



Luncheon Symposium

“Advances in PTA: Passive Coatings & Absorbable Stents”

**Thursday, March 9, 2006, Four Seasons Las Vegas
11:45AM – 1:00PM, Desert Willow Room**

Chair: *Alan B. Lumsden, MD, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX*

“The Rationale of Silicon-carbide Coating”

Kim J. Hodgson, MD, SIU School of Medicine, Springfield, IL

“Clinical Application of Silicon Carbide Stents”

Michael B. Silva, MD, The Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH

“Strategy for BTK Interventions in Patients with CLI”

George H. Meier, III, MD, Vascular & Transplant Specialists, PC, Norfolk, VA

“Will Absorbable Metal Stents Change Our Practice?”

Marc Bosiers, MD, A.Z. Sint-Blasius, Dendermonde, Belgium

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