

# Management of the Tinnitus & Hyperacusis Patient

23<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE



The University of Iowa

June 12-13, 2015

FOR PROFESSIONALS AND PATIENTS

Department of Otolaryngology — Head and Neck Surgery  
Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders, The University of Iowa

**Intended Audience & Purpose:** This conference is intended for otologists, audiologists, hearing aid specialists, psychologists, and nurses, who provide clinical management services for patients with tinnitus. The purpose of this conference is to provide a review of current evaluation and management strategies for the treatment of tinnitus.

## Guest of Honor:

**Robert Dobie, MD**

University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio

*Research Needs for Understanding and Treating Tinnitus*  
*The Value of Tinnitus : Causation and Compensation Litigation*

## Special Presentations

**Carol Bauer, MD**

*Causes, Mechanisms and Models*

**Tom Brozoski, PhD**

*New insights from animal models*

**Cara James, Executive Director**

*How can the American Tinnitus Association help you?*

**Claudia Coelho, MD**

*Drug Trials – What have we learned / New Directions*

**Shelley Witt, MA**

*Tinnitus Activities Treatment*

**Rich Tyler, PhD**

*Treatments for Loudness and Annoyance Hyperacusis*  
*Measuring Tinnitus – Clinic & Research Strategies*

**Marlan Hansen, MD, Neurotologist**

*Medical Evaluation and Treatments*

**Catherine Woodman, MD, Psychiatrist**

*Psychiatric Evaluation and Treatments*

**Jennifer J. Gans, PsyD**

*Mindfulness-Based Tinnitus Stress Reduction*

**Marc Fagelson, PhD; Audiologist**

*Tinnitus and Trauma*

**Italo Medeiros, MD, Neurotologist**

*Vestibular links to Tinnitus*

**Aniruddha Deshpande, PhD, Audiologist**

*Fitting hearing aids and comfort sound generators*

**Steven Green, PhD**

*Biology of Noise Induced Hearing Loss & Tinnitus*

**Jeanne Oiticica, MD, Neurotologist**

*Effective Somatosensory Treatments*

**Bernd Fritzsich, PhD**

*Hair Cell/Neural Plasticity & Tinnitus*

**Herbert Silverstein, MD, Neurotologist**

*Surgery for Hyperacusis*

**Andrzej Zarowski, MD**

*Peripheral Electrical Stimulation for Tinnitus Suppression*

## Industry Representatives

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### REGISTRATION FORM JUNE 12-13, 2015

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Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRATION FEE includes Thursday's reception, Friday lunch and dinner, Saturday lunch, refreshment breaks, and conference materials.

Physician:	\$595	Tinnitus Patients and Students	\$99
Audiologists, Hearing Aid Specialists, Nurses, Residents and other health care professionals:	\$395	For registration after May 1, 2015 please add an additional \$50	

Make check payable to the **Center for Conferences** and return with completed registration form to:

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**Program Website** <http://www.medicine.uiowa.edu/oto/tinnituscourse/>

**Refund Policy:** All but 15% of the fee is refundable if cancellation is made prior to May 1, 2015.

#### THURSDAY, June 11, 2015

6:00-7:30 pm Welcome Reception

#### **CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS:**

The University of Iowa is the State of Iowa Licensure of Audiologists sponsor # 143. We will provide a certificate verifying your attendance, the program content, and the number of hours you have attended to assist you with CEU requirements in your state.

#### **TRAVEL:**

The Cedar Rapids Airport is 20 miles north of Iowa City. Shuttle service via Airport Shuttle Service to Iowa City is available (phone: 800-725-8460 or 319-337-2340). Cost is \$38 one-way or \$70 round trip. Please notify the shuttle service 24 hours prior to requiring service (date of arrival, flight number, and arrival time into Cedar Rapids).

#### **PARKING:**

Parking rates at the University Hospital: \$17. per day. You may purchase hourly ramp passes in 1, 2, 3, 4 or 10 hour increments at \$1.10 per hour.

Contact [parking-office@uiowa.edu](mailto:parking-office@uiowa.edu)

#### **LODGING:**

The Heartland Inn (1-800-334-3277) ext. 19 or 319-351-8132, 87 2<sup>nd</sup> St. Coralville, IA 52241 USA (I-80 Exit 242). Room rates are \$89.00 per night excluding taxes. When calling, please tell the hotel "Tinnitus Conference" to secure the negotiated rate.

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