

**Thursday, February 26**

**PC002 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**ACGME Accreditation Pre-Conference for Osteopathic Programs and Institutions**

This course is intended for osteopathic program directors, DMEs, Chief Officers and others who wish to learn about ACGME accreditation for AOA-approved programs. This course will cover “everything you need to know” about ACGME accreditation. We will discuss the timeline for ACGME accreditation of currently-AOA-approved programs, “pre-accreditation status,” and a guide to completing the application for ACGME accreditation. Additional topics include the history and structure of the ACGME, the structure and function of Review Committees, a review of the Common Program Requirements, and an outline of the Next Accreditation System, including Milestones and the Clinical Learning Environment (CLER) program. The format of the course will include didactic presentations and small-group breakout sessions with ample time for questions.

- 8:00 a.m. Welcome and Introductions**  
*Dr. Timothy Brigham*  
*Dr. Thomas Nasca*  
*Dr. Michael Opipari*
- 8:15 a.m. Part 1: Setting the Stage from 30,000 feet**  
*Dr. Thomas Nasca*
- 9:45 a.m. Break**
- 10:00 a.m. Part 2: Nuts and Bolts of ACGME Accreditation**  
**ACGME Structure**  
**The Next Accreditation System**  
*Dr. John Potts*
- 10:45 a.m. ACGME Accreditation Data Systems: Process of Institutional & Program Accreditation**  
*Ms. Rebecca Miller*
- 11:30 a.m. Program Accreditation**  
**ACGME Common Program Requirements (and “ACGME-speak”)**  
*Dr. John Potts*
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch**
- 12:45 p.m. Part 2: Nuts and Bolts of ACGME Accreditation, continued**  
**Institutional Accreditation**  
*Dr. Kevin Weiss*  
*Dr. Lawrence Opas*
- 1:15 p.m. The Clinical Learning Environment Review**  
*Dr. Kevin Weiss*
- 1:45 p.m. Osteopathic Recognition for Programs**  
*Dr. Robert Cain*
- 2:00 p.m. Milestones and their Role in the Accreditation System**  
*Dr. Eric Holmboe*

- 2:30 p.m. OPTIs in the Single Accreditation System**  
*ACGME Senior Vice President, Osteopathic Accreditation*
- 2:40p.m. Other Specific Accreditation Topics**  
*Dr. John Potts*
- 3:00 p.m. Break**
- 3:15 p.m. Part 3: Town Hall – Questions from the Audience**  
*Dr. Timothy Brigham, Moderator*  
*Dr. Robert Cain*  
*Dr. Malcolm Cox*  
*Dr. Paul Friedmann*  
*Dr. Gregory Smith*  
*Dr. Michael Oipari*  
*Dr. John Potts*
- 5:00 p.m. Adjourn**
- 5:30 p.m. Sunset Sessions**
- Update on Osteopathic Recognition**  
*Dr. Robert Cain*
- Update on Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine Specialty**  
*Dr. Lisa DeStefano*