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## Medicine Grand Rounds

### *“Update in Kidney Transplantation and Future Perspectives”*

Speaker: **Enver Akalin, MD, FAST, FASN**

University of Arizona College of Medicine – Tucson

**Lecture Hall, Room 5403**

1501 N. Campbell Ave., Tucson, AZ 85721

**Noon – 1:00 pm | Wednesday, May 27, 2026**

*– A light lunch will be provided. –*

**About the Presenter:** Dr. Enver Akalin is a professor of medicine and surgery and medical director of the Kidney Transplantation Program at Montefiore Medical Center and Albert Einstein College of Medicine in The Bronx, New York. He earned his medical degree from Ege University School of Medicine in Izmir, Turkey, and completed advanced training in nephrology and transplant nephrology at Brigham & Women’s Hospital, Boston University School of Medicine, and Emory University School of Medicine. An internationally recognized leader in transplant nephrology, his research focuses on mechanisms of allograft injury. He was the first investigator to apply microarray technology to kidney transplant recipients and has been involved in numerous NIH-funded studies, including multiple R01 and U01 grants. Dr. Akalin has authored more than 160 peer-reviewed publications, served as principal investigator in over 30 multicenter clinical trials, held national leadership roles including president of the New York Society of Nephrology, and currently serves as associate editor of *Transplantation*. He is a Fellow of the American Society of Nephrology and the American Society of Transplantation.



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1. Diagnose a variety of internal medicine illnesses
2. Understand more clearly advances in therapy
3. Become truly professional physicians

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