

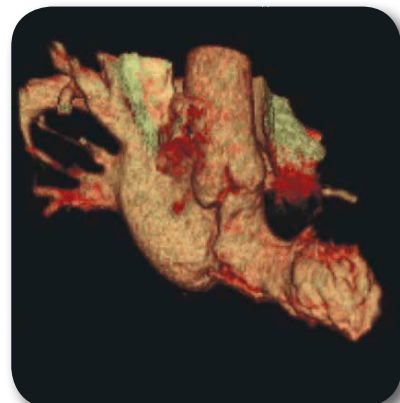


CARDIOVASCULAR CT CORE LABORATORY
DEPARTMENT OF RADIOLOGY
MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL

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Advanced Coronary CTA Course

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Courses held bi-monthly
beginning in 2009

The MGH Cardiovascular Computed Tomography (CVCT) Core Laboratory is an independent teaching facility dedicated to providing highest quality education to the cardiovascular imaging community.

The 2 day course



Complete 50 supervised cases with coronary CTA and catheterization.



Hands on experience on dedicated workstations from all major vendors.



One Workstation per participant.
Five students per class.



Proprietary, state-of-the-art software to score and track cases with invasive angiography and expert readers as reference standard.



Prior experience with coronary CTA is recommended.

The course is taught by a team of world-class faculty from both the MGH Radiology and Cardiology Departments.

COURSE OVERVIEW

An intensive 2 day training program designed for radiologists and cardiologists who wish to refine their skills in cardiac CT interpretation. Expert faculty supervise reading of 50 teaching cases with cardiac cath correlation. Participants use workstations of their choice from one of four vendors.

OBJECTIVES

Become proficient in the identification of coronary plaque

Appreciate the correlation between stenosis severity on CT and Cardiac Cath

Recognize common artifacts and learn techniques to overcome them

Recognize congenital heart defects and other less common conditions on CT

DESCRIPTION

Each participant will have his or her own workstation. The maximum class size will be 5 to allow for mentoring and personalised instruction as requested. Participants will enter their CT readings into a dedicated software program to focus attention and ensure a comprehensive learning experience. This proprietary software records progress, compares findings with the expert readers, and displays cine loops of cardiac catheterization. A lecture each day will cover clinical aspects of cardiac CT with an emphasis on appropriate use of the technology.

Advanced Cardiac CT Course

Day One

7:30 AM	Breakfast (provided)
8:00 AM	Instructor led cases
10:00 AM	Break
10:15 AM	Case review session 1
12:15 PM	Lunchtime lecture (lunch provided)
1:00 PM	Case review session 2
3:00 PM	Break
3:15 PM	Case review session 3
5:30 PM	Close

Day Two

7:30 AM	Breakfast (provided)
8:00 AM	Case review session 4
10:00 AM	Break
10:15 AM	Case review session 5
12:15 PM	Lunchtime lecture (lunch provided)
1:00 PM	Case review session 6
3:00 PM	Break
3:15 PM	Case review session 7
5:30 PM	Close

REGISTRATION

All completed registration forms should be faxed to 617-643-0111 or mailed to MGH CVCT Core Laboratory, 25 New Chardon Street, Suite 400B, Boston, MA 02114. Please have checks made payable to "The General Hospital Corp." The cost of the course per person is \$3,000 USD.

REFUND POLICY

A handling fee of \$100 is deducted for cancellation. Refund requests must be received by mail or fax two weeks prior to the course. No refunds will be made thereafter. We reserve the right to cancel up to one month prior to the course start date.

COURSE LOCATION

The course is located on the MGH campus at 25 New Chardon Street, Suite 400B, Boston, MA, 02114.

HOTEL INFORMATION

We recommend three hotels within walking distance of the course location: The Holiday Inn Select, The Liberty Hotel and the Bulfinch Hotel. Inquire directly with the hotel for reduced fees for MGH affiliates.

Bulfinch Hotel

109 Merrimac Street, Boston, MA 02114

617-624-0202

The Liberty Hotel

215 Charles Street, Boston, MA 02114

617-224-4000

The Holiday Inn Select

5 Blossom Street, Boston, MA 02114

617-742-7630

CONTACT INFORMATION

Should you require further information, please call 617-643-0248 or email vyip1@partners.org.

Please Print Clearly

REGISTRATION FORM	TUITION FEES: \$3,000 per person	Date Attending:	
Full Name		Degree	
First	Last	MI	
Mailing Address			
Street	City	State	Zip Code
Daytime Phone ()	Fax Number ()	E-mail	
Profession Specialty	Organization Affiliation		
Have you attended an Introductory Coronary CTA course? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If so, which course?		
Name of CT Scanner used by registrant:			
What is your experience level?	Please check correct workstation you wish to be trained on:		
Beginner (< 25 cases)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Siemens	<input type="checkbox"/>
Intermediate (25 – 100 cases)	<input type="checkbox"/>	GE	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advanced (> 100 cases)	<input type="checkbox"/>	TeraRecon	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Vitrea	<input type="checkbox"/>
Only accepting checks made payable to "The General Hospital Corp" and sent to the MGH CVCT Core Laboratory, 25 New Chardon Street, Suite 400B, Boston, MA			
<input type="checkbox"/> Check is enclosed		Total Tuition Fee \$ _____	



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