General Information

Purpose Statement
The current role of virtual colonoscopy as related to colon imaging is significant to radiologists interested in developing and implementing virtual colonoscopy into their practices. This workshop has been designed to demonstrate and teach “hands-on” techniques that will enable the participant to detect colorectal polyps at Virtual Colonoscopy.

Target Audience
Virtual Colonoscopy workshops have been designed for radiologists both in private practice and academic centers.

Description
One and one-half day workshops have been designed to review current aspects of colon cancer and colon cancer screening. The format for these courses is hands-on training using workstations loaded with approximately 25–40 “endoscopically-proven” data sets, chosen to include a mix of normals, abnormals and pitfalls. In addition to the hands-on experience, didactic lectures are included on patient preparation, data acquisition, current screening techniques, and how Virtual Colonoscopy fits in with overall patient management.

Educational Objectives
At the conclusion of the workshop, participants should be able to:

- Identify the utility and potential limitations of virtual colonoscopy
- Discuss current screening techniques and how VC fits in
- More effectively use the workstations through the hands-on experience gained at the workshop

Accreditation Statement
The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation
The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School designates this educational activity for a maximum of 11.5 Category I credits toward the AMA Physician’s Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those hours that he/she spent in the activity.

Disclosure Statement
The NYU Post-Graduate Medical School adheres to ACCME Standards regarding industry support of continuing medical education. Disclosure of any commercial relationships as well as discussion of off-label or investigational use of any drug, device, or procedure by the faculty will be made known at the symposium.

Course Dates and Workstations:

- **February 21–22, 2005** (Monday–Tuesday)
- **February 24–25, 2005** (Thursday–Friday)

Course Director: Michael Macari, M.D.
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Very Limited Enrollment

The Raleigh
Miami Beach, Florida

NYU Virtual Colonoscopy Workshops

School of Medicine
New York University
For February 21–22, 2005 and February 24–25, 2005

Day #1

7:45–8:30 a.m.  Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30–9:00 a.m.  Rationale for Colorectal Screening and Current Options
9:00–9:30 a.m.  Virtual Colonoscopy: Patient Preparation
9:30–10:00 a.m. Virtual Colonoscopy: Data Acquisition
10:00–10:45 a.m. Virtual Colonoscopy: Data Interpretation
10:45–11:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:00–11:30 a.m. Review of Workstation and Workstation Technique
11:30–12:30 p.m. Review of Five Unknown Cases
12:30–1:30 p.m. Lunch (included with tuition)

1:30–2:30 p.m.  Review of Unknown Cases
2:30–5:30 p.m. Hands-on Review of Unknown Cases

Day #2

7:45–8:30 a.m.  Continental Breakfast
8:30–9:00 a.m.  Current Role of Virtual Colonoscopy
9:00–Noon Review of Unknown Cases
Noon Final Questions & Answers
12:15 p.m. Program Evaluation and Adjournment

Meeting Location
The Raleigh Hotel
South Beach/Miami Beach, Florida
1775 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, FL 33139 (www.raleighhotel.com)

We have selected the Raleigh Hotel in South Beach, Florida for these workshops. Rates are listed below for each workshop.

It is important that hotel reservations are made no later than December 31 for either of these February classes (as the blocks will be released to the public and February is peak season).

Hotel Reservations
To book your hotel reservations, you must first be confirmed in the class by the NYU Radiology CME Office – you will be given a Registration Confirmation # once your registration form has been received and processed. Your confirmation will include a Hotel Reservation Form which you can use to book your hotel reservations at the Raleigh. Pre- and post-meeting dates are possible if you want to extend your stay in South Beach.

February Rates and Policies
- Weekday Ocean-Front King Rooms ($325); Weekend Ocean-Front Kings ($395)
- Weekday Ocean-View King Rooms ($295); Weekend Ocean-View Kings ($365)
- Weekday Sunset & Garden Views ($275); Weekend Sunset & Garden Views ($295)

All rooms are subject to state, local taxes (14%); a one-night deposit is required when booking reservation which is non-refundable if cancelled within two weeks before arrival date.

Tuition Fees
The course tuition fees for 2005 are $1750 per attendee for each workshop and include two breakfasts, one lunch and breaks in addition to the educational program and use of one designated workstation per attendee. Discounted fees for NYU alumni, residents/fellows, retirees and overseas (including Canadian) physicians, military, V.A. employees are $1500 per attendee and a letter of authorization or reason for the discount is required.

Registration
Due to the limited enrollment and the lengthy waiting list we have for these workshops, you will not be able to register online for this meeting. Please complete and fax the Registration Form to (212) 263-3959 and please be sure to include your email address and phone number so that a confirmation can be sent to you.

In Case of Questions, Call:
Michelle Koplik, Program Coordinator, at (212) 263-3936 or Janice Ford-Benner, Director of Education, at (212) 263 3923.

Cancellation Information
If you need to cancel this meeting, a $75 service fee will apply if you cancel your registration 60+ days in advance. If you cancel your enrollment and we are able to fill your place with another physician, you will only be charged $75 administrative fee. However, if you cancel and we cannot re-book your place, you will be charged a $1500 cancellation fee. This is a high cancellation penalty due to the popularity of this topic and the limited number of enrollees possible.

Special Needs
The Post-Graduate Medical School of the New York University School of Medicine, in compliance with the legal requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act, requests that any participant of this CME course who is in need of accommodations to submit written requests to our office at least one month prior to the course start date.

Dietary Restrictions
Please indicate any dietary restrictions on the registration form.

Special Topics/Questions
If there is a special topic or question that would help fulfill your educational needs, please submit it on the registration form.
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Fax to 212-263-3959

Participant Information
Please Print Clearly

Name __________________________________________________
Address _______________________________________________
City ____________________________________________________
State ___________________________________________________
Zip _____________________________________________________
Daytime Phone __________________________________________
Fax _____________________________________________________
Email __________________________________________________ (required if you want to receive a confirmation receipt)
Degree _________________________________________________
Specialty _______________________________________________
Sub-Specialty ____________________________________________

Course Preferences

☐ I prefer the February 21–22 class.
☐ I prefer the February 24–25 class.
☐ If my first choice is not available, sign me up for the other.
☐ I cannot attend either date but send me future dates on this topic.

Tuition and Fees

Full Course: $1750

Fees include breakfasts, breaks and lunch on day 1. Course materials and one workstation per student will be provided for both days.

Cancellation Terms

The full tuition, minus a $75 service fee, will be refunded if another applicant is found to take the place. Otherwise, the entire tuition is non-refundable.

Method of Payment

☐ Check

Made payable to "NYU Department of Radiology.”
Please rush check to address below.

Check # __________________________________________

☐ Credit Card

Card Member’s Name (print carefully) _______________________
Card # _______________________________________________
Bill to: ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard ☐ American Express
Exp Date: (MM/YYYY) _____/_________
Signature (required to process) _____________________________

Where to Mail

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If there is a specific question or topic relating to this course, please submit it on the registration form or on the website when registering online.

Dietary Restrictions

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Do not book your flight or hotel reservations until you have a confirmation number from NYU.