ISHLT TOWN HALL MEETING
MARCH 2020
OUR PRESENTERS

Stuart Sweet, MD, PhD
ISHLT President
St. Louis Children's Hospital

Jeffrey Teuteberg, MD
ISHLT Past President
Stanford University

Joseph Rogers, MD
ISHLT President-Elect
Duke University Medical Center

Michael Shullo, PharmD
ISHLT Director
WVU Medicine
We will be taking questions at the conclusion of the presentation.
ISHLT COVID-19 RESPONSE

- 40th Annual Meeting scheduled for April 22-25 in Montreal canceled
  - Developing virtual content delivery platform - details to come later this month
- ISHLTConnect COVID-19 Community for members and non-members
  - Active discussions, including resources, experiences, questions, recommendations
- Task Force formed
  - Guidance for Cardiothoracic Transplant Centers regarding SARS CoV-2 infection and COVID-19 document in peer review
- JHLT Publishes First Papers at www.jhltonline.org
  - COVID-19 and Cardiothoracic Transplantation website features the first case series and an accompanying editorial
- ISHLT, AST, UNOS and other organizations working to coordinate efforts
ISHLT ORGANIZATIONAL REMODELING

- Why Now?
- Purposes:
  - Emphasize Interdisciplinarity
  - Optimize Infrastructure
  - Enhance Member Engagement with ISHLT Digital Platform
- Benefits:
  - Expand the Voice of the Members
  - Increase Value for ISHLT Members
Scientific Councils have become either **Interdisciplinary Networks** or **Professional Communities**

A **Leadership Advisory Forum** has been added to ensure the Board receives feedback from a broader set of member voices

**Oversight Committees** have been added to enhance delivery of programs / services
PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITIES

- Expertise based Networking
- Representation in Interdisciplinary Networks and Society Leadership
- Source of Content Expertise for ISHLT Programs/Services
- Entry point for engagement
- Therapy/Disease based Networking
- Connects diverse members of the care team
- Interdisciplinary perspective to ISHLT Leadership via Steering Committees
- Focal Points for how Public / Stakeholders see us
- Align ISHLT programs and services with strategic plan
- Oversee committees responsible for delivering programs and services
- Ensure engagement of a diverse spectrum of members in program/service delivery
LEADERSHIP ADVISORY FORUM

- Chosen to represent ISHLT’s diverse geographic, generational, gender, and specialty constituencies chosen by the Board
- Focus group providing input, feedback and advice
- Identify issues to bring to the Board for consideration
- Stuart Sweet, Chair
Remains responsible for leadership and governance of ISHLT:

- Provides Strategic Direction
- Responsible for resource availability and allocation
- Provides program oversight, assessment and course correction
- Ensures Leadership Pipeline
Oversight Committee Chairs

- Education: Kevin Chan
- Research: Jason Christie
- Early Career and Trainee: Martin Schweiger, Jeff Teuteberg
- Publications: Open

International Engagement has been woven into the fabric of the new structure.

Interdisciplinary Network Chairs

- Advanced Heart Failure and Transplant: Marta Farrero Torres
- Pulmonary Vascular Disease: Ioana Preston
- Advanced Lung Failure and Transplant: Glen Westall
- Mechanical Circulatory Support: Diyar Saeed
- Revise your membership record to specify your Professional Community and Interdisciplinary Networks
- Participate on ISHLTConnect Professional Communities and Interdisciplinary Networks
- Professional Community representatives to the Interdisciplinary Network Steering Committees will be posted on ISHLTConnect and ISHLT website
- Ideas move from Professional Communities to Interdisciplinary Networks to Oversight Committees for action
- Engage with ISHLT content and virtual activities as we become a “year-round” organization in response to the meeting cancellation.
- Provide us with your feedback. ISHLT will survey members and measure progress and outcomes.
Access chat by clicking the chat icon in the upper right corner of your screen:

Type your question or comment into the chat window. If you would like to speak, let us know. The moderator will call on you.

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THANK YOU

Dedicated to improving the care of patients with advanced heart or lung disease through transplantation, mechanical support and innovative therapies.