THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2020

12–1:30 p.m.  Welcome to LEAD & Opening Keynote: The Politics of Health Care | Salon | 1.5 CME Credits
Lunch Provided

Welcome: Kevin Klauer, DO, EJD, AOA CEO
Ronald R. Burns, DO, AOA President
Joseph A. Giaimo, DO, LEAD Chair

Speaker: Ron Brownstein, Senior Political Analyst, CNN & Editorial Director, Strategic Partnerships for Atlantic Media

Description: Hear from respected political pundit, journalist and author Ron Brownstein about how changes in public health policy have the potential to remake the health care landscape and the impact that the upcoming 2020 elections could have on health policy decisions.

1:45–2:40 p.m.  Breakout Session #1

LEADERSHIP/DEVELOPMENT: Collaboration in Affinity Programs and Future Opportunities in Affiliate Affairs* | Exchange 1–3 | 1 CME Credit

Speakers: Norman E. Vinn, DO, MBA, AOA Past President
Kathleen Creason, MBA
Nicole Blankenship, MBA, CAE

Description: Learn about the current American Osteopathic Information Association (AOIA) Affinity Programs and how they can enhance physicians’ practices to optimize patient care.

EDUCATION: Single Accreditation System and Certifying Board Services Updates* | Salon | 1 CME Credit

Speakers: Boyd R. Buser, DO, AOA Past President
Kevin Klauer, DO, EJD, AOA CEO

Description: Get an update on the transition to a Single Accreditation System, including progress on the transition of AOA accredited programs. Learn about recent changes to AOA Board Certification and how AOA is innovating to meet the changing needs and expectations of osteopathic physicians.

EDUCATION: Defining a New Osteopathic Educational Ecosystem: Engaging the Profession to Strengthen the Continuum* | Plaza | 1 CME Credit

Speakers: Robert A. Cain, DO, American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine (AACOM) President & CEO
Mark R. Speicher, PhD, MHA, AACOM Senior Vice President for Medical Education and Research

Description: Hear from AACOM leaders about the evolution of the osteopathic educational ecosystem, opportunities to strengthen education across the continuum and ways the osteopathic medical education community can help meet the nation’s health care needs.
2:55–3:50 p.m.  Afternoon Keynote: Unconscious Bias—What You Don’t Realize That Affects Your Every Life Action | Salon | 1 CME Credit
Introduction: Priya Garg, AOA Chief Engagement & Diversity Officer
Speaker: Bernard L. Lopez, MD, Associate Provost for Diversity & Inclusion, Thomas Jefferson University
Description: How does unconscious bias impact your personal and professional life? Find out what components play into our unconscious biases and practical ways to overcome them.

4:05–5 p.m.  AOA Leadership Town Hall: Challenges and Solutions | Salon | 1 CME Credit
Introduction: Thomas L. Ely, DO, AOA President-elect
Speakers: Kevin Klauer, DO, EJD, AOA CEO
Ronald R. Burns, DO, AOA President
Description: Learn about AOA’s strategic focus areas and AOA’s vision and goals related to osteopathic distinctiveness, principles and recognition. AOA’s advocacy efforts and successes on physician payment issues, including OMT, will also be covered.

5:30–6:30 p.m.  Networking Reception | Resort Pool Deck**
ADVOCACY: 2020 Federal and State Legislative Outlook & Advocacy | Ocean | 1 CME Credit
Speakers:   John-Michael Villarama, MA
Raine Richards, JD
Shannon Scott, DO, AOA Trustee & Bureau of State Government Affairs Chair
Alexis Cates, DO, AOA Trustee
Description: Examine the AOA's State and Federal policy focus areas, current legislative and regulatory trends affecting the osteopathic medical profession and how you can make a difference.

11:10 a.m.–12:05 p.m.  Breakout Session #2
LEADERSHIP/DEVELOPMENT: Physician Burnout: the Literature & Practical Perspectives (Part 2)* | Plaza | 1 CME Credit
Speaker:  Kevin Klauer, DO, EJD, AOA CEO
Description: Join this candid discussion about the extent and impact of the nation’s physician burnout issue, including contributing factors, consequences and solutions.

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12:25–1:35 p.m.  Lunch Keynote: Watson Health: Catalyzing an Era of AI-Enabled Health | Plaza; Remote in Ocean | Will not provide CME credit.
Introduction:  Shannon Scott, DO, Member, AOA Board of Trustees
Speaker:  Anil Jain, MD, FACP, Vice President & Chief Health Information Officer, IBM Watson Health
Description: Be prepared to take your mind on a journey to the intersection of informatics, engineering, technology and research. IBM Watson Health’s Anil Jain, MD, FACP—also a practicing physician and teacher at Cleveland Clinic—will showcase innovations in sustainable technology and explain AI’s impact on health care.

1:50–3 p.m.  Closing Sessions
LEADERSHIP/DEVELOPMENT: Antitrust Lawsuits: What Practicing Physicians Need to Know* Plaza | 1.25 CME Credit
Speaker:  Joshua L. Prober, JD, AOA General Counsel & Senior Vice President
Description: Why do antitrust laws exist? Learn how osteopathic physicians have used them to advance practice rights and why these laws are important to the healthcare industry.

EDUCATION: CME Accreditation: Future Directions* | Ocean | Will not provide CME credit.
Speakers:  Debra Levinthal, DPM
Alanna Kaiser, MPH
Description: What does the future hold for AOA CME? Learn about resources for affiliates to help develop AOA and/or ACCME-accredited CME programs.

*Non-repeating breakout  **Event held outside
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