



**ARA preliminary program**



**Sunday September 12<sup>th</sup>, 7-10pm:** Informal reception with appetizers and drinks at the Holiday Inn, Fisherman’s Wharf. Come meet and socialize with your AR colleagues from around the world at this relaxed informal event before the Institute.

**Monday September 13<sup>th</sup>**

- 8.00 -8.30am: Breakfast and registration
- 8.30-8.45am: Introduction and Welcome
- 8.45 -9.45am: Keynote Address from Mark Ross: **Best Practices and the Future of Audiology; Some Lessons from the Past**
- 9.45-10.15am: Discussion
- 10.15-10.45: Break
- 10.45-11.15: Claus Nielsen: **Processes in hearing health care – the client’s perspective**
- 11.15-11.45: Jill Preminger: **My “Age” and my “Brain”: Two Themes Discovered in a Qualitative Analysis of Hearing Help Seeking and Rehabilitation**
- 11.45-12.15: Nichole Morris: **Effects of Simulated Cataracts on Speech Intelligibility**
- 12.15-1.30: Lunch
- 1.30-2.30: Terry Chisolm: **Evidence into Practice: A Conceptual Framework for EBP in Hearing Healthcare**
- 2.30-3.00: Harry Levitt: **An Entertaining Method for Improving Speech Understanding in Noise**
- 3.30-3.15: Break
- 3.15-3.45: Mitch Turbin: **Patient-centered AR groups: how they work and why they do**
- 3.45-4.15: Johnnie Sexton: **CARE Project: Caring About Counseling**
- 4.15-4.45: Sarah Ferguson: **The role of duration in the clear speech vowel intelligibility benefit**
- 6.00-8.00: Poster session with appetizers and Raffle (see below for list of posters)

## **Tuesday September 14<sup>th</sup>**

8.00 -9.00am: Keynote Address from Arthur Boothroyd: **Auditory training: What is it? Who needs it? Does it work? How do we know?**

9.00-9.30: Discussion

9.30-10.00: Frances Harris: **Innovative Programs for Audiologic Rehabilitation for Adults at the University of Arizona**

10.00-10.30: Annie Cardella: **Teen Auditory Habilitation - Camp CHAT**

10.30-11.00: Break

11.00-11.30: Oyer Award presentation: Ann Olsen: **The effect of LACE DVD training in new and experienced hearing aid users**

11.30-12.00: Kristen Vasil: **Do Changes in Hearing Aid Frequency Settings Influence Patient Levels of Confidence on Speech Perception Tasks?**

12.00-12.30: John Nelson: Connectivity: **An overview of wired and wireless solutions**

12.45-2.15: Business lunch

2.30-3.30: Vic Gladstone: **Comprehensive Audiology Medicare Benefit – Good for audiology?**

3.30-4.00: Discussion

4:00-4.15: Close of meeting

### **Posters:**

Jennifer Alford: **Building Self-Efficacy for Daily Care of Elder Patients with Hearing Loss**

Judith Blumsack: **Audiologic Service Learning and Outreach in Guatemala**

Diane Brewer: **Efficacy of Short-Term Audiologic Rehabilitation for Adult Cochlear Implant Users**

Kimberlee Crass: **The Effects of Early vs Late Cueing on the Speechreadability of Sentences**

Zoe Doss: **Assessment of the SSQ in a Population of Extended-Wear Hearing Aid Wearers**

Brittney Dullard: **The ability of children with normal hearing to self-rate speech understanding**

Susan Marshall: **Speech and Language of Children Using Directionality and Noise Reduction**

Mirjana Savic: **Nanosomy and disorder in the function of speech and language development**

Hannah Siburt: **Individualized Audiologic Rehabilitation using Clarujust™**

Melissa Teahen: **Training Habits and Outcomes from a Computerized Auditory Training Program**

Kristen Vasil: **Comparison of Self-Rating Measures for Sentences in Noise**

Gabrielle Saunders: **Development a questionnaire to assess Knowledge, Attitudes and Behaviors toward hearing loss prevention**