



**ARA Institute 2014  
Philadelphia, PA  
September 7-9, 2014**

**Sunday 9/7/14**

	<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Title of presentation</b>
4.00-4.15 pm	Kathy Cienkowski	<b>Welcome</b>
4.15-4.45 pm	Juliette Sterkens and Karen MacLennan	Hearing Loops: The Original Wireless Technology
4.45-5.15 pm	Eileen Rall	"My World" Communication Tool
5.15 -5.45 pm	Children's Hospital of Philadelphia	Growing Up with Hearing Loss: Children and Parents Share "Their Stories"
5.45 -6.15 pm	Louise Hickson	The Future of Patient-Centered Hearing Healthcare
6.15pm	<i>Auction and Opening reception</i>	

**Monday 9/8/14**

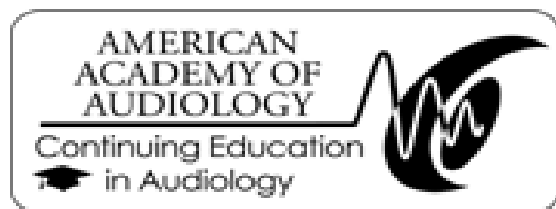
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8.00-9.00 am	Frank Lin	<b>Keynote address:</b> How Can the Uptake and Outcomes of Hearing Rehabilitation Be Improved?
9.00-9.30 am	Rolf Martin, Harold Raphelson, J. Wesson Ashford	Geographic Correlations Between HL and Age-Related Illness Indicate the Importance of Audiometry in Clinical Trials
9.30-10:00 am	Barbara Weinstein	Challenges in Hearing Health Care for the Old-Old and Oldest-Older Adults
10.00-10.30 am	<i>Break</i>	
10.30-11.00 am	Caitlin Grenness	<b>Oyer Awardee 2013:</b> Audiologists Counseling Patterns in Audiologic Rehabilitation
11.00-11.30 am	Harry Levitt, Helen Simon, Al Lotze, Elon Ullman	Realistic Measures of Communication Efficiency
11.30-12.00 pm	Helen Michaud	Conversations in Noisy Environments Group: A Novel Approach to Aural Rehabilitation for Adults
12.00-12.30 pm	Carol Cokely	Increasing Efficacy in Patient-Centered Counseling to Enhance Patient and

		Practitioner Outcomes
12.30-1.45 pm	Lunch	
1.45-2.15 pm	Brittney Dullard	<b>Oyer Awardee 2014:</b> A Comparison of General and Task-Specific Measures of Self-Efficacy in Adult Hearing Aid Users
2.15-2.45 pm	JP Gagné, Tony Leroux, Martine Lagacé, Luc Dargis-Damphouse, Kenneth Southall	Self-Stigma Associated to Hearing Loss and Ageism in Older Adults
2.45-3.15 pm	Kenneth Southall, Virginia Kenyon, JP Gagné	A New Take on the Clichés about Acquired Hearing Loss: A Photo Voice Study
3.15-3.45 pm	Louise Hickson, Andrea Caposecco, Carly Meyer	Hearing Aid User Guides and Hearing Aid Management in Older Adults
3.45-4:15 pm	Brian Taylor and Tad Zelski	Decoupling from the Device
4.15-4.30 pm	Break	
4.30-6.30 pm	Poster session-please see below for list of presenters and topics	
6.30 pm	Auction drawings	

## Tuesday 9/9/14

8.30-9.00 am	Jill Preminger, Ann M. Rothpletz, Ashley N. Moore	Acceptance of Internet-Based Hearing Healthcare in Adults Following Hearing Screening
9.00-9.30 am	Geoff Plant	How Much Auditory Training Is Too Much?
9.30-10.00 am	Sara Sell, M. Patrick Feeney, Robert Folmer, Gabrielle Saunders	Facilitators of Accessing Hearing Healthcare after Positive Hearing Loss Screen
10.00-10.30 am	Linda Thibodeau, Sarah Wallace	Guidelines and Standards for Wireless Technology for the Hearing Impaired
10.30-10.50 am	Break	
10.50-11.20 am	Jan Moore	Long-Term Development of Place and Manner of Articulation Categories in Pediatric CI Recipients
11.20-11.50 am	Diane Brewer, Claire Bernstein	Update on Benefits of Short-Term AR to Maximize Outcomes for Adult CI Users
11.50-12.20 pm	Kristin Dilaj, Diane Brackett, Jessica Hasbrouck, Katie Edins	Sequential Bilateral CIs: Using Rehabilitation to Increase Confidence & Dependence in “Non-Preferred Ears”
12.20-2.00 pm	Business lunch	

Posters	
Razan Alkifur, Alice Holmes	Application of the International Classification of Functioning Brief Core Set for HL
Ingrid Blood, Gordon Blood	Audiology in the General Education Curriculum
Brittney Dullard, Kristin Dilaj	A Preliminary Analysis of Assistive Device Use in Adults with Hearing Loss using the PIADS
Mary Fitzgerald, Valeria Matlock	A Problem-Based Learning Model for Clinical Education in Aural Rehabilitation: A Three Year Study
Caitlin Grenness, Louise Hickson, Ariana Laplante-Lévesque, Bronwyn Davidson	Patient-Centered Audiological Rehabilitation: Perspectives of Older Adults Who Own Hearing Aids
Arun Joshi, Suzanne Wright, Linda Thibodeau, Lauren Schaper	Helping Adults Realize Technology Benefits Outside the Soundbooth
Michael Kurth, Tracie Tuss, Kristin Vasil-Dilaj, Kathleen Cienkowski	Evaluation of a New Signal Processing Technology to Improve Speech Understanding in Babble for Listeners w/HL
Alison Marinelli, Kathleen Cienkowski	The Perceptions of Younger Versus Older Adults of Individuals Wearing Bisenory Aids
Ashley N. Moore, Ann M. Rothpletz, Jill Preminger	Acceptance of Internet-Based Hearing Healthcare in Older Adults Following an Online Hearing Healthcare Literacy Training Course
Anne Olson, Lori Gooding	Hearing Health in College Age Musicians
Aparna Rao, Dania Rishiq, Harvey Abrams, Adrianna Goyette	The Use of Auditory Event-Related Potentials Outcomes to Validate an Auditory Training Program
Sherri Smith	The role of hearing-aid self-efficacy and hearing-aid expectations in predicting hearing-aid adoption in adults with hearing loss
Brent Spehar, Nancy Tye Murray	Practical Use of Transfer-Appropriate Gains in Auditory Training
Linda Thibodeau, Nancy Muscato, Jodi Baxter, Aparno Rao	Implementing Intensive Auditory Rehabilitation Programs in University Settings
Tracie Tuss, Michael Kurth, Kristin Vasil-Dilaj, Kathleen Cienkowski	Subjective Ratings of a New Signal Processing Strategy for Improving Speech Understanding in Noise for Individuals w/HL
Shannon Wannagot, Kathleen Cienkowski, Rolf Martin, Howard Raphaelson	The Relation Between an Online Hearing Measurement Test and Self-Reported Hearing Handicap



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