



Believe in Yourself: Make a Difference

46th Annual Meeting  
August 4-5, 2021

Virtual Event

## Registration Brochure

Each of us can make a difference.  
Trust yourself to be the change.

You don't want to miss the **46th NATCO Annual Virtual Meeting scheduled for August 4-5, 2021**. Everyone will be focusing on making a difference while believing in yourself to create meaningful partnerships with innovative practices to improve donation and transplant outcomes. Our goal for this meeting is to inspire donation and transplant teams to make a difference as we collaborate and develop improvement processes that will result in more lives saved! Reserve your spot now!









NATCO will apply for approximately 11.42 CEPTC, nursing contact hours for the Annual Meeting.

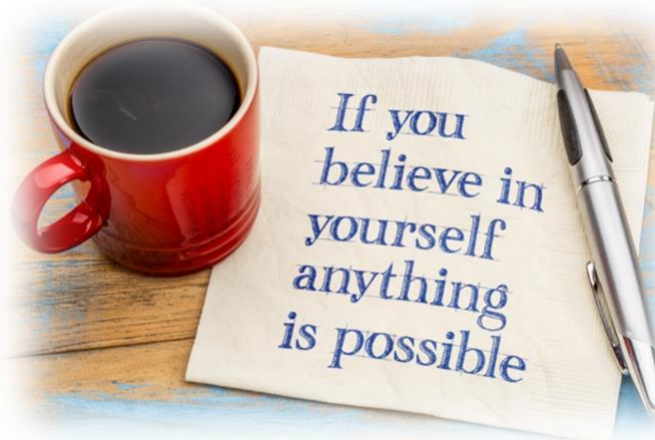
This activity has been submitted to the Ohio Nurses Association (OBN-001-91) for approval to award contact hours. The Ohio Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Please call the NATCO Executive Offices at 703-483-9820 for more information about contact hours.

Please visit [www.natco1.org](http://www.natco1.org) for more details on continuing education credits, learning objectives and a full faculty listing.

**MAKE A DIFFERENCE**  
*make a difference*

## NATCO 46th Annual Meeting Program Chairs

	<p><b>Teresa Bueno, DNP, MBA, MSN, APRN, FNP-C, CCTC, FHFA, CHFN</b> <i>Memorial Transplant Institute</i></p>		<p><b>Anita K. Sites, MSN, RN, AG-ACNP-BC, CCTC</b> <i>Advanced Practice Provider-Transplant Surgery Donor Alliance</i> <i>Living Donor Transplant Coordinator</i> <i>University of Virginia Transplant Department</i></p>
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	<p><b>Stacey Lerret, PhD, RN, CPNP-AC/PC, CCTC, FAAN</b> <i>Associate Professor, Medical College of Wisconsin</i> <i>Children's Hospital of Wisconsin</i></p>		<p><b>Wendy Garrison, RN, BSN, CPTC</b>  <b><i>NATCO President Elect</i></b> <i>Director of Hospital Development</i> <i>Clinical Specialist, Family Services Manager</i> <i>Lifesharing San Diego</i></p>



## NATCO 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting Keynote Speaker



### Stephen M.R. Covey

Co-founder and Global Practice Leader  
Franklin Covey's Speed of Trust Practice.  
New York Times and #1 Wall Street Journal best-selling author:  
Speed of Trust

Date: August 4, 2021  
Time: 10:30am – 11:15am

**Stephen M. R. Covey** is Co-founder and Global Practice Leader of Franklin Covey's Speed of Trust Practice. A sought-after and compelling keynote speaker and advisor on trust, leadership, ethics, and high performance, he speaks to audiences around the world. He is the author of *The SPEED of Trust*, a groundbreaking and paradigm-shifting book that challenges our age-old assumption that trust is merely a soft, social virtue and instead demonstrates that trust is a hard-edged, economic driver—a learnable and measurable skill that makes organizations more profitable, people more promotable, and relationships more energizing. He advocates that nothing is as fast as the speed of trust and that the ability to establish, grow, extend, and restore trust with all stakeholders is the critical leadership competency of the new global economy. Covey passionately delivers that message and is dedicated to enabling individuals and organizations to reap the dividends of high trust. Audiences and organizations alike resonate with his informed, practical approach to real-time issues that affect their immediate and long-term performance.

He is the former CEO of Covey Leadership Center, which, under his stewardship, became the largest leadership development company in the world. Covey personally led the strategy that propelled his father's book, Dr. Stephen R. Covey's *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People*, to one of the two most influential business books of the 20th Century, according to *CEO Magazine*. A Harvard MBA, he joined Covey Leadership Center as a Client Developer and later became National Sales Manager and then President & CEO. Under Covey's direction, the company grew rapidly and profitably, achieving Inc. 500 status. As President & CEO, he nearly doubled revenues to over \$110 million while increasing profits by 12 times. During that period, both customer and employee trust reached new highs and the company expanded throughout the world into over 40 countries. This greatly increased the value of the brand and company. The company was valued at only \$2.4 million when Covey was named CEO, and, within three years, he grew shareholder value to \$160 million in a merger he orchestrated with then Franklin Quest to form FranklinCovey.

Over the years, Covey has gained considerable respect and influence with executives and leaders of Fortune 500 companies as well as with mid- and small-sized private sector and public sector organizations he's consulted. Clients recognize his unique perspective on real-world organizational issues based on his practical experience as a former CEO.

Covey currently serves on the board/advisory board of several entities, including the Human Performance Institute—the leader in energy management technology—where he serves as Advisory Board Chairman. Covey

**Keynote Speaker  
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## NATCO 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting Guest Speakers

### Pediatric Heart Transplant Recipient: A Father's Story

August 4<sup>th</sup> at 10:15am - 10:30am



#### **Greg Quinn**

*Senior VP of Sales, Testing Services  
CareDx*

Greg is an experienced Vice President of Sales and Commercial Operations with a demonstrated history of working in the biotechnology industry. Greg is an experienced and successful sales professional and leader skilled in Negotiation, Sales, Medical Devices, Sales Operations, and Sales Management. Currently as Senior Vice President of Sales at CareDx, Greg manages day to day commercial operations for CareDx's services category including solutions for transplant patients to monitor the health of the allograft. Leading a team of highly successful individuals, Greg and team have launched AlloSure in the

United States. Previously, Greg held positions as Vice President of Sales at Boston Heart Diagnostics, and managerial positions at SpectraCell Laboratories and ALCiS Health.

Greg is very connected to the field of transplantation both professionally and personally. Greg's 6 year old daughter, Madelyn, received a heart transplant in 2015 and is now a thriving 1st grader who is full of life. Greg is very proud to be part of an organization who is dedicated to transplant patients and committed to improving patient outcomes through innovative, non-invasive testing solutions throughout the entire patient journey.

### UNOS Update

August 4<sup>th</sup> at 11:15am - 12:00pm

#### **UNOS: Looking Towards the Future**

August 5<sup>th</sup> at 4:15am - 4:45am



#### **Matthew Cooper, MD**

*Professor of Surgery, Georgetown University School of Medicine  
Director of Kidney and Pancreas Transplantation, Medstar Georgetown  
Transplant Institute*

**UNOS Vice President**

Upon receipt of a medical degree from the Georgetown University School of Medicine in 1994, Dr Cooper completed his general surgery training at the Medical College of Wisconsin followed by a fellowship in multi-organ abdominal transplantation in 2002 at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, MD. He joined the transplant faculty at Hopkins upon completion of his training and was appointed Surgical Director of Kidney Transplantation and Clinical Research in

2003. Dr. Cooper joined the University of Maryland in 2005 directing the kidney transplant and clinical research program until 2012 following which he assumed his current role in Washington, DC.

## AOPO Update

August 4th at 12:30pm – 1:15pm



**Jan Finn**  
*President/Chief Executive Officer  
Midwest Transplant Network  
AOPO President*

Jan Finn has 25 years of progressive management and administrative experience in hospital and organ procurement communities. As the President and Chief Executive Officer at Midwest Transplant Network, she is responsible for executive leadership and promoting organ and tissue donation. Under her leadership, MTN has increased donation rates and recovery of organs and tissues to new record levels each year. Finn received her bachelor's degree in nursing from Pittsburg State University and her MSN from the University of Kansas. Finn serves on the Missouri Governor's Advisory Council on Organ and Tissue Donation. She is a past President of NATCO, an association for transplant professionals. Finn's commitment and dedication to organ and tissue procurement-related issues were recognized by the Association for Organ Procurement Organizations in 2004 when she received their Achievement Award. Additionally, Finn was awarded the Quality in Medicine Award from Freeman Hospital, as well as the Kuhn Award for Outstanding Achievement in Nursing from Missouri Southern University.



**Steve Miller**  
*Chief Executive Officer  
AOPO*

Steve Miller joined the Association of Organ Procurement Organizations in February 2020 as the CEO. He previously served as the COO for the Ambulatory Surgery Center Association having been promoted from Director of Government and Public Affairs. Miller served as the Director of OPHTHPAC and Political Affairs for the American Academy of Ophthalmology, Senior Director of Legislative Affairs for the American Health Care Association and spent seven years on Capitol Hill.

## DCD Heart Update: Where are we Now

August 4<sup>th</sup> at 3:15pm – 4:00pm



**Scott Silvestry, MD**  
*Surgical Director of Thoracic Transplant, Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery  
Heart, VAD Program*

Dr. Silvestry is the Surgical Director of Thoracic Transplant at AdventHealth Transplant Institute, formerly Florida Hospital Transplant Institute, from Washington University School of Medicine, where he served as associate professor and the surgical director of the cardiac transplantation and ventricular assist division of cardiothoracic surgery. Dr. Silvestry has extensive research and publication experience in advanced heart failure, heart transplantation and cardiac disease. He received his medical degree from the University of Pennsylvania. He completed both his cardiovascular and thoracic surgery fellowship and cardiac transplantation and ventricular assistance advanced fellowship at Duke University in Durham, North Carolina.

## Transplant Surgeon Becomes Transplant Patient: HepC Heart Transplant

August 5<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am – 10:45am



### **Robert A. Montgomery, M.D.**

*Director of the NYU Langone Transplant Institute*

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Robert A. Montgomery, MD, DPhil, FACS, is the H. Leon Pachter Chair and Professor of Surgery, Director of the NYU Langone Transplant Institute. Dr. Montgomery completed his general surgical training, multi-organ transplantation fellowship, and postdoctoral fellowship in Human Molecular Genetics at Johns Hopkins. For over a decade he served as the Chief of Transplant Surgery and the Director of the Comprehensive Transplant Center at Johns Hopkins. Dr. Montgomery was part of the team that developed the laparoscopic procedure for live kidney donation, a procedure that has become the standard throughout the world. He and the Hopkins team conceived the idea of the Domino Paired Donation (kidney swaps), the Hopkins protocol for desensitization of incompatible kidney transplant patients and performed the first chain of transplants started by an altruistic donor. He led the team that performed the first 2-way domino paired donation, 3-way paired donation, 3-way domino paired donation, 4-way paired donation, 4-way domino paired donation, 5-way domino paired donation, 6-way domino paired donation, 8-way multi-institutional domino paired donation, and co-led the first 10-way open chain. He is credited in the 2010 Guinness Book of World Records with the most kidney transplants performed in 1 day. He is considered a world expert on kidney transplantation for highly sensitized and ABO incompatible patients and is referred the most complex patients from around the globe.

Dr. Montgomery has had clinical and basic science research supported by the NIH throughout his career. His academic interests include HLA sensitization, tolerance protocols including simultaneous solid organ and bone marrow transplantation, and xenotransplantation. The National Kidney Foundation of Maryland has recognized his contributions to the field of transplantation with the Champion of Hope Award, the National Kidney Registry with the Terasaki Medical Innovation Award. In 2018, he became a recipient of a heart transplant from a Hepatitis C positive donor and has worked to try to promote this practice throughout the world.

## Track Intent

### Procurement

The Procurement Track encompasses donor management best practices, innovative methods to maximize donation, and enlightening case studies. New and experienced procurement coordinators will benefit from attending and networking with colleagues from across the country.

### Abdominal Transplant

The Abdominal Track focuses on increasing innovative processes, administration of live vaccines, multi-organ transplants, living donation, staffing concerns, and various other kidney and liver transplant topics. Come learn best practices from programs of all sizes.

### Hospital Engagement

This year's Hospital Engagement Track will highlight key practices for engagement! They include: Improving relationships with donor hospitals, physician engagement strategies, powerful tools to create a positive donation culture, system wide strategies and partnering with palliative care. Please plan on attending the Hospital Engagement Track!

### Thoracic Transplant

This year's Thoracic Track focuses on managing challenging issues for both pre and post-transplant patients. Topics include the implications of vaping, innovations in cell-free DNA testing, DCD protocols, and the impact of the new Heart and Lung Allocation System. Please plan to attend!

### Family Authorization

Make sure to attend the Family Services Track this year! There will be several interesting topics, all focused on communicating effectively with both families and hospital staff regarding Holistic approaches and pediatric DCD. Don't miss out on this great learning opportunity!

### Transplant Plenary

Don't miss the Transplant Track this year. Topics include strategies for improving transplant programs, innovative staffing models, cannabis and CBD, and advanced pharmacology updates. Join us for this exciting opportunity to learn and network!

## Special Interest

The Special Interest Track provides an opportunity to learn about additional topics including cultural and language considerations, relationships with Medical Examiners, and processes surrounding non-transplantable organs or tissue.

Full meeting agenda is available at <https://www.natco1.org/annual-meeting/>





## Presenting Exciting Opportunities to connect with Exhibitors and Sponsors!

### Tentative Virtual Exhibit Hall Schedule:

#### Opportunity to win a \$100.00 Target Gift Card!

**\*\*To be eligible you must have verbal interaction with booth representatives.**

#### Wednesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00-10:00am
  - 9:00-9:30am – Sponsor breakfast with 30-minute presentation session
  - 9:30-10:00am – Exhibit Hall open
- 12:00-12:30pm -Break
  - 12:00pm -12:15 – open break with all Exhibitors
  - 12:15-12:30pm – dedicated exhibitor 15-minute presentation
- 2:45-3:15pm-Break with Exhibitors
  - 2:45pm-3:00pm – open break with all Exhibitors
  - 3:00-3:15 – dedicated Exhibitor 15-minute presentation

#### Thursday, August 5<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00-10:00am
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- 12:15-12:45pm
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  - 12:30-12:45 dedicated Exhibitor 15-minute presentation
- 2:45-3:15pm
  - 2:45-3:00 open break with all Exhibitors
  - 3:00-3:15 dedicated Exhibitor 15-minute presentation

*\*Please note times are subject to change. Based on Eastern Time.*

### Don't miss this year's exciting registration news!

- All NATCO attendees who register on or before June 1st will receive an eStarbucks Gift Card via email to stop and pick up coffee before the meeting begins – [Thank you to our sponsor Organ Recovery Systems!](#)
- All registered attendees are eligible to win a \$100 Target Gift Card by visiting our Exhibitors and attending Exhibitor sessions – [Thank you to our sponsor W.L Butler!](#)



## NATCO 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Virtual Meeting Registration Form

Make it simple – register online at <https://www.natco1.org/annual-meeting/>

REGISTER BY: Internet  Mail  **REGISTRATION DEADLINE: July 15, 2021**

### STEP ONE: Registration Information

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	
Organization	Job title		
Business Address			
City	State	Zip Code	Country
Business Phone	Cell Phone (to be used only for emergencies)	Email	
In case of emergency, contact:			
Name	Cell Phone		

**Don't forget to include your shipping address in the registration information! Every attendee will receive a NATCO Care Kit delivered to your door in time for the meeting. Thank you to our sponsor IIAM!**

### STEP TWO: Schedule of Fees

Meeting Fee	Received Before June 1	Received After June 1
Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> \$550
Non-Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$550	<input type="checkbox"/> \$650



### STEP THREE: Total Fees Enclosed

Total Payment Enclosed .....\$\_\_\_\_\_

- Check (Payable to NATCO) Tax ID: 74-2076651
- To register and pay by credit card please access the NATCO Annual Meeting website page at <https://www.natco1.org/annual-meeting/>
- NATCO accepts MasterCard, Visa, American Express and Discover online.
- **To mail by check please send to NATCO, PO Box 711233, Oak Hill, VA 20191**

**NOTE: Each attendee must be registered individually under their own online account.** All fees must be paid in U.S. dollars, with checks drawn in U.S. funds on a U.S. bank.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** A refund of the registration fee, less a \$50 processing fee, will be made if written cancellation (and request for reimbursement) is received by July 15, 2021. Substitutions are permitted but must be submitted in writing. You may submit a written cancellation or request for reimbursement or substitution via email to [info@natco1.org](mailto:info@natco1.org) or by fax to 703-879-7544. Please include refund request and the reason for the cancellation. **No refunds after July 15.**

Contact the NATCO Executive Office for more information.

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