Pulmonary Embolism Intensive: Think you know it all?

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We Have Brought Together the Best and Brightest to Dive Into Pulmonary Embolism Concepts

Questions I am Commonly Asked....

- What's the fastest/most accurate diagnostic algorithm?
  - Kolluri/Ghoshhajra/Courtney

- Are DOACs all we need to use as medical therapy for PE?
  - Merli

- Do I need to screen for cancer/hypercoagulability in every PE?
  - Rosovsky

- Is pharmacomechanical intervention the only way to lyse PE?
  - Olin

We'll Be Calling a PERT For a Case....

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- Do we know everything we need to know about PE therapy?
  - Olin

- What are the ideal techniques to manage PE via intervention?
  - Lookstein/Ansel/Tu/Wang/Kwolek

- Is there a clear algorithm for the management of PE?
  - Weinberg

- When should an IVC Filter be placed?
  - Misra

- What's the story with BPA for CTEPH?
  - Rosenfield

- Why have a PERT?
  - Tapson

- What's the ideal specialty to manage PE?
  - Chaer

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Conflicts of Interest

- Consultant
  - Abbott Vascular (non-compensated)
  - ACPA
  - Biotronik
  - Boston Scientific (non-compensated)
  - BTG
  - Medtronic
  - Micell, Inc
  - Primavea
  - Sanoﬁ
  - Silk Road Medical
  - Venarum
  - Volcano/Philips

- Equity
  - Embolitech
  - Gemini
  - Janarcare, Inc
  - MC10
  - Northwind Medical, Inc.
  - PQ Bypass, Inc
  - Primavea
  - Sans V, Inc
  - Vascular Therapies, Inc

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• HPI: 25 yo F found unconscious at her home by her roommate; immediately awakened, confused, tachypneic.
• PMH: DM, Type 2 on Insulin; Prior PE 2011 ascribed to OCP, not on long term anticoagulation; Asthma
• Meds: Metformin; Insulin; MDI for Asthma
• VS: BP 112/57 HR 134 RR 30 (SaO2 99% on 100% NRB)