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Accreditation
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Accommodations
The Inn at the League, 140 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19102
Room Rate: $195 (per night, plus tax)
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1. Review and assess the role of intracranial monitoring to include fiberoptic monitor, external ventricular drain and brain tissue oxygenation monitor in the TBI patient.
2. Discuss the indication and timing of craniectomy for the treatment of the TBI patient as well as the pros and cons of autologous versus fabricated cranioplasty.
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11:00 AM Resident Research Presentations Moderators: Charles N. Munyon, MD Joseph V. Queenan, MD, FACS
12:00 PM Lunch & Exhibits
12:45 PM Resident Award Presentation

Controversy Session II: Spine – Controversies in the Management of Spinal Cord Injury
1:00 PM Timing of Intervention for Acute Spinal Cord Injury to Include Central Cord Injury from Cervical Spondylisis

Surgical Options for ASI: Anterior, Posterior or 360
Moderator: Joseph V. Queenan, MD, FACS
Panelists: Bong-Soo Kim, MD, FAANS Srinivasa Prasad, MD, MS James Schuster, MD, PhD

2:15 PM Adjourn/Closing Remarks Michael W. Weaver, MD, FAANS

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