



32nd Annual Scientific Session

*held in conjunction with the
3rd Session of the
IAIME MedicoLegal Institute*

**EARN
up to
24.75 CME
Credits**

JANUARY 16th - 19th

THE WESTIN LA PALOMA
Tucson, AZ

This course teaches everything from A to Z about being
a MedicoLegal evaluator and running your IME practice.

PARTNERSHIP PROSPECTUS

Arizona

WHAT EXHIBITORS ARE SAYING

A returning publishing company rep says

“This is a great meeting for me.”

A case manager exudes

“This meeting has given me access to a new pool of doctors.”

A software designer tells us

“I have many new qualified leads.”

EDUCATION FIRST

Our regular CME activities provide education for more than 1,000 physicians annually.

PHYSICIAN-LEARNER OPINIONS

“Best access to experts”

“Excellent critical approach”

“Refreshing teaching methods”

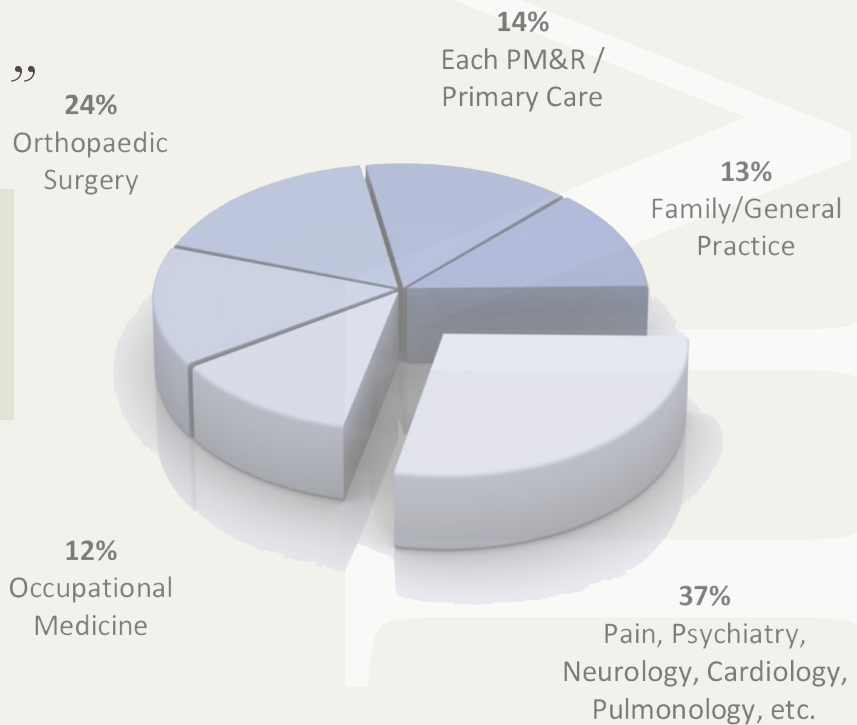
“Great value”

“Outstanding teaching talent”

“I can implement this information immediately.”

“This meeting has changed my whole practice.”

“Whole new career option for me”



Our member base is comprised of 23 specialties from the American Board of Medical Specialists (ABMS)

NEW THIS YEAR

IAIME CERTIFICATIONS

As you may recall, last year we announced IAIME's new certification in medicolegal evaluation through the completion of the newly designed examination entitled Certified MedicoLegal Evaluation (CMLE). The examination covers foundational topics in medicolegal evaluation, including the principles underlying evidence-based medicine, impairment and disability. The successful completion of the examination results in the new credential: IAIME Certified MedicoLegal Evaluator (CMLE). Please note that while your CEDIR certification qualifies you for the CMLE certification, the underlying CEDIR certification is valid only until January 2021, at which time you will need to re-sit for the CMLE exam in order to maintain active certification.

Additional qualifications are now available in the AMA Guides for 4th, 5th, and 6th Editions. These additional qualifications are only available to you once you pass the CMLE exam. Once you successfully complete the supplementary questions relating to the specific edition of the Guides you require, you will receive a credential entitled: IAIME Certified MedicoLegal Evaluator (CMLE) with Added Qualification in the AMA Guides, XXth Edition.

As IAIME grows, our membership specialties grow with it! As a result, we have expanded the IAIME certification offering to include non-medical certification (for those specialties who may not have medical doctor credentials, such as Physical Therapist, Nurse, Chiropractor, etc.). This exam is entitled "AMA Guides for Impairment Disability – XXth Edition" and will be awarded to those that complete the training and successfully pass the online 100-question exam directly related to the AMA Guides Edition required in their state.

Regardless of which exam you select for your own certification benefit, the process is the same. First, you must register for/purchase the Exam(s) you require. Once received, our IAIME team will then send you a link that you will use to take the exam(s) you registered for. Your online open-book exam is set up for a limited time; once you begin, you will only have a certain amount of time to complete (time available depends upon the exam selected). Once your testing is complete, within 2 weeks, you will be notified by the Exam proctor as to your grade (70% is the minimum passing grade). Subsequent exam links (Additional AMA Guides Qualifications) will be sent to you if registered. Certification will be sent within 30 days of successful completion of your exam.

Please contact any one of our Board or Veritas team members with questions you might have. We look forward to the opportunity of adding new certifications to your CV.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Friday 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

IAIME Reception

Friday 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

SDPM Foundation Casino Night "FUN"draiser Event!! Everyone is invited to donate and participate! See registration for details!

Thursday 5:30 pm – 6:00 pm

SDPM Board of Directors Meeting (Closed)

Saturday 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm

IAIME Board of Directors Meeting (Closed)

IAIME MedicoLegal Institute: The Science, Art and Practice of Medical Evaluation – Needs and Objectives

The education, training and skill set required for independent medical evaluating physicians exceeds that required for treating physicians resulting in a learning gap, which, if not addressed, will lead to poor results for injured or ill persons and all other stakeholders. IAIME's 'The Science, Art and Practice of Medical Evaluation' is designed to:

1. Understand the various nuances of different examinations to assert injury, impairment and disability (workers comp, social security, personal injury, federal jurisdictions)
2. Identify the complexity of concussion medical conditions. Various approaches to examination, determination of injury and appropriate treatments
3. Understand the appropriate imaging studies for the evaluation of spinal disorders. There should be increased skill in interpretation of such imaging and applications to the medical condition
4. Understand the role for ESI in the treatment regimen of spinal disorders
5. Understand thought processes in determining the causation of an industrial injury

IAIME Annual Scientific Session – Needs and Objectives

The focus of IAIME's 32nd Annual meeting is on evidence-based knowledge, techniques and procedures that enhance independent medical evaluation, injury prevention and injury treatment. The education, training and skill set required for independent medical evaluation exceeds that required in the clinical setting resulting in a learning gap, which, if not addressed, will lead to poor results for injured or ill persons and for all other stakeholders. The objective of IAIME's 32nd Annual meeting is to close this gap and to provide independent medical evaluators with the knowledge and tools to enhance practice performance and to improve outcomes for injured persons and other stakeholders by:

1. Apply EBM principles in treatment and evaluation of injured person
2. Understand principles better of causation of industrial injuries
3. Enhance on report writing and principles of running a successful IME. AME, DD, forensic practice
4. Improvement of testifying at deposition
5. Understand techniques of interrogation to ascertain false statements

Accreditation Statement

IAIME is accredited with commendation by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. IAIME designates this IAIME Medical Legal Institute:

The Science, Art and Practice of Medical Evaluation educational activity for a maximum of 14.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ IAIME designates the 2019 Annual Scientific Session for a maximum of 10 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim the amount of credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in these activities.

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED FOR: Physicians, Chiropractors, Case Managers, Claims Representatives, Psychologists, Allied Health Professionals including Physical Therapists, Occupational Health Nurses and Legal Insurance or Risk Management Professionals

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*Invited Guest Presenters

IAIME MedicoLegal Institute:
The Science, Art and Practice of MedicoLegal Evaluation - Part I

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16

7:00 am - 8:00 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:00 am - 9:00 am	The Important Role of the Medical Expert in Workers' Compensation The Honorable LuAnn Haley and The Honorable David B. Torrey - Administrative Law Judges
9:00 am - 9:45 am	Evaluating First Responders Fabrice Czernecki, MD
9:45 am - 10:15 am	BREAK
10:15 am - 11:15 am	Physical Therapy and Appropriateness of Care Michael DuBois, PT
11:15 am - 11:45 am	Panel Discussion (Morning Presentation Follow Up) Judge Haley, Judge Torrey, Dr. Czernecki and Dr. DuBois
11:45 am - 12:30 pm	LUNCH
12:30 pm - 2:30 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #1: Breaking Good News (Interviewing Techniques for IME's/Disability Evaluations) Barry Gelinas, MD, DC, FIAIME and Les Kertay, PhD, ABPP
12:30 pm - 2:30 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #2: Testimony Skills Lee Ensalada, MD
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	BREAK
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #1: Motivation and Chronic Pain in Athletes Alex Auerbach, PhD
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #2: Electrodiagnostic Studies Edward Dagher, MD

IAIME MedicoLegal Institute:
The Science, Art and Practice of MedicoLegal Evaluation - Part II

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17

7:00 am - 8:00 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Finding the Medical Expert Credible: Perspectives of Two WC Judges The Honorable LuAnn Haley and The Honorable David B. Torrey - Administrative Law Judges
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Plaintiff and Defense Attorney Perspectives Barry MacBan, JD
10:00 am - 10:30 am	BREAK
10:30 am - 11:30 am	SDPM Foundation Presentation - Medical Mimics of Musculoskeletal Conditions Mark Hyman, MD
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	PANEL DISCUSSION (Morning Presentation Follow Up) Judge Haley, Judge Torrey, Dr. Eskay-Auerbach, Dr. Hyman
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	LUNCH
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #1: Causation Analysis: The Standard Method, with Case Examples Robert Barth, PhD
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #2: Imaging James Talmage, MD
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	BREAK
3:30 pm - 5:30 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #1: Complex Regional Pain Syndrome: Refresher Course Robert Barth, PhD
3:30 pm - 5:30 pm	WORKSHOP OPTION #2: IME/Testimony (Workshop) Marjorie Eskay-Auerbach, MD, JD

IAIME 32nd Annual Scientific Session

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18

7:00 am - 8:00 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:00 am - 9:30 am	Apportionment and Causation Mark Melhorn, MD
9:30 am - 10:15 am	Is Minor Trauma An Independent Predictor of Low Back Pain: A 10-Year Follow Up Study Eugene Carragee, MD
10:15 am - 10:45 am	BREAK
10:45 am - 12:00 pm	Evidence Based Medicine: Evaluating the Evidence James Talmage, MD
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	LUNCH
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Medically Unexplained Symptoms and Iatrogenicity Garson Caruso, MD
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	BREAK
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Medically Unexplained Symptoms and Iatrogenicity Les Kertay, PhD and Garson Caruso, MD
5:00 pm - 5:10 pm	Outgoing Presidential Address James Williams, MD, FIAIME
5:10 pm - 5:20 pm	Incoming Presidential Address Marjorie Eskay-Auerbach, MD, JD, FIAIME
5:20 pm - 5:45 pm	IAIME Annual Business Meeting Charles Xeller, MD, FIAIME Immediate Past President, IAIME Presiding Officer
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	IAIME Reception
6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	SDPM Foundation Casino Night "FUN"draiser Event!

SATURDAY, JANUARY 19

7:00 am - 8:00 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Science-Based Medicine Stephen Novella, MD
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Car Crashes: Biomechanics, Intuitive and Counter-Intuitive Injury Mechanisms Jeffrey A. Pike
10:00 am - 10:30 am	BREAK
10:30 am - 11:30 am	Post-Traumatic Headache and Treatment Joshua Hasbani, MD



EXHIBIT

EXHIBIT HOURS - CANYON FOYER

IAIME offers you the opportunity to build your knowledge and your business by interacting with the top providers in this area. Our exhibitor fair offers you the opportunity to build these important industry relationships.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast with Exhibitors
9:45 am – 10:15 am	Morning Break with Exhibitors
11:45 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch with Exhibitors
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Afternoon Break with Exhibitors

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast with Exhibitors
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Morning Break with Exhibitors
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch with Exhibitors
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Afternoon Break with Exhibitors

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast with Exhibitors
10:15 am – 10:45 am	Morning Break with Exhibitors
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch with Exhibitors
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Afternoon Break with Exhibitors

SATURDAY, JANUARY 19

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast with Exhibitors
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Morning Break with Exhibitors

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES 2019

GOLD | EXHIBIT AREA MEALS & WIFI | \$7,500

Includes exhibit at 1 IAIME Training Course

BREAKFAST (Limit 3) \$7,500

Sponsor breakfast on the same day so that all attendees can enjoy a breakfast and visit the exhibit hall. Sponsorship signage will be provided at breakfast. **Day of breakfast will be assigned at a first come, first serve basis.**

CONFERENCE INTERNET ACCESS CODE (Limit 1) \$7,500

Your company name will become the code that all attendees must use to access WIFI in the conference area

- Includes food/beverage and event marketing
- Premium exhibit assignment included
- Draped table with chairs
- 4 exhibitor badges
- 4 tickets to IAIME Reception
- Recognition signage for meals or internet code
- ½ page advertisement included in program
- Company link on conference website
- Logo recognition on conference website
- Recognition in conference program
- Recognition on mass marketing emails
- Attendee list sent prior to event

SILVER | MEMBER RECEPTION (LIMIT 1) | \$5,000 | EARLY BIRD (BY DECEMBER 15) \$4,500

Be the first to welcome and spend time with our members. Our Friday night IAIME Member Reception includes a 10-minute update or introduction of your product or company and attendance by up to 3 of your company representatives.

Your premium exhibit space and up to 3 badges are included in this package.

- Includes faculty food and administrative coordination
- Premium exhibit assignment
- Draped table with chairs
- 3 exhibitor badges
- 3 tickets to Member Reception
- 1/2 page advertisement in program
- Recognition signage at entrance of dinner
- Logo recognition on conference website
- Recognition in conference program
- Recognition on mass marketing emails
- Attendee list sent prior to event

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES 2019

BRONZE | \$3,500 | EARLY BIRD (BY DECEMBER 15) \$3,000

- **Standing display and equipment is allowed**
- Draped table with chairs
- 3 exhibitor badges
- 3 tickets to IAIME Member Reception
- Company name on conference website
- Recognition in conference program

EXHIBITOR/TABLE TOP EXHIBITS ONLY | \$2,000 | EARLY BIRD (BY DECEMBER 15) \$1,500

- **NO floor standing display or equipment**
- Draped table with chairs
- 2 exhibitor badges
- 2 tickets to IAIME Member reception
- Company name on conference website
- Recognition in conference program
- Attendee list given at exhibitor check-in



THE WESTIN LA PALOMA RESORT & SPA

3800 E. Sunrise Drive | Tucson, Arizona

IAIME ROOM RATE: \$189/night, not including applicable taxes, + \$10 per night Resort Services Fee

IAIME RATE VALID: January 14 - January 20, 2019

IAIME RATE DEADLINE: December 18, 2018 by 5:00 pm MST

RESERVATIONS: 520.742.6000

westinlapalomaresort.com

PROPERTY LOCATION AND AREA INFORMATION

The Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa is so much more than a place to stay. Our property is a place to restore well-being to your body and soul. Whether you're relaxing in your Westin Heavenly® Bed, visiting the spa, eating at one of our 8 on-site restaurants, or participating in our engaging and exciting activities, you'll feel refreshed and at peace during your Arizona getaway.

The Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa has five spectacular pools and features one of Tucson's longest resort water slides—the 177-foot SlideWinder! Enjoy the Arizona sun year-round by enjoying the serene and relaxing adult pool. Or, work on your wellness in the stress relieving mineral pool. Guests of all ages can relax on a hotel lounge chair, zip down the water slide, or enjoy a beverage and snack from the swim-up Sabino's Pool Bar & Grill.

SOME ITEMS TO NOTE FOR YOUR EDUCATIONAL GETAWAY!

- ◆ Five outdoor pools
- ◆ 177 Foot Water Slide
- ◆ Swim-up pool Bar & Grill
- ◆ Cabanas available for rent
- ◆ Mineral Pool
- ◆ Red Door Salon & Spa
- ◆ In-Room Massage
- ◆ Fitness Center

2019 ANNUAL MEETING PARTNERSHIP PROSPECTUS

January 16-19, 2019 | Tucson, Arizona

Exhibiting companies agree to abide by all requirements of the ACCME Standards for Commercial Support, Rush University Medical Center will ensure that all decisions relating to the educational content of the CME activity are made free of the control of the exhibitors. Exhibit space at this CME activity has not and will not be given as a condition of grants or commercial support but is a fee for rental of space only.

COMPANY NAME (As it should appear on printed material)

CONTACT PERSON (Individual to whom all exhibitor information will be forwarded)

TITLE

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

TELEPHONE

FAX

EMAIL

COMPANY PRODUCT

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE

BADGES (Please look at partnership opportunity descriptions to determine your badge allotment.)

REPRESENTATIVE NAME	TITLE	EMAIL ADDRESS	PHONE
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GOLD

ADDITIONAL ATTENDEES

ONLY

EXHIBIT SPACE RENTAL AND PROMOTIONAL SPONSORSHIPS

* Early bird pricing will be valid on or before December 15, 2018 for SILVER, BRONZE and EXHIBITOR.

			Early Bird Pricing (until 12/15/18)
<input type="checkbox"/> GOLD	<input type="checkbox"/> Breakfast (3 available) or <input type="checkbox"/> Wifi	\$7,500	
<input type="checkbox"/> SILVER*	Member Reception (1 available on Friday)	\$5,000	\$4,500
<input type="checkbox"/> BRONZE*		\$3,500	\$3,000
<input type="checkbox"/> EXHIBITOR* (Tabletop exhibit only. No floor standing signage or equipment)		\$2,000	\$1,500

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Method of Payment: Check (Make check payable to IAIME and mail to 1061 E. Main St. Suite 300 - East Dundee, IL 60118, Attention Debbi)

Credit Card: Visa MC AMEX EIN # 36-3654497

CARD NUMBER EXPIRATION DATE CCV CODE TOTAL \$

NAME ON CARD SIGNATURE

BILLING ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE)

Contact Debbi Frigo with questions or to confirm your exhibit

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