

## **Course Schedule**

### **January 25, 2018**

7:45 - 8:30 Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 8:35 **Welcome and Conference Goals**

David Feller-Kopman, MD

8:35 - 9:00 **Review of Pleural Anatomy and Physiology**

David Feller-Kopman, MD

9:00 - 9:20 **The Evaluation of Pleural Effusions: Does Light's Criteria Still Apply?**

Richard Light, MD

9:20 - 9:50 **Ultrasound Guidance for Pleural Access**

Diana Yu, MD

9:50 - 10:05 **Questions and Answers**

10:05 - 10:25 Refreshment Break

10:25 - 10:45 **Thoracentesis & Chest Tube Pearls**

Scott Stephens, MD

10:45 - 11:10 **Medical Thoracoscopy**

Lonny Yarmus, MD

11:10 - 11:50 **VATS 101**

Steve Yang, MD

11:50 - 12:00 **Questions and Answers**

12:00 - 1:00 Lunch

1:00 - 1:30 **Parapneumonic Effusion and Empyema**

Errol Bush, MD

1:30 - 2:00 **Management of Malignant Pleural Effusions**

Andrew Lerner, MD

2:00 - 2:25 **Updates in Malignant Mesothelioma**

Joe Friedberg, MD

2:25 - 2:40 **Questions and Answers**

2:40 - 3:00 Refreshment Break

3:00 - 3:25 **Management of Unclear Exudates**

Hitesh Batra, MD

3:25 - 3:45 **Management of Pneumothorax**

Majid Shafiq, MD

3:45 - 4:05 **Pleural Disease Journal Club: The Year in Review**

David Feller-Kopman, MD

4:05 - 4:20 **Credentialing, Coding and Reimbursement**

Hans Lee, MD

4:20 - 4:30 **Questions and Answers**

4:30 Adjourn

**January 26, 2018**

**Hands-on at State Anatomy Lab (human cadavers)**

8:30 – 3:00 pm

30 min / station

Lunch from 12:00 – 12:45

Station A: Semi-rigid thoracoscopy

Station B: Rigid thoracoscopy

Station C: Tunneled pleural catheters

Station D: Mid-level breakout session

Station E: Tube thoracostomy

Station F: Intra-bronchial valve

Station G: Tunneled pleural catheter / tube thoracostomy

Station H: VATS

Station I: meet the professor

Station J: Ultrasound simulator

Faculty:

Drs. Feller-Kopman, Yarmus, Lee, Light, Shafiq, Batra, Lerner, Yu, Broderick, Stephens

PA: David Lichtman, Emily Kluck

NP: Patrick Balao, Kimberly Patel, Jennifer Forti