

Know Before You Go!

Preparing for the SCOMS Winter CME Conference

The [2023 SCOMS Winter CME Conference](#) is just days away and we want you to be prepared!

Here you will find all the important conference material, such as [Conference Agenda](#), [Program Booklet](#), [Meet The Speakers](#), and [List of Attendees](#).

The 2-hour session on [Controlled Substance Prescribing and Monitoring](#) is available online until March 17. You will complete one Attestation Form at the conference for all of your CME credits, which will be filed with the AOA for you.

Conference Attire is **Business Casual**.

SCOMS wishes to thank our generous supporters: [VCOM-Carolinas, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare Physician Recruitment](#), [U.S. Army Medical Recruiting Station](#), [The Tyger River Group at Morgan Stanley](#), [CORA Physical Therapy](#), [Lexington Medical Center Physician Recruitment](#), [Tidelands Health at MUSC](#), [Butterfly Network](#), [United Community Bank](#), [South Carolina AHEC](#), [PRISMA Health Midland Family Medicine Residency Group](#), and [Oak Street Health](#).

Be sure to visit the Exhibit Hall and have your form signed at each table. Completed cards will be entered into a drawing for **complimentary registration to the 2024 Winter CME Conference!**



Sonesta Resort Hilton Head Island

The [Sonesta Resort Hilton Head Island](#) is an oceanfront resort that offers multiple [on-site restaurants](#), a fitness center, a lagoon-style pool, and a full-service [Arum Spa](#). Enjoy easy access to tennis, golf, the beach, bicycle rentals, and much more.

Check the [10-day forecast](#) for Hilton Head weather.

[Visit Hilton Head](#) provides a wealth of info on See& Do, Dining, Events, Golf, and more.



Friday Evening Buffet Dinner & Silent Auction

Conference attendees will gather at the Beach Pavilion for a Dinner Buffet and Silent Auction on Friday evening from 6 to 8 p.m.

Each attendee will receive two (2) complimentary drink tickets. Additional drinks may be purchased by a room charge or with cash.

The Silent Auction will offer a host of items:

- **Two-night stay at any Sonesta Resort**
- **Ray-Ban Sunglasses**
- **Chromebook Tablet**
- **A Wine Lover's Basket**
- **Dagne Dover Bag**
- **VCOM Fan Basket**
- **Jewelry**

Final bids must be placed by 7:30 p.m. on Friday. Winning bids must be claimed and purchased by 2 p.m. on Saturday. Check, cash, and credit cards accepted for payment.



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Informal Networking on Saturday Evening

Gather with your colleagues at Bayley's Bar and Savannah Room on Saturday evening from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. for informal networking. Appetizers will be provided.



Congratulations to 10 Finalists Selected for Poster Presentations

Students, Residents, and Fellows submitted case studies and research projects for the 2023 SCOMS Poster Contest.

The 10 Finalists below were selected and the Top Three Winners will be named at the Winter CME Conference.

- **Patrick W. Ruane, OMS-III**
- **Nicholas Minner, OMS-II**
- **Harsh Jha, OMS-III**

- Callaham Brock, OMS-II & Dipal Mistry, OMS-II
- Jordan Paugh, OMS-II & Rebecca Dudley, OMS-II
- Samantha Houston, OMS-III
- Victoria Mae Koniuk, OMS-II
- Kristina Freund, DO & Brandon Blackwell, DO
- Natalie R. LaGattuta, OMS-III & Taylor C. Wilson, OMS-III
- Rayhan Karimi, OMS-II & Danielle Drew, OMS-II

All 10 posters will be on display in the Exhibit Hall so be sure to stop by and chat with the finalists.

Special thanks to **Dr. Raymond Romano** for serving as Chairman of the Poster Contest.



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Be DO Proud! Merchandise Available

\$39 Fleece Jacket, \$14 T-shirt, \$12 Tumbler



The image features a promotional graphic for SCOMS (South Carolina Osteopathic Medical Society) merchandise. At the top left is the SCOMS logo, which is a circular emblem containing a caduceus (a staff with two snakes entwined and wings at the top), a palm tree, and a crescent moon. The text "SOUTH CAROLINA OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL SOCIETY" is written around the perimeter of the circle. To the right of the logo are three items of apparel: a dark blue t-shirt, a white insulated tumbler, and a dark blue zip-up hoodie. Below these items is a dark blue rectangular callout box containing text.

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