

Regulatory Science Series

Total Artificial Heart: How Do You Get Life-saving Treatments Paid For?

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 12:00–12:55 P.M.

QA 1–1:30 P.M. (LUNCH SERVED)



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The CardioWest (trademarked) TAH-t completely replaces the blood-pumping function of the diseased heart. For patients with end-stage congestive heart failure at imminent risk of death, this device has proven to be a life-saver, allowing them to be "bridged" and supported until a human heart transplant can be performed.

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED. PLEASE RSVP BY EMAIL TO PISHM@EMAIL.ARIZONA.EDU

LOCATIONS

TUCSON CAMPUS

Roy P. Drachman Hall A116
1295 N. Martin Ave

PHOENIX CAMPUS

Building 2, Room 2306
600 E. Van Buren St.

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