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# 8TH ANNUAL UPDATES IN DIGESTIVE DISEASES

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# CONFERENCE DESCRIPTION

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**The overall goal of this activity is to deliver clinical updates directly applicable to gastroenterologists' daily practice. It will feature presentations by renowned experts who have authored the latest guidelines for conditions such as ulcerative colitis, acute lower GI bleeding, and metabolic-associated fatty liver disease.** Additionally, the conference will cover important topics, including the management of inflammatory bowel disease, dysplasia and surgery, challenging cases involving colon polyps and rectal cancer, pancreatic cyst management, surgical approaches to metastatic liver disease, as well as the management of Barrett's esophagus and gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD). To enhance the learning experience, didactic sessions will be complemented by multidisciplinary case discussions, allowing participants to explore commonly encountered clinical situations typically seen in community gastroenterology practice.

The primary goal of this activity is to deliver up-to-date and evidence-based education, equipping highly trained healthcare professionals with the knowledge and skills required for the accurate diagnosis and effective management of gastrointestinal and liver diseases. By providing the latest advancements in the field, the conference aims to support healthcare professionals in delivering the highest level of patient care and improving patient outcomes.

## TARGET AUDIENCE

This activity is designed for physicians, nurses, advanced practice nurses, physician assistants, and other healthcare professionals dedicated to preventing and treating gastrointestinal diseases.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to:

- *State the latest guidelines for ulcerative colitis diagnosis and treatment, GI bleeding, metabolic liver disease, and GERD;*
- *Outline the appropriate management of IBD-associated dysplasia, when to refer to a specialized GI cancer clinic, and how to treat pancreatic cysts appropriately;*
- *Describe surgical approaches to complex penetrating Crohn's disease, rectal cancer, metastatic disease, and reflux;*
- *Discuss the advanced endoscopic approach to colon polyp resection and Barrett's esophagus treatment;*
- *Evaluate different views in controversial areas in gastrointestinal and liver disease management.*

## OUTCOMES

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will have acquired critical knowledge to improve their ability to treat patients with gastrointestinal diseases.

## ACCREDITATION AND CREDIT DESIGNATION PHYSICIAN CREDIT

The University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing

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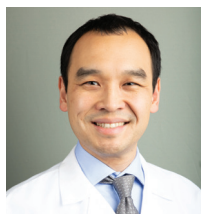
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Check-in time is 3 pm and check-out time is 12 pm.

# CONFERENCE FACULTY

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## Course Co-Directors



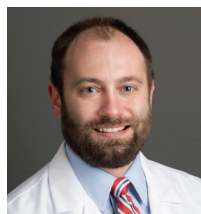
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### **Sonia Kupfer, MD**

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Director for Surgical Cancer Quality, UCM  
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Associate Director of Health Services Research,  
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### **Joel Pekow, MD**

Associate Professor of Medicine

### **Mary E. Rinella, MD**

Professor of Medicine  
Director, Clinical Trials in Gastroenterology and  
Hepatology  
Co-Chair, AASLD Steatotic Liver Disease Task  
Force  
Director, Metabolic and Fatty Liver Disease

### **David T. Rubin, MD**

Joseph B. Kirsner Professor of Medicine  
Professor of Pathology  
Chief, Section of Gastroenterology, Hepatology  
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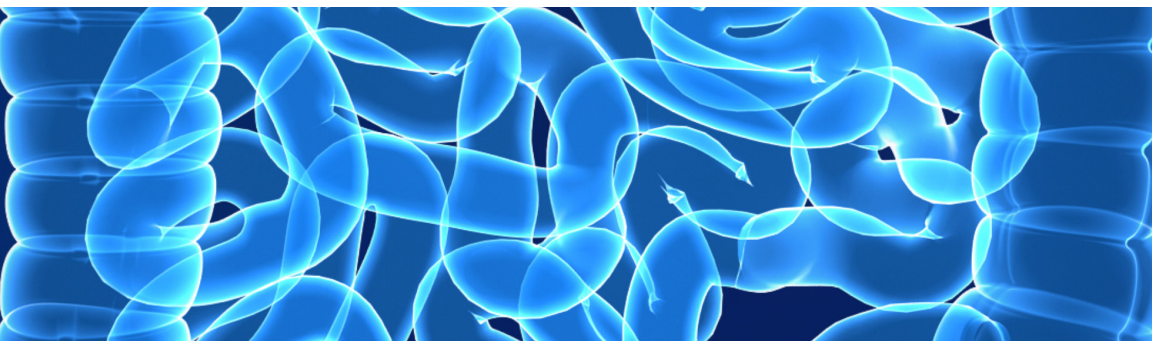
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### **Kinga Skowron Olortegui, MD, MS**

Assistant Professor of Surgery





# CONFERENCE AGENDA

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2023

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7:30 a.m. **REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST**

8:00 **Welcome** Conference Co-Directors: Dennis Chen, MD; Tenzin Choden, MD; Sushila Dalal, MD; and Benjamin Shogan, MD

## **Session I: Updates in Inflammatory Bowel Disease**

Moderator: Tenzin Choden, MD

8:05 **Intro to The University of Chicago IBD Center**  
David Rubin, MD

8:10 **Learning from the Author: Guidelines for Ulcerative Colitis Diagnosis and Management** David Rubin, MD

8:40 **Management of IBD Associated Dysplasia**  
Joel Pekow, MD

9:00 **Surgical Management of Penetrating Crohn's Disease: Intra-Abdominal Abscesses And Perianal Disease**  
Kinga Skowron Olortegui, MD

9:20 **Q & A Panel Discussion**

9:35 **Multidisciplinary Case Review**

10:00 **BREAK**

## **Session II: Updates in Benign and Malignant Colorectal Disease**

Moderator: Benjamin Shogan, MD

10:15 **When to Refer to High Risk GI Cancer Clinic**  
Sonia Kupfer, MD

10:45 **Endoscopic Resection of Colon Polyps**  
Uzma Siddiqui, MD

11:10 **Updates in the Management of Rectal Cancer**  
Ben Shogan, MD

11:30 **Learning from the Author: Guidelines for Management of Patients with Acute Lower GI Bleeding** Neil Sengupta, MD

11:50 **Q & A Panel Discussion**

12:05 p.m. **Multidisciplinary Case Review**

12:30 **LUNCH**

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## **Session III: Updates in Hepatopancreaticobiliary Disease**

Moderator: Dennis Chen, MD


- 1:15 **Intro to the Center for Endoscopic Research and Therapeutics**  
Dennis Chen, MD
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- 1:20 **Learning from the Author: Guideline for Diagnosis and Management of Metabolic Dysfunction Associated Steatotic Liver Disease (formerly NAFLD)** Mary Rinella, MD
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- 1:50 **Updates in Diagnosis and Management of Pancreatic Cysts**  
Bradford Chong, MD
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- 2:10 **Management of Metastatic Disease in the Liver**  
Ryan Merkow, MD, MS
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- 2:30 **Q & A Panel Discussion**
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- 2:45 **Multidisciplinary Case Review**
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- 3:10 **BREAK**
- ## **Session IV: Updates in Gastroesophageal Reflux Management**
- Moderator: Sushila Dalal, MD
- 3:25 **Intro to Center for Esophageal Diseases**  
Robert Kavitt, MD, MPH
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- 3:30 **Guidelines for the Diagnosis and Management of GERD**  
Robert Kavitt, MD, MPH
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- 4:00 **Endoscopic Management of Barrett's Esophagus**  
Dennis Chen, MD
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- 4:20 **Updates in Surgical Management of Reflux**  
Mustafa Hussain, MD
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- 4:40 **Q & A Panel Discussion**
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- 4:55 **Multidisciplinary Case Review**
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- 5:20 **Adjourn/Reception**
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# REGISTRATION INFORMATION

## How To Register

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