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## 2020 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Uniformed Services Society of Anesthesiologists (USSA)/Association of Veterans Affairs Anesthesiologists (AVAA) Academic Meeting

### AGENDA

**Friday, October 2, 2020**

*All times are listed in Central Time.*

Jointly provided by the American Society of Anesthesiologists, the Uniformed Services Society of Anesthesiologists, and the Association of Veterans Affairs Anesthesiologists.

**0800– 1600 Registration**

**0900 – 1600 Annual Academic Meeting – All Sessions/Lectures/Panel Sessions**

**0900 – 0930 ASA/USSA/AVAA Welcomes**

**0930 – 1015 “Infection Prevention in the Era of Covid-19: Does the Anesthesiologist Need to Play a Role?”**

**David Birnbach, MD, MPH**

Executive Vice Provost

Miller Professor, Department of Anesthesiology

University of Miami School of Medicine

**1015–1100 “Respectful, Trusting Relationships are Essential for Patient Safety, Especially the Surgeon-Anesthesiologist Dyad”**

**Jeffrey B. Cooper, PhD**

Professor of Anaesthesia, Harvard Medical School

Department of Anesthesia, Critical Care & Pain Medicine, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA

Executive Director Emeritus & Senior Fellow, Center for Medical Simulation

**1100-1145 “Make Blood Whole Again”**

**Samuel A. Tisherman, MD**

Director, Surgical Intensive Care Unit, R Adams Cowley Shock Trauma Center, Baltimore, MD

Professor of Surgery, University of Maryland



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**1145– 1230 Lunch**

**1230-1315 “Preventing Chronic Pain After Trauma”**

**Chester "Trip" Buckenmaier, III, MD, COL, USA, RET**

Director, Defense & Veterans Center for Integrative Pain Management

Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine, Uniformed Services University of Health Sciences

**1315–1400 “Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TCCC) Update”**

**Brendon Drew, MD, CAPT MC USN**

Division Surgeon, 1st Marine Division

Chair, JTS Committee on Tactical Combat Casualty Care

Navy Emergency Medicine Specialty Leader

**1400-1445 “COVID-19 The New York City Experience”**

**David Berlin, MD**

Medical Director, Critical Care Services, NewYork-Presbyterian Weill Cornell Medicine

Director, Medical Intensive Care Unit, New York-Presbyterian Medical Center

Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine, Weill Medical College of Cornell University

**1445-1500 Break**

**1500-1600 State of Specialty – Special Leader Panel**

- Army Specialty Leader – COL David Ruffin
- Air Force Specialty Leader – COL Scott King
- Navy Specialty Leader – CAPT Kyle Berry, MC USN
- Navy Reserve Specialty Leader – CDR Darian Rice, MC USNR

**1500-1600 Leadership Development within the VA/Accademic Medicine**

**1600 Joint Military Annual Academic Meeting Conclusion**



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### Statement of Need

As the only military component society of the American Society of Anesthesiologists (ASA), the USSA represents and serves the unique needs and interests of uniformed anesthesiologists. Its purpose is to serve as a networking and educational platform for all branches of the service. The USSA fosters professionalism, education, and the exchange of ideas through its annual meeting with deployed service members practicing anesthesia in harm's way.

### Target Audience

Anesthesiologists, residents, and medical students who are currently serving in the armed forces, and other practitioners interested in trauma, disaster management, regional anesthesia, and echocardiography.

### Learning Objectives

At the end of this activity, participants will be able to:

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3. Select the link to complete the course evaluation and claim credit.

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