



1607 to 2007: A Colonial Celebration - A Laboratory Revolution

VSCLS Annual Meeting 2007

Educational Sessions
Networking Opportunities
Social Time
Awards (Years of Service, Key to the Future)
Basket Raffle

Tickets sold support the VSCLS Scholarship

The 2007 VSCLS Annual Meeting offers the following:

- P.A.C.E. Approved Continuing Education
- Evening Reception for Attendees
- Morning and Afternoon Breaks
- Special Events

The VSCLS Board of Directors will meet from 5:00 – 7:00 pm on Sunday, April 15, 2007 at the Woodlands Hotel.

This is a great opportunity to learn the role of the different officers and committees within the society. Please come join us.

Hotel Accommodations
Woodlands Hotel & Suites
105 Visitor Center Drive
Williamsburg, VA 23185
(757) 220-7960

<http://www.colonialwilliamsburg.com/visit/stayWithUs/williamsburgWoodlands/>

Room Rates:

Deluxe/Suites \$137

Superior \$114

plus 10% tax and \$2.00 Occupancy Tax per night

Room Reservation Procedures:

All individual reservations must be accompanied by a one night's deposit for room and tax. Individual deposits are refundable, provided notice of cancellation is received by The Resort at least three days prior to arrival. Close of business is 5:00 pm local time. Reservations may be charged to Discover, Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Diner's Club. Credit card deposits are charged at the time the reservation is made. Check-in time is after 4:00 pm. Check-out time is 11:00 am at all Colonial Williamsburg Hotels. Additionally, reservations may be communicated directly through our toll-free number, 800-261-9530. Call and make your reservation **before March 12, 2007** to ensure you get the special rate.

When making reservations be sure to identify yourself as attending the VSCLS Annual Meeting. The hotel booking code is: VIRD07K

Meeting Registration Information:

On-line registration is available at this time. Visit www.vscls.org

To register by U.S. Mail, complete the registration form below.

* Make check payable to: VSCLS Spring Meeting

Mail to:

Donna Odom

Attn: VSCLS Registration

8900 Michaux Lane

Richmond, VA 23229

* Registration forms will not be accepted without full payment. Registration by mail must be postmarked by April 6, 2007. If registering after that date, please use the On-line registration.

Special Events

The Woodlands Hotel extends to the attendees of the VSCLS Annual Meeting the option to purchase a special conference ticket that is good for the duration of the meeting and includes access to Historic Area trade sites and museums. The conferee pass is offered at a rate of \$15 per ticket and can be charged to the individual's room.

A walking Colonial Ghost Tour has been arranged for the VSCLS group on Monday evening at 7:00 pm. The cost for this tour is \$10 and can be added to the registration fee. The tour will begin at the Woodlands Hotel and will last approximately 2 hours. Please dress appropriately for the weather and bring umbrellas if a possibility of rain. Attendees may wish to bring a camera as there will be photo opportunities.

Cancellations and Refunds

All refunds, including those for registrations made on-line with Pay Pal, are paid by check drafted from VSCLS. Due to the limitations of Pay Pal, we are unable to issue refunds directly to your credit card account. Please allow up to 2-3 weeks for your refund check to be mailed. There will be a \$5.00 service charge for processing refunds.

If it becomes necessary for you to cancel your registration, please notify VSCLS in writing prior to April 13, 2007. A registrant must submit a letter or an e-mail containing the request for refund along with the registrant's name, address and the name of the person/institution to which the refund check should be made payable to. If you cannot cancel your registration before April 13, 2007, please consider sending a substitute in your place.

No refunds will be made after April 13, 2007.

Registration Form

Member rates available to the following groups:

ASCLS – VSCLS – RSCLS – VSSAMT – AMT – MAABB – CLMA - ASCP

Member Affiliation: _____

- Full Registration – Member \$125
- Full Registration – Non-member \$150
- Full Registration – Student Member \$45
- Full Registration – Student Non-member \$55
- Single Day Registration – Member \$75
- Single Day Registration – Non-member \$100
- Single Day Registration – Student Member \$15
- Single Day Registration – Student Non-member \$20
- Colonial Ghost Tour – Monday evening \$10

Total Submitted: \$_____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Employer: _____

If Single Day Registration, circle one: Monday or Tuesday

Monday, April 16, 2007

8:00 – 8:30

Registration

8:30 – 10:00 am

Room A

Mumps: An Emerging Infection

Mary Kathryn Yost-Deljev, PhD

Room B

Fight the Bite: Tick Borne Illness in Virginia

Kari Belin, MS

10:00 – 10:30 am

Break

10:30 am – 12 noon

Room A

What Irks the Physician about the Lab & Vice-versa!

Elissa Passiment, MS

Room B

Colonial Medicine

Ted Maguder, PhD

12 noon – 1:30 pm

General Membership Meeting

Open to members of VSCLS in good standing.

Light lunch will be provided.

1:30 – 3:00 pm

Room A

Efficacy of Blood Transfusion

Pam Clark, MD

Room B

Hemostasis: A Delicate Balance

Linda Beck, PhD

3:00 – 3:30 pm

Break

3:30 – 5:00 pm

Room A

Quality Patient Safety

Elissa Passiment, MS

Room B

E. Coli O157:H7, Alternative Method of Molecular Subtyping

Angela Fritzing, PhD

5:30 – 7:00 pm

Award Ceremony & Reception

Join us in recognizing the contributions of VSCLS members to our profession.
Light hors d'oeuvres and drinks will be served.

7:00 pm

Walking Ghost Tour of Historic Williamsburg

Please dress appropriately for the weather and bring umbrellas if a possibility of rain. Attendees may wish to bring a camera as there will be photo opportunities.

Tuesday, April 17, 2007

8:30 – 10:00 am

Room A

eGFR: What is it? Why is it important?

Mary Ann McLane, PhD

Room B

Influenza Table Top Exercise

JoAnn Jellison, MS

10:00 – 10:30 am

Break

10:30 am – 12 Noon

Room A

Renal Physiology and Pathology Review

Mary Ann McLane, PhD

Room B

Ovarian CA: The Laboratory's Role

Teresa Nadder, PhD