

Help for Today... Hope for Tomorrow

Wednesday, October 12th

- 8:00 **Amputee Peer Training** (8:00am-6:00pm)
 Hosted by Susan Tipton of Amputee Coalition
- 12:00 **OT Workshop** (12:00-6:00pm)
 Shawn Johnson, Julie Klarich, Diane Atkins
- 5:00pm Exhibitor Set Up
- 6:00pm Close of Day One

Thursday, October 13th

- 8:30 **Welcome and Introduction to Workshop**
 Robert Meier, MD and Shawn Johnson, OTR/L
- 8:40 **Keynote Address "Help for Today... Hope for Tomorrow"**
 Jeff Tiessen
- 9:00 **Personal Stories from Limb Loss/Difference Individuals and Partners**
 Panel: Diane Atkins moderator
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- 10:15 Break/Exhibit Time
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- 10:45 **Key Components to Maximum Function**
 Robert Meier, MD
- 11:30 **Don't Stop Living**
 Hector Picard
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- 12:15 Lunch/Exhibit Time
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- 1:30 **Emotional Adaptation to Bilateral Arm Loss**
 Howard Belon, PhD, Dan Savone, MEd
- 2:15 **Functional Outcomes as the Basis for Designing Rehabilitation Strategies**
 Robert Meier, MD, Julie Klarich, OTR, CHT, Diane Atkins, OTR/L, FISPO
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- 3:00 Break/Exhibit Time
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- 3:30 **Amputation Surgery as Arm Reconstruction Leading to Future Function**
 David Schnur, MD
- 4:00 **Breakout Session 1**
 Functional Concerns that are Causing Me Grief
 Caregiver Interactions to Sustain a Relationship
- 5:00 **Breakout Session 2**
 Functional Concerns that are Causing Me Grief
 Care Giver Interactions to Sustain a Relationship
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- 6:00 End of Workshop
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- 7:00 Welcome Reception with light hors d'oeuvres,
 Guitar Player, Exhibitors and Group Photo
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- 9:00 Close of Day Two

Friday, October 14th

8:30	Keynote Speaker Cynthia Dusel Bacon
9:00	Prosthetic Fitting and Training to Enhance Activities of Daily Living Skills – Body powered and electrically powered Mac Lang, CPO and Shawn Swanson Johnson, OTR/L
9:30	Body Movement to Enhance Prosthetic Use and Keeping in Tip Top Condition Inger Brueckner, PT
10:15	Break/Exhibit Time
10:45	Problem Solving for the Bilateral Arm Amputee Panel: Robert Meier, MD and Mike St. Onge moderators
11:30	Hints from Bilateral Arm Amputees in the Audience Panel: Diane Atkins moderator
12:15	Lunch/Exhibit Time
2:00	Exhibit Teardown
1:00	Activity Day (1:00-6:00pm) Swim clinic, Cycling demo, Xbox Kinect, Gym Adaptations
6:00	Dinner on your own
7:30	Upper Limb Loss/Difference Informal Gathering
9:00	Sexuality and Limb Loss Discussion Robert Meier, MD and Dan Savone, MEd

Saturday, October 15th

8:30	Upper Limb Prosthetic Innovations and Future Development (RIC) Kelly Lee, CP
9:15	Upper Limb Prosthetic Innovations and Future Development (DEKA/Luke Arm) Randy Alley, BSc, CP, LP, CFT, FAAOP
10:00	Break
10:30	Adaptive Equipment and Options for Greater Independence Panel: Eric Nelson and Mike St Onge moderators
11:15	Pain Treatment and Complications following Bilateral Arm Amputations Robert Meier, MD
12:00	Lunch
	Free Paper Session
1:00	Emergency Preparedness Hector Torres, Sandy Fletchall, OTR/L, CHT, MPA, FAOTA
1:20	Managing Pain Issues Sandy Fletchall, OTR/L, CHT, MPA, FAOTA
1:40	Hand Transplantation Steven Moran, MD
2:10	Useful Technology from the Limb Loss Individual's Perspective David Worley
2:30	Partial Hand Technology Rob Kistenberg, MPH, CP, LP, FAAOP
3:00	Break

3:30	Break Out Session 1 Daily Living Strategies Bilateral Upper Limb Loss Interactions... coping, grief, etc
4:45	Break Out Session 2 Daily Living Strategies Bilateral Upper Limb Loss Interactions... coping, grief, etc
6:00	End of Workshop
7:00	Closing Dinner
9:00	Close of Day Four

Sunday, October 16th

8:30	Aging and the Bilateral Arm Amputee – Baby Boomers Rule!!! Panel discussion: Robert Meier, MD moderator
9:00	The Bilateral Arm Amputee in Our Military Jamie Vandersea, CP (WRAMC)
10:00	Break
10:30	Questions from the Audience – Obtained by the end of Saturday Panel Discussion: Eric Nelson moderator
11:30	Concluding Remarks Robert Meier, MD and Shawn Swanson Johnson, OTR/L
11:45	Course Evaluation
12:00	End of Workshop