



## 2021 Multiple System Atrophy Annual Patient & Family Conference

Held Virtually September 30 - October 2, 2021

Agenda as of 9/15/2021; Subject to Change

<b>Monday, September 20 (MSA Coalition Week)</b>			
Time (EST)	Session Title	Speaker(s)	Affiliation
12:00pm EST (Broadcast)	Video Opening: MSA TODAY		
On-Demand	MSA Coalition - Through the Years		
On-Demand	MSA: The Road Ahead	Tom Chelimsky, MD	Medical College of Wisconsin
<b>Tuesday, September 21</b>			
On-Demand	MSA Coalition Financial Overview	Carol Langer, Treasurer	MSA Coalition
<b>Wednesday, September 22</b>			
On-Demand	MSA Coalition Research Overview	Pam Bower, Board Secretary	MSA Coalition
<b>Thursday, September 23</b>			
On-demand	MSA Coalition Education & Resources	Don Crouse, Vice Chair	MSA Coalition
<b>Friday, September 24</b>			
10:00am - 11:00am EST	Support Group International (Patients and Care Partners)	Ian Pickford	MSA Trust
10:00am - 11:00am EST	Support Group (Care Partners - East Coast/Central)	Tom Tait	
		Victoria Pena-Cardinali, LCSW	Capital Health, MSANJ
		Bill Underwood	MSA Coalition
11:00am - 12:00pm EST	Support Group (Patients - East Coast/Central)	Lisa Hale, LMSW	Vanderbilt University, MSA Coalition
1:00pm - 2:00pm EST	Support Group (Care Partners - West Coast/Mountain)	Diane Graham	MSA Coalition
		Chidimma Nguma, MSN, GNP, ANP-BC, ACHPN	University of Texas SW
		Erin Taylor, LICSW	
2:00pm - 3:00pm EST	Support Group (Patients - West Coast/Mountain)	Jim Davis	
<b>Monday, September 27 (Community Partners)</b>			
Time (EST)	Session Title	Speaker(s)	Organization
		David Stamler, MD	Alterity Therapeutics
On-Demand	Introduction to Phase 2 Program in MSA	Daniel Claassen, MD, MS	Vanderbilt, MSA Coalition Board of Directors, Medical Advisory Board Liaison
On-Demand	Inspirations: Living Life to the Fullest with MSA	Kym Roemer, Frank & Barbara Tinari	MSA NJ
On-Demand (recording in English & French)	Alpha-Synuclein and Disease Mechanisms in MSA	V. Pena-Cardinali, LCSW, Julia Landicho	MSA NJ
		Pierre-Olivier Fernagut, PhD	ARAMISE
<b>Tuesday, September 28</b>			
Time (EST)	Session Title	Speaker(s)	Organization
On-Demand	Multidisciplinary Approach for People with MSA	Patrick Cras, MD, PhD	MSA Belgium
		Jill Lyons	
On-Demand	Fatigue and Sleep Issues in MSA	Samantha Pavey	MSA Trust
<b>Wednesday, September 29</b>			
Time (EST)	Session Title	Speaker(s)	Organization
On-Demand	Brain Donation and the Importance of Advanced Planning	Robin Riddle	Brain Support Network
		Pierre-Olivier Fernagut, PhD	ARAMISE
12:00pm - 12:45pm EST	Global Community Partner Panel-Live Presentation	Patrick Cras, MD, PhD	MSA Belgium
<b>Thursday, September 30 (Live - Kick-off)</b>			
Time (EST)	Session Title	Speaker(s)	Organization
3:30pm EST	Welcome Remarks	Cyndi Roemer, Chair	MSA Coalition
3:30pm - 4:00pm EST	Fireside Chat: Connect Learn Inspire -- Where Have We Come From, Where Are We Going	Wolfgang Singer, MD	Mayo Clinic
		Phillip Low, MD	Mayo Clinic
4:00pm - 4:45pm EST	Virtual Mix and Mingle - Networking Reception	Sheila Lyons, Executive Director	MSA Coalition
<b>Friday, October 1, 2021 (Live)</b>			
Time (EST)	Session Title	Speaker(s)	Organization
9:00am - 10:00am EST	<b>Concurrent Break-Outs</b>		
	Session 1: Management of Autonomic Failure, Live Q&A	Kamal Shouman, MD	Mayo Clinic
	Session 2: Sleep in MSA: From Stridor to REM sleep Behavior Disorder, Live Q&A	Michael Silber, MD	Mayo Clinic
10:00am - 10:30am EST	Break		
10:30am - 11:30am EST	Management of Motor Aspects of MSA, Live Q&A	Guillaume Lamotte, MD	Mayo Clinic
11:30am - 12:30pm EST	Break & Networking (Exhibit Hall)		
12:30pm - 3:00pm EST	<b>Research Panel with Live Q&amp;A</b>		
12:30pm - 1:00pm EST	Daniel Claassen	Daniel Claassen, MD, MS	Vanderbilt; MSA Coalition Board of Directors, Medical Advisory Board Liaison

1:00pm - 1:30pm EST	Vik Khurana	Vik Khurana, MD, PhD	Harvard; MSA Coalition Board of Directors, Scientific Advisory Board Liaison
1:30pm - 2:05pm EST	Gal Bitan	Gal Bitan, PhD	UCLA
2:05pm - 2:15pm EST	INTERMISSION		
2:15pm - 3:00pm EST	Live Q&A		
3:00pm - 3:30pm EST	Break		
3:30pm - 4:30pm EST	<b>Concurrent Break-Outs</b>		
Session 1	A Young Life Interrupted: Stepping into the Caregiving Role at an Unconventional Age, Live Q&A	Topher Schott	MSA Coalition
		Adrienne Glusman	MSA Coalition
Session 2	Anxiety, Depression, and Coping with Multiple System Atrophy, Live Q&A	Gregory Pontone, MD, MHS	John Hopkins University
4:30pm EST	"World MSA Day" Candle lighting (Re-Broadcast ONLY)		
<b>Day Concludes</b>			
<b>Saturday, October 2, 2021 (Live)</b>			
<b>Time (EST)</b>	<b>Session Title</b>	<b>Speaker(s)</b>	<b>Organization</b>
9:00am - 10:00am EST	How Good Are We At Diagnosing MSA?, Live Q&A	Gregor Wenning, MD, PhD	MSA Coalition Scientific Advisory Board Chair; President, Bishop Karl Golser Foundation
10:00am - 10:30am EST	Break		
10:30am - 12:30pm EST	Medical Panel with Live Q&A: the Value of a Multidisciplinary Care Team		Mayo's MSA Clinic
10:30am - 10:45am EST	Introduction & the Neurologist's Role in an MSA Care team	Elizabeth Coon, MD	Mayo Clinic
10:45am - 11:00am EST	Rehabilitation Approaches in an MSA Care Team	Margaret Moutvic, MD	Mayo Clinic
11:00am - 11:10am EST	Speech Pathology's Role in an MSA Care Team	Rene Utianski, PhD	Mayo Clinic
11:10am - 11:20am EST	Dysphagia and Nutrition in an MSA Care Team	Cathy Shonley, CCC-SLP	Mayo Clinic
		Adele Pattinson, RDN, LD, CNSC	Mayo Clinic
11:20am - 11:30am EST	INTERMISSION		
11:30am - 11:45am EST	Palliative Medicine's Role in an MSA Care Team	Laura Rhee, MD	Mayo Clinic
		Claudia Chao, MD	Mayo Clinic
11:45am - 12:00pm EST	Social Work, Chaplaincy and Patient/Caregiver Support in an MSA Care Team	Erin Taylor, LICSW, MSW	Mayo Clinic
		Abraham Labrada-Santiago, MDiv, BCC	
12:00pm - 12:10pm EST	Nursing and Education in an MSA Care Team	Tricia Stevens, RN, BSN	Mayo Clinic
12:10pm - 12:30pm EST	Live Q&A		
12:30pm - 1:30pm EST	Lunch Break		
<b>Living Better with MSA - Connect. Learn. Inspire.</b>			
1:30pm - 2:00pm EST	Late Breaking Research Announcement	Pam Bower, Board Secretary	MSA Coalition
2:00pm - 2:30pm EST	Music Therapy	Becky Wellman, PhD, LPMT, MT-BC	Cleveland Clinic
		Christy Ross, PT, DPT, GCS, CDP, MSCS	Cleveland Clinic
2:30 pm - 2:45pm EST	Break		
2:45pm - 3:15pm EST	Traveling with MSA	Patricia Libby	MSA Coalition
		Elaine Douglas	MSA Coalition
3:15pm - 3:45pm EST	Improvisation & Laughter-Live presentation	Margot Escott, MSW, LCSW	Improv4wellness
3:45pm - 4:00pm EST	Closing Remarks	Cyndi Roemer, Chair	MSA Coalition
<b>Event Concludes</b>			