Registration
There is no charge for St. Vincent-employed physicians or providers, but is required to pre-register. Students must register for a fee of $15, provided they pre-register. For non-employed providers, the cost is $30. All other registrants are $60 per person. The fee includes the symposium/Hotel/banquet and program book.
You may register for the Symposium online:
https://valvesymposiumstvincent.eventbrite.com

Hotel Information
Attendees have a preferred rate of $215.00 for the evening of May 14, 2015. You may call the hotel directly to make your arrangements.
416-704-0642, or click the following link: https://valvesymposiumstvincent.eventbrite.com

Parking
$20.00 daily self-parking at the JW Marriott, based on availability. This garage also has 2 entrances off of Washington Street – 500 W. Washington Street and 650 W. Washington Street. This Garage is located just across the street from the JW Marriott. Guests can park in this garage and once on the street level, enter the lobby of the JW Marriott on West Street. Although there is no charge for the evening of May 14, 2015. Reservations placed after this date will not receive the special group rate.

Questions?
Contact Suzanne Brown, St. Vincent Medical Group 317-583-3409 or stvincentmed@羡ment.com

Cancellation policy
Cancellations received after May 1, 2015 will not receive a refund.

Method of Teaching
Interactive case presentations, panel discussion and short didactic session.

Evaluation Method
Attendees will answer questions during designated periods and complete an evaluation at the conclusion of the symposium.

Target Audience
Primary Care Physicians, Cardiologists (Interventional, Electrophysiology, General), Cardiovascular Surgeons, Nurse Practitioners, Physicians Assistants and PAs

Needs Assessment
The prevalence of valvular heart disease is growing exponentially, primarily as a result of our aging demographics. There has been an explosion in technologies to evaluate and treat patients with valvular dysfunction. There is a lack of knowledge related to the contemporary diagnostic studies that are required, the current recommendations on when to perform surgical intervention and the latest surgical and interventional therapies. Utilizing both a case-based and didactic approach, this program will provide in-depth review of the echocardiographic CT and MRI evaluation and management of aortic and mitral valve disease. The latest practice guidelines for the management of valvular heart disease will be reviewed. These guidelines will be tied into interactive discussion with the faculty, and some of the more controversial/uncertain aspects of contemporary therapy will be explored in a didactic format.

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Dr. Hermiller has authored or co-authored several books and articles in peer-reviewed journals on root, arch, and thoracoabdominal aortic aneurysms, endovascular aortic surgery, reoperative cardiac surgery, and minimally invasive mitral and aortic valve repair. He has also served as a chairman and member of the program committee for multiple international surgical education events.

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