

**PERIOPERATIVE ULTRASOUND COURSE (PoCUS)
PROGRAM PLANNING COMMITTEE DESCRIPTION**

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: EDUCATION

SCA will be a global leader in comprehensive professional development that promotes the provision of safe, high quality, cost-effective medical care for patients undergoing cardiovascular and thoracic procedures.

MISSION

The Perioperative Ultrasound Course Program Planning Committee maintains the quality of the scientific content of the Perioperative Ultrasound Course and ensures consistency, continuity and balance in the programming.

PURPOSE

The committee designs the overall program for the Ultrasound Course. Specific duties include:

1. To review the content of the online portion of the course as provided by iTeachU.
2. To determine the basic schedule for the course, working within the constraints of the facility and SCA's budget.
3. To identify and select the faculty for the course.
4. To participate, as needed by staff, in course events on-site, review course evaluations and offer suggestions for future courses accordingly.

PARENT COMMITTEE

The committee reports to the CME Committee.

MEETING

The committee meets at least once per year.

COMPOSITION

The committee is composed of three Course Directors.

TERM

Committee members serve for a term of two years for any number of terms, but not more than three terms consecutively.