Drive  
Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

The rooms are available on a first-come, first-served basis, so make your reservation as early as possible by **calling the hotel directly at 843-842-2400**.

## Directions

Located off I-95 North/South, take Exit 8, Hwy. 278 East. Crossing the two bridges onto Hilton Head Island, take Hwy. 278 Business Route past mile marker sign "10" to Shipyards Plantation. Turn left at the stoplight.

## Area Interests

There is much for family and friends to see and do on Hilton Head Island, including:

- Visiting the Dolphin Safari
- Kayaking and other water sports
- Playing a few rounds of golf or tennis
- Touring Daufuskie Island and Harbour Town

Additional information on Hilton Head Island is available online at [www.hiltonhead.com](http://www.hiltonhead.com).

## How to Register

- If you need more information on the meeting, please contact Debbie Shealy at 803-798-6207 or 800-327-1021 (in state), ext. 223, or by fax at 803-772-6783.
- For information on College-related issues, contact the South Carolina Chapter Governor, Dawn E. Clancy, MD, MSCR, FACP, by telephone at 843-557-1111 or e-mail to [drmmommiec@bellsouth.net](mailto:drmmommiec@bellsouth.net).
- To register for the meeting, complete the attached registration form and return it with your check made payable to:  

South Carolina Chapter, ACP  
C/O Debbie Shealy  
PO Box 11188  
Columbia, SC 29211
- To access our online meeting information or to print another registration form for a friend or colleague, go to [www.acponline.org/meetings/chapter/sc-2008.pdf](http://www.acponline.org/meetings/chapter/sc-2008.pdf).
- To take advantage of the reduced rate for hotel accommodations and to reserve your hotel room, call the hotel directly at the number listed above.

# REGISTRATION FORM

CMB

American College of Physicians  
South Carolina Chapter Scientific Meeting  
October 16–19, 2008

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This form may be photocopied.

ACP # (found on mailing label)

Name  MD  DO

Address

City/State/ZIP

Daytime Phone

Fax

E-Mail

Spouse/Guest Name

Please check here to indicate a permanent change to your preferred address for all College mailings.

Yes, I do wish to receive information from the meeting exhibitors.

## Registration Fees

Check one category that best applies. Registration fee includes continental breakfasts, lunch, reception, all scientific sessions and materials, and a CME certificate.

## ACP Categories

- Master  Fellow  Member .....\$125
- Associate (Resident Members) .....No Fee
- Medical Student Member .....No Fee
- Affiliate Member (Allied Health Professional) .....\$75

## Nonmember Categories

- Nonmember Physician .....\$200
- Nonmember Resident .....No Fee
- Nonmember Medical Student .....No Fee
- Nonmember Allied Health Professional .....\$125


GRAND TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## PAYMENT

Please make your check payable to **South Carolina Chapter of the ACP** and mail to:

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**Questions? Please call Ms. Shealy at 803-798-6207 or 800-327-1021 (in state), ext. 223.**

  We encourage participation by all individuals. Check here if you are disabled and require assistance. Advance notification is essential in order for us to serve you better. Please notify the South Carolina Chapter at least 30 days before your course. We'll be glad to help.