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THURSDAY - SATURDAY
APRIL 12-14, 2007

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Program Director

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MISSION STATEMENT

The Society of Gynecologic Surgeons’ mission is to promote the highest standards for gynecologic surgical care for women in a safe, effective and ethical manner.

To realize this mission, the Society of Gynecologic Surgeons has as its principles:

1. To promote the acquisition of knowledge and the improvement of skills in gynecologic surgery.

2. To enhance the understanding of gynecology and gynecologic surgery through basic and clinical research.

3. To be a source of public and professional information.

IN MEMORIAM
2006

Hugh R. K. Barber, MD
W. Powell Hutcherson, MD
M. Leon Tancer, MD
Winfred Wiser, MD
It is my pleasure to welcome you to the 33rd Annual Meeting of the Society of Gynecologic Surgeons. We are looking forward to an important and informative meeting. Your participation is an important component of the meeting’s success, and we greatly appreciate your contribution. This year’s meeting has the three main focus points of academic medicine—patient care, research and education.

This year’s SGS postgraduate course will be a presentation of diagnosis and management of complications encountered in pelvic surgery. It will provide an interactive, evidence and case based approach to the diagnosis and management of failed continence surgery, postoperative voiding dysfunction, erosion or exposure of materials used in vaginal reconstruction, and complications from minimally invasive reconstructive procedures.

In order to facilitate advances in the teaching of gynecologic surgery, the Research Committee formed a Systematic Review Group (SRG). The objective of this group will be to review systematically the important subjects and controversies in the field of gynecologic surgery and to produce annual evidence-based clinical practice guidelines. Dr. Joseph Lau, a director of the Cochrane Review, will lead the workshop.
To advance research in our young investigators, the research committee has been developing a fellows’ research network, which will enhance fellows in training, research skills and thinking, and help develop multi-center projects within gynecologic surgery. An update from last year’s education retreat, which developed multi-site education protocols, will be presented.

I have the pleasure of inviting Dr William Cliby, a gynecologic oncologist from the Mayo Clinic, to be the TeLinde Lecturer. Dr. Cliby will be updating us on the progress in our specialty joining the National Surgical Quality Improvement Program. I look forward to discussing progress in gynecologic surgical research during my presidential address.

Program Chair, Dr. Deborah Myers, has organized an excellent panel discussion on “New Technologies - What are the issues?” The panel discussion will be an interactive case-based discussion of issues that surround new technology and their use in practice. The panel includes members Drs. Thomas Julian, Charles Nager, Bob Rogers and Mr. Jason Kim, an investor in new medical products.

The scientific program for the meeting promises to be superb. It is reflective of the talented investigators who join us to further the goal of creating excellence in the surgical care of women.

This and more will be presented at the Omni Orlando Resort at ChampionsGate in sunny Florida! We hope you have a wonderful time and an excellent educational experience.

Peggy Norton, MD
President, 2007
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PROGRAM DIRECTOR    Deborah Myers, MD

TARGET AUDIENCE    Gynecologic Surgeons

PROGRAM GOAL
The goal of the annual scientific meeting is to provide member and non-member attendees with a forum for the latest and most innovative developments in gynecologic surgery. This will be accomplished through lecture, slide, video and poster presentations. Oral presentations are followed by a discussion and a question and answer session.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of the meeting attendees should be able to:

1) Employ an evidence-based approach to understanding the advantages and disadvantages of surgical procedures used in the treatment of gynecologic and urogynecologic disorders.

2) Understand the etiology and pathophysiology of pelvic floor dysfunction including urinary incontinence, fecal incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse.

3) Understand benefits of lymphadenectomy in advanced-stage ovarian cancer.

4) Describe methods of diagnosing and management of complications encountered in reconstructive pelvic surgery.

5) Describe issues and ethics in adopting new technologies into one’s practice.

6) Describe the latest developments and therapeutic dilemmas in non-surgical and surgical treatments for gynecologic and urogynecologic disorders.
Accreditation Statement
This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the American College of Surgeons and the Society of Gynecologic Surgeons. The American College Surgeons is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™
The American College of Surgeons designates this educational activity for a maximum of 19.5* AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

*3.5 for PG Course/ 14 for scientific sessions/1 credit for each breakfast roundtable
Dr. Cliby received his undergraduate degree in biology and economics from St. Lawrence University in upstate New York. He graduated from University of Vermont College of Medicine in 1987, and then completed residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology at Duke University. Following residency Dr. Cliby completed fellowship in gynecologic oncology at the Mayo Clinic. After joining the staff at the Mayo Clinic he completed an additional research fellowship in Oncology Research at the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center in the laboratory of Drs. Stephen Friend and Lee Hartwell.

Dr. Cliby maintains a research laboratory with funding from the NIH and several cancer foundations. The focus of the lab is elucidating mechanisms of DNA damage response and investigating novel targets for therapeutic strategies in gynecologic cancer. He has authored over 65 peer-reviewed manuscripts. Clinically, Dr. Cliby’s focus is on the surgical management of gynecologic cancers with and emphasis on techniques for cytoreduction of ovarian cancer. The main emphasis of his clinical research has been outcomes and quality improvement in gynecologic surgery. He is currently co-chair of a committee of the Society of Gynecologic Oncologists working with the American College of Surgeons and the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists to investigate a subspecialty module in gynecologic surgery within the current National Surgical Quality Improvement Project database.

Dr. Cliby will discuss opportunities for quality improvement in gynecologic surgery during his lecture.
**ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS**

Tuesday & Wednesday, April 10-11, 2007 – 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
*Augusta B – Lobby Level*  
**SGS SYSTEMATIC REVIEW AND CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES GROUP**  
Workshop and Planning Meeting  
Dr. Joseph Lau, Director of the Cochrane Review  
(Invitation Only)

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Wednesday, April 11, 2007 – 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM  
(12:00 p.m. Lunch)  
*ChampionsGate - Lobby Level*  
**POSTGRADUATE COURSE**  
“Management of Complications in Reconstructive Pelvic Surgery”  
Faculty – Drs. Kimberly Kenton (Course Director), Robert Rogers, Catherine Bradley, Charles Rardin, Elizabeth Mueller (Urology)  
(Ticket Required)

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Thursday, April 12, 6:30 AM - 7:30 AM  
**FELLOW & RESIDENT ROUNDTABLE BREAKFAST DISCUSSIONS**  
*ChampionsGate – Lobby Level*  
(No Fee - Ticket required)

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Thursday, April 12 – 2:00 – 5:00 PM  
**TENNIS ROUND ROBIN**  
Meet in Lobby  
(Water and juice provided)  
(Ticket required)

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Friday, April 13 – 5:45 AM  
**MORNING WALK ON THE PATH AROUND THE NINE-HOLE GOLF COURSE**  
Meet in Lobby  
(Water and juice provided)
Friday, April 13, 6:30 AM – 7:30 AM
ACADEMIC ROUNDTABLE BREAKFAST
DISCUSSIONS
Olympic A, Congressional B, Colonial A & B, Riviera, Legends
Boardroom
Faculty - Drs. Joseph Schaffer, Karl Tamussino, Paul Petitt, Bob Shull,
Kris Strohbehn, Peter Sand, Dee Fenner, Harold Drutz, and Thomas
Julian
(Ticket required)

Friday, April 13, 2:00 PM following General Session
FOUR-PLAYER SCRAMBLE GOLF TOURNAMENT
Includes greens fee, cart, balls & box lunch.
Meet in Lobby at 2:00 PM
(Ticket required)

Saturday, April 14 – 6:00 AM
OUTDOOR YOGA SESSION
Meet in Lobby - Sign-up at Registration Desk – No fee
Water and juice provided

Saturday, April 14, 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM Sunday, April 15, 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM (Breakfast at 7:00 AM)
Congressional B – Lobby Level
SGS is sponsoring a multi-center research network for fellows, the
Fellows’ Pelvic Research Network (FPRN), a one and one half day
workshop/planning meeting which will be held immediately following the
SGS meeting. The SGS research committee will host the workshop with
additional participation from other experienced multi-center researchers.
The aims of FPRN are to create an environment for fellows to participate
in collaborative research and conduct multi-center studies as primary
investigators. The FPRN will meet biannually to develop new protocols
for multi-center research and to discuss ongoing projects. The FPRN will
be run by fellows with scientific support and guidance provided by the
SGS research committee. Study results will be submitted for
presentation at an SGS annual meeting.
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MEETING ACTIVITIES & HIGHLIGHTS

REGISTRATION
International Ballroom Foyer – Lower Level
Wednesday, April 11, 2007 - 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 12, 13, 14 - 6:30 AM. - adjournment

GENERAL SESSIONS
International Ballroom I – Lower Level

SPEAKER READY ROOM
Oakmont B – Lobby Level
Wednesday, April 11, 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 12, 13, 14 - 6:30 AM. - adjournment

GYN VIDEO ROOM/INTERNET CAFÉ
Augusta A – Lobby Level
Thursday and Friday, April 12-13 - 6:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday, April 14 – 6:00 AM to 1:00 PM
Registered attendees are invited to visit the GYN Video Room and
Internet Café to view selected DVDs from our library and to use the
computers to check e-mail. The videos highlight pelvic anatomy &
surgical procedures that provide viewers with detailed perspectives of
the demonstrated practices.

EXHIBIT SET-UP
International Ballroom III – Lower Level
Wednesday, April 11

EXHIBIT HALL
International Ballroom III – Lower Level
Thursday and Friday, April 12-13

SET-UP OF POSTERS
International Ballroom II – Lower Level
Wednesday, April 11, after 3:00 PM

DISPLAYED POSTERS
International Ballroom II – Lower Level
Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 12, 13, 14
Oral & non-oral poster presenters will attend their posters during the
breaks on Thursday, April 12 and Friday, April 13 from 11:00am to
11:45am.
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST & REFRESHMENT BREAKS
Exhibit Hall – International Ballroom III
Thursday, Friday, Saturday
Provided for registered meeting attendees

SPouse/Social Guest Hospitality
Augusta B
Thursday, Friday, Saturday - 8:00 - 10:00 AM
Continental Breakfast provided for spouses and social guests

Panel Discussion
General Session – Thursday, April 12, 1:00 PM
“New Technology - What are the Issues?”
International Ballroom I – Lower Level
Deborah Myers, MD – Moderator
Panel: Mr. Jason Kim and Drs. Robert M. Rogers, Thomas Julian, Charles Nager

Presidential Reception
Exhibit Hall - International Ballroom III – Lower Level
Thursday, April 12 - 6:30 - 7:30 PM
All meeting registrants and their guests are invited to attend

SGS Annual Business Meeting
International Ballroom I – Lower Level
SGS Annual Business meeting will be held Friday, April 13, 2007, at 1:30 PM following the general session. All SGS members are invited and encouraged to attend. Important business will be transacted.
INDUSTRY-SPONSORED SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM

An Industry-Sponsored Satellite Symposium (ISSS) will be held during the 2007 SGS Scientific Meeting. The ISSS host must acknowledge that the program is not an official part of the SGS Scientific Meeting. The host has met the requirements established by the Program Committee and the proposed program has been approved. SGS does not endorse the company, its products and/or services, or the contents of the presentations.

“Treating OAB Patients with Sacral Nerve Stimulation”

Clinical Faculty

Cindy L. Amundsen, MD
Duke University

Karen Noblett, MD
University of California, Irvine Medical Center

Friday, April 13, 2007
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Colonial Room – Lobby Level

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MEETING SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2007

POSTGRADUATE COURSE

MANAGEMENT OF COMPLICATIONS IN RECONSTRUCTIVE PELVIC SURGERY
Dr. Kimberly Kenton (Course Director), Catherine Bradley, Elizabeth Mueller (Urology), Charles Rardin, Robert M. Rogers

ChampionsGate Ballroom

12:00 – 1:00 PM  Lunch

1:00 – 1:15 PM  Welcome and Overview
Dr. Kimberly Kenton

1:15 – 1:30 PM  “Second Continence Procedures: What is the evidence?”
Dr. Catherine Bradley

1:30 – 1:45 PM  “Voiding Dysfunction after Continence Surgery”
Dr. Elizabeth Mueller

1:45 – 2:05 PM  Cases:  Panel
All

2:05 – 2:20 PM  “Mesh Complications in Reconstructive Pelvic Surgery”
Dr. Charles Rardin

2:20 – 2:35 PM  “Complications from Laparoscopic and Minimally Invasive Procedures”
Dr. Charles Rardin
2:35 – 2:55 PM  Cases:  Panel
   All

2:55 – 3:15 PM  Break

3:15 – 3:30 PM  “Evaluation and Management of Lower Urinary Tract Injuries”
   Dr. Elizabeth Mueller

3:30 – 3:45 PM  “Pelvic Nerve Injuries”
   Dr. Kimberly Kenton

3:45 – 4:05 PM  Cases:  Panel
   All

4:05 – 4:20 PM  “Strategies for Interacting with Consultants”
   Dr. Catherine Bradley

4:20 – 4:35 PM  “Medico-legal Implications of Surgical Complications”
   Dr. Robert M. Rogers

4:35 – 4:50 PM  Questions

4:50 PM  Adjourn
Thursday, April 12, 2007

6:00 AM – 1:00 PM REGISTRATION - International Ballroom Foyer

6:30 AM - 7:30 AM BREAKFAST/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS
International Ballroom III

6:30 AM - 7:30 AM FELLOWS & RESIDENTS ROUNDTABLES
ChampionsGate – Lobby Level
Moderator: Deborah Myers

7:30 AM - 7:45 AM Welcome & Recognition Of New Members
Peggy Norton, MD, President

FIRST SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Peggy Norton, MD

7:45 AM Oral Presentation 1
UTEROSACRAL LIGAMENT SUSPENSION
SUTURES: ANATOMIC RELATIONSHIPS IN UNEMBALMED FEMALE CADAVERS
C. K. Wieslander; S. M. Roshanravan; J. I. Schaffer; M. M. Corton
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center
at Dallas, Dallas, TX
Discussant: Michael Aronson, MD

8:00 AM Oral Presentation 2
MRI AND 3-D ANATOMY OF THE POSTERIOR COMPARTMENT IN ASYMPTOMATIC NULLIPARAS
Y. Hsu; C. Lewicky-Gaupp; J. DeLancey
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Discussant: Lennox Hoyte, MD
8:15 AM 
Oral Presentation 3
NEUROVASCULAR ANATOMY OF THE GREATER SCIATIC FORAMEN AND SACROSPINOUS LIGAMENT REGION IN FEMALE CADAVERS: IMPLICATIONS IN VAGINAL VAULT SUSPENSIONS
S. Roshanravan; C. K. Wieslander; J. I. Schaffer; M. M. Corton
UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX
Discussant: Robert Porges, MD

8:30 AM 
Oral Presentation 4
EVIDENCE FOR A HERITABLE CONTRIBUTION TO PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE
P. Norton; I. Nygaard; L. Albright-Cannon
University of Utah School of Medicine, Salt Lake City, UT
Discussant: Anne Wiskind, MD

8:45 AM 
Oral Presentation 5
INCIDENCE OF PELVIC FLOOR REPAIR AFTER HYSTERECTOMY: A POPULATION-BASED STUDY
R. E. Blandon; A. E. Bharucha; L. J. Melton; C. D. Schleck; E. O. Babalola; C. J. Klingele; A. R. Zinsmeister; J. B. Gebhart
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
2. Health Sciences Research, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
3. Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
Discussant: Jeffrey Clemons, MD

9:00 AM - 9:30 AM 
REFRESHMENTS/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS

SECOND SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Jeffrey Clemons, MD
9:30 AM  Video Presentation 1
URETERONEOCYSTOSTOMY
J. B. Gebhart
Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
Video Discussant: Rony Adam, MD

9:45 AM - 10:00 AM  In Memoriam
TANCER VIDEO
Introduction by Dr. Stephen Young
“Bulbocavernosus Transplant: The Martius Operation”

10:00 AM  Oral Presentation 6
THE EFFECT OF ANTERIOR COMPARTMENT MESH-AUGMENTATION ON URINARY CONTINENCE
A. C. Steinberg¹; B. M. DeLisa²; M. O. Schimpf¹; C. A. LaSala¹
1. Hartford Hospital, Hartford, CT
2. University of Connecticut School of Medicine, Farmington, CT
Discussant: Scott Smilen, MD

10:15 AM  Oral Presentation 7
ANATOMIC RELATIONSHIPS OF THE TRANSVAGINAL MESH TROCARS
C. Chen; A. M. Gustilo-Ashby; J. E. Jelovsek; M. R. Paraiso
Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH
Discussant: James Theofrastous, MD

10:30 AM  Video Presentation 2
RE-ADJUSTABLE SLING PROCEDURE FOR TREATMENT OF FEMALE STRESS URINARY INCONTINENCE
L. Lind¹; H. A. Winkler¹; N. Kohli²
1. North Shore - Long Island Jewish Health System, Great Neck, NY
2. Brigham & Women's Hospital, Boston, MA
Video Discussant: Abraham N. Morse, MD
10:45 AM Video Presentation 3 - Candidate Member
REPAIR OF RECURRENT PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE USING POLYPROPYLENE MESH
J. T. Stubbs
Savannah Pelvic Reconstructive Surgery Center, Savannah, GA
Video Discussant: David Chapin, MD

11:00 AM - 11:45 AM REFRESHMENTS/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS

THIRD SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Deborah L. Myers, MD

11:45 AM Oral Poster 1 - Candidate Member
OBJECTIVE AND QUALITY OF LIFE OUTCOMES OF VAGINAL PROLAPSE REPAIRS USING A SYNTHETIC POLYPROPYLENE MESH KIT (PROLIFT™)
C. B. Iglesia1; A. I. Sokol1; B. Robinson-Walton1; L. Lu2
1. Obstetrics/Gynecology and Urology, Washington Hospital Center, Washington, DC
2. Statistics and Epidemiology, MedStar Research Institute, Hyattsville, MD

11:50 AM Oral Poster 2
DOES CHANGE IN QUALITY OF LIFE PREDICT CONTINUED PESSARY USE?
Y. M. Komesu; R. G. Rogers; M. Rode; E. Craig; K. Gallegos; A. Montoya; C. Swartz
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

11:55 AM Oral Poster 3
SEXUAL FUNCTION IN WOMEN WITH PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE
L. J. Burrows1; J. L. Lowder2
1. University of Connecticut, Farmington, CT
2. Magee-Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA

12:00 – 12:15 PM DISCUSSION OF ORAL POSTERS
Oral Presentation 8
DOES HOST RESPONSE (INCORPORATION, ENCAPSULATION, MIXED AND RESORPTION) AFFECT THE TENSILE STRENGTH OF GRAFT REINFORCED REPAIR IN THE RAT VENTRAL HERNIA MODEL?
E. C. Trabuco¹; M. E. Zobitz²; C. J. Klingele¹; J. B. Gebhart¹
1. Ob/Gyn, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
2. Orthopedic Biomechanics, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
Discussant: Cindy Amundsen, MD

Oral Presentation 9
THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SUTURE TYPE AND ADHESION FORMATION AFTER PERITONEAL CLOSURE IN A RABBIT MODEL
R. R. Whitfield¹; H. R. Huls¹; H. F. Stills, Jr.²; W. W. Hurd¹
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Wright State University, Dayton, OH
2. Pathology, Wright State University, Dayton, OH
Discussant: Lesley Otto, MD

Video Presentation 4 - Candidate Member
ROBOTIC SACROCOLPOPEXY
A. G. Visco
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
Video Discussant: Peter Thompson, MD

Panel Discussion
“New Technology – What are the Issues?”
Dr. Deborah L. Myers – Moderator
Panel: Mr. Jason Kim and Drs. Robert M. Rogers, Thomas Julian, Charles Nager

Adjourn

Tennis Round Robin
Meet in Lobby
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM  EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RECEPTION WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF INDUSTRY - Golf Course Commons - Area outside Wentworth/St Andrews Rooms - Lower Level

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM  PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION
Exhibit Hall – International Ballroom III

Friday, April 13, 2007

5:45 AM - 6:30 AM  MORNING WALK AROUND NINE-HOLE GOLF COURSE – Meet In Lobby

6:30 AM - 7:30 AM  ACADEMIC BREAKFAST ROUNDTABLE SESSIONS

“Colpocleisis”
Legends Boardroom
Joseph Schaffer, MD

“TVT/TOT”
Congressional B – Table 1
Karl Tamussino, MD

“Interstim”
Congressional B – Table 2
Paul Petitt, MD

“Vaginal Repair Using Native Tissue”
Riviera
Bob Shull, MD

“Choosing an Approach to Suspend the Apex”
Colonial A – Table 1
Kris Strohbehn, MD

“Evidence-Based Selection of Anti-Incontinence Operations”
Colonial A – Table 2
Peter Sand, MD

“Anal Sphincteroplasty”
Olympic A
Dee Fenner, MD
“The Role of Total Vaginal Mesh (TVM) in Reconstructive Surgery”
Colonial B – Table 1
Harold Drutz, MD

“Complications of Graft Materials”
Colonial B – Table 2
Thomas Julian, MD

6:00 AM – 1:00 PM
REGISTRATION - International Ballroom Foyer

6:30 AM - 7:30 AM
BREAKFAST/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS
International Ballroom III

FOURTH SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Dorothy Kammerer-Doak, MD

7:30 AM
Oral Presentation 10
SEXUAL FUNCTION BEFORE AND AFTER SACROCOLPOPEXY FOR ADVANCED PROLAPSE
V. Handa1; For the Pelvic Floor Disorders Network2
1. Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, MD
2. National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Bethesda, MD
Discussant: Marc Toglia, MD

7:45 AM
Oral Presentation 11
SEXUAL FUNCTION AFTER VAGINAL SURGERY FOR PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE AND URINARY INCONTINENCE
R. N. Pauls1; W. A. Silva1,3; C. M. Rooney1; S. D. Kleeman1; S. Siddighi1; V. L. Dryfhout2; P. M. Walsh2; M. M. Karram1
1. Division of Urogynecology and Pelvic Reconstructive Surgery, Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, OH
2. Hatton Institute, Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, OH
3. St. Francis Hospital, Federal Way, WA
Discussant: Rebecca Rogers, MD
8:00 AM  Oral Presentation 12
SURGICAL OUTCOMES AFTER EXCISION OF ERODED MESH IN PATIENTS WITH PRIOR ABDOMINAL SACROCOLPOPEXY
M. M. South¹; R. T. Foster¹; G. D. Webster²; A. C. Weidner¹; C. L. Amundsen¹
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC
2. Urology, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC
Discussant: Robert Lobel, MD

8:15 AM  Oral Presentation 13
BOWEL SYMPTOMS IN WOMEN ONE YEAR AFTER SACROCOLPOPEXY
C. S. Bradley¹; For the Pelvic Floor Disorders Network²
1. University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine, Iowa City, IA
2. NICHD, Bethesda, MD
Discussant: Dee Fenner, MD

8:30 AM  NIH/NICHD Networks Update
Anne Weber, MD

8:45 AM - 9:00 AM  DISTINGUISHED SURGEON
Introduction by Peggy Norton, MD, President

9:00 AM - 9:30 AM  REFRESHMENTS/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS

FIFTH SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Marc Toglia, MD
9:30 AM  
**Video Presentation 5**  
**EXCISION OF ERODED MESH IN PATIENTS WITH PRIOR ABDOMINAL SACROCOLPOPEXY**  
M. M. South¹; R. Foster¹; A. Weidner¹; G. Webster²; C. Amundsen¹  
¹. OB/GYN, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC  
². Urology, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC  
**Video Discussant: Holly Richter, MD**

9:45 AM  
**Oral Presentation 15**  
**WHERE TO LOOK FOR THE SENTINEL LYMPH NODE IN CERVICAL CANCER?**  
A. A. Bader; R. Winter; G. Pristauz; J. Haas; K. F. Tamussino  
Medical University of Graz, Graz, Austria  
**Discussant: Thomas Nolan, MD**

10:00 AM  
**Oral Presentation 16**  
**ANALYSIS OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO COMPLICATIONS IN OVARIAN CANCER SURGERY - NEED FOR RISK-ADJUSTMENT MODEL OF SURGICAL OUTCOMES**  
G. D. Aletti; K. C. Podratz; W. A. Cliby  
Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN  
**Discussant: S. Gene McNeeley, MD**

10:15 AM - 11:00 AM  
**THE RICHARD W. TELINDE LECTURE**  
“Opportunities for Quality Improvement in Gynecologic Surgery”  
William A. Cliby, MD  
Mayo Clinic – Rochester, MN

11:00 AM - 11:45 AM  
**REFRESHMENTS/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS**
SIXTH SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Linda Brubaker, MD

11:45 AM
Video Presentation 6
SYSTEMATIC APPROACH TO DEEP RECTOVAGINAL DISSECTION IN LAPAROSCOPIC SACROCOLPOPERINEOPEXY
T. Lee
Magee Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA
Video Discussant: Arnold Friedman, MD

12:00 PM
Oral Presentation 17
A RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL EVALUATING TWO TECHNIQUES OF POSTOPERATIVE BLADDER TESTING AFTER TRANSVAGINAL SURGERY
R. T. Foster1; K. M. Borawski2; M. M. South1; A. C. Weidner1; C. L. Amundsen1
1. Department of OB/GYN, Division of Urogynecology and Pelvic Reconstructive Surgery, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC
2. Department of Surgery, Division of Urology, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC
Discussant: Andrew Walter, MD

12:15 PM
Oral Poster 4
RACIAL DIFFERENCES IN PELVIC FLOOR MUSCULATURE IN ASYMPTOMATIC NULLIPARAS AS SEEN ON MRI BASED 3-D COLOR THICKNESS MAPPING
K. Downing2; L. Hoyte1; S. Warfield4; A. Weidner3
1. OB/Gyn-Urogynecology, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
2. OB/Gyn, Brigham and Womens Hospital, Boston, MA
3. Urogynecology, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC
4. Surgical Planning Lab, Brigham and Womens Hospital, Boston, NC
Oral Poster 5
PELVIC ARCHITECTURAL DISTORTION IS ASSOCIATED WITH PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE
R. U. Margulies¹,²; M. Huebner¹,²; J. O. DeLancey¹,²
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
2. Pelvic Floor Research Group, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Oral Poster 6
POSTERIOR DIVISION OF THE INTERNAL ILIAC ARTERY: ANATOMIC VARIATIONS AND CLINICAL APPLICATIONS
A. T. Bleich; D. D. Rahn; C. K. Wieslander; C. Y. Wai; S. M. Roshanravan; M. M. Corton
OB/GYN, University of Texas Southwestern, Dallas, TX

DISCUSSION OF ORAL POSTERS

Video Presentation 7
TECHNIQUES IN VAGINAL OOPHORECTOMY
J. B. Gebhart¹; R. Kho²; J. Magrina²
1. Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
2. Mayo Clinic, Scottsdale, AZ
Video Discussant: James Unger, MD

Video Presentation 8 - Candidate Member
LAPAROSCOPIC OVARIAN TRANSPOSITION
P. Tulikangas; M. Schimpf; J. Sorosky
University of Connecticut/Hartford Hospital, Hartford, CT
Video Discussant: Clifford Wheeless, MD

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SGS BUSINESS MEETING
Members Only – International Ballroom I
2:00 PM GOLF TOURNAMENT
***Meet in Lobby 2:00 PM***

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM INDUSTRY SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM -
Colonial Room - Lobby Level
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Saturday, April 14, 2007

6:00 AM – 7:00 AM YOGA Outdoors
Meet in Lobby

6:00 AM – 1:00 PM REGISTRATION - International Ballroom Foyer

SEVENTH SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Marie Fidela Paraiso, MD

7:30 AM Oral Presentation 18
PATIENT READINESS: IMPORTANT PREDICTOR OF SURGICAL OUTCOME
K. Kenton; T. Pham; E. Mueller; M. FitzGerald; L. Brubaker
Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL
Discussant: Renee Edwards, MD

7:45 AM Oral Presentation 19
INFORMED SURGICAL CONSENT: WHAT INFORMATION DO GYNECOLOGICAL SURGEONS PROVIDE TO PATIENTS?
H. Abed¹; R. Rogers¹; D. L. Helitzer²; T. D. Warner²
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center, Albuquerque, NM
2. Family and Community Medicine, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM
Discussant: Wilma Larsen, MD
8:00 AM
Oral Presentation 20
CLINICAL ANATOMY AND SURGICAL SKILLS TRAINING (CASST): ASSESSMENT OF LEARNERS
L. M. Rickey; S. Graziano; L. Lowenstein; E. Mueller; S. Summers; K. Kenton
1. Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL
2. Obstetrics & Gynecology, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL
Discussant: Deidre Bland, MD

8:15 AM - 8:35AM EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH REPORTS
Dr. Becky Rogers (Course Director)

Investigators

1. Dr. Rajiv Gala
University of Texas Southwestern
“An evaluation of validated laproscopic skills simulators and the impact on operating room performance”

2. Dr. Yuko Komesu
University of New Mexico
“Mental imagery prior to cystoscopy”

3. Dr. Michael Moen
Advocate Lutheran General Hospital, Chicago
“Structured operating room assessment of resident skills (SOARS)”

4. Dr. Grace Chen
Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland
“The objective assessment of vaginal surgical skills”
8:35AM

Tips & Tricks 1 - Candidate Member
IDENTIFYING THE SACROSPINOUS LIGAMENT IN PELVIC RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY
P. A. Riss
Landesklinikum Thermenregion Moedling, Moedling, Austria

8:40 AM

Tips & Tricks 2
LAPAROSCOPIC VECCHIETTI PROCEDURE MADE EASY: INNOVATIVE IDEAS TO IMPROVE THE TECHNIQUE AND PATIENT DISCOMFORT
O. Harmanli
Baystate Medical Center, Springfield, MA

8:45 – 8:50 PM
DISCUSSION OF TIPS & TRICKS

8:50 AM

Oral Presentation 21
TRANSOBTURATOR TAPES FOR STRESS INCONTINENCE: RESULTS OF THE AUSTRIAN REGISTRY
K. Tamussino¹; O. Preyer⁴; W. Umek³; A. Tammaa²; V. Bjelic-Radisic¹; H. Enzelsberger⁴; D. Kölle⁴,⁵; P. F. Lang⁷; G. Ralph⁸; P. Riss⁹
1. Medical University of Graz, Graz, Austria
2. Wilhelminenspital, Vienna, Austria
3. Medical University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria
4. Landeskranankenhaus Steyr, Steyr, Austria
5. Medical University of Innsbruck, Innsbruck, Austria
6. Krankenhaus Schwaz, Schwaz, Austria
7. Krankenhaus der Barmherzigen Brüder, Graz, Austria
8. Landeskranankenhaus Leoben, Leoben, Austria
9. Krankenhaus Mödling, Mödling, Austria
Discussant: Hilary Cholhan, MD

9:05 AM - 9:40 AM
PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS
Introduction by Dr. Karl Podratz, Immediate Past President
“Progress in Gynecologic Surgical Research: Are we there yet?” Peggy Norton, MD
9:40 AM - 9:45 AM  PASSING OF THE GAVEL

9:45 AM - 10:30 AM  REFRESHMENTS – On the Terrace
VIEW POSTERS – Ballroom II

EIGHTH SCIENTIFIC SESSION
Moderator: Stephen Young, MD

10:30 AM  Video Presentation 9
COMBINED PERINEOPLASTY WITH
OVERLAPPING ANAL SPHINCTEROPLASTY
FOR SYMPTOMATIC ANAL SPHINCTER
INJURY
M. M. South; R. T. Foster; A. C. Weidner
OB/GYN, Duke University Medical Center,
Durham, NC
Video Discussant: Marie Fidela Paraiso, MD

10:45 AM  Oral Presentation 22
DEVELOPMENT OF A BIOENGINEERED
FUNCTIONAL RING MODEL OF THE
INTERNAL ANAL SPHINCTER DERIVED FROM
ISOLATED PORCINE INTERNAL ANAL
SPHINCTER SMOOTH MUSCLE CELLS
R. U. Margulies1; A. Farokhrani2; S. Vanderwyst3;
R. Gilmont2; S. Somara2; D. E. Fenner1; K. N.
Bitar2
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of
   Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
2. Pediatric Gastroenterology, University of
   Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Discussant: Alison Weidner, MD
Oral Poster 7
THE IMPACT OF FECAL AND URINARY INCONTINENCE ON QUALITY OF LIFE 6 MONTHS AFTER CHILDBIRTH
V. Handa¹; H. Zyczynski²; For the Pelvic Floor Disorders Network³
1. Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, MD
2. University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
3. NICHD, Bethesda, MD

Oral Poster 8
NATIONAL TRENDS AND COSTS OF SURGICAL TREATMENT FOR FEMALE FECAL INCONTINENCE
V. W. Sung¹; M. L. Rogers²; H. M. Akban³; D. L. Myers¹; M. A. Clark⁴
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Brown Medical School, Providence, RI
2. Community Health, Brown University, Providence, RI
3. Colo-Rectal Surgery, Brown Medical School, Providence, RI

Oral Poster 9
PREVALENCE AND RISK FACTORS OF FECAL INCONTINENCE IN WOMEN UNDERGOING STRESS INCONTINENCE SURGERY
A. D. Markland¹,²; S. R. Kraus³,⁷; H. E. Richter³,⁸; C. W. Nager⁴,⁸; K. Kenton⁵,⁸; L. A. Kerr⁶,⁸; Y. Xu⁷,⁸
1. Medicine/Geriatrics, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
2. Urology, The University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio, San Antonio, TX
3. Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
4. Reproductive Medicine, University of California, San Diego, Medical Center, San Diego, CA
5. Obstetrics & Gynecology/Urology, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL
6. Urology, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
7. New England Research Institutes, Watertown, MA
8. NIDDK, NICHD, The Urinary Incontinence Treatment Network, Bethesda, MD
11:30 AM  Oral Presentation 23
BLADDER SYMPTOMS ONE YEAR AFTER
ABDOMINAL SACROCOLPOPEXY WITH AND
WITHOUT BURCH COLPOSUSPENSION IN
WOMEN WITHOUT PREOPERATIVE STRESS
INCONTINENCE SYMPTOMS
H. E. Richter
for the NICHD Pelvic Floor Disorders Network,
Bethesda, MD
Discussant: Kris Strohbehn, MD

11:45 AM  Oral Presentation 24 – Candidate Member
QUALITY OF LIFE AND SEXUAL FUNCTION
FOLLOWING TENSION-FREE VAGINAL TAPE
VERSUS THE “IN-TO-OUT” TENSION-FREE
VAGINAL TAPE OBTURATOR
M. Murphy,1,2,3; H. van Raalte1,3; E. Mercurio2; R.
Haff; B. Wiseman1,3; V. R. Lucente1,3,2
1. Institute for Female Pelvic Medicine, Allentown,
PA
2. Abington Memorial Hospital, Abington, PA
3. St. Luke's Hospital and Health Network,
Bethlehem, PA
Discussant: Peter Rosenblatt, MD

12:00 PM  Oral Poster 10
OBESITY AND PHYSIOLOGIC PARAMETERS
RELATED TO STRESS URINARY
INCONTINENCE
E. R. Trowbridge; C. Lewicky-Gaupp; R. U.
Margulies; D. M. Morgan; D. E. Fenner; J. O.
DeLancey
Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology,
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Oral Poster 11
CHANGES IN URINARY AND ANAL INCONTINENCE ASSOCIATED WITH WEIGHT LOSS SURGERY
K. L. Burgio¹²; H. E. Richter³; R. H. Clements⁴; P. S. Goode¹²; D. T. Redden¹²
1. Medicine, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
2. Geriatric Research, Education, and Clinical Center, Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Birmingham, AL
3. Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
4. Surgery, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
5. Biostatistics, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL

Oral Poster 12
INTRA-ABDOMINAL PRESSURE CHANGES ASSOCIATED WITH LIFTING: IMPLICATIONS FOR POSTOPERATIVE ACTIVITY RESTRICTIONS
K. A. Gerten¹; H. E. Richter¹; T. L. Wheeler¹; L. Pair¹; R. Varner¹; M. Hibner²
1. University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
2. St. Joseph's Hospital and Medical Center, Phoenix, AZ

12:15 – 12:30 PM DISCUSSION OF ORAL POSTERS

Oral Poster 13
ARE MID-URETHRAL SLINGS SUPERIOR TO AUTOLOGOUS RECTUS FASCIAL SLINGS IN WOMEN WITH URINARY INCONTINENCE?
E. C. Trabuco¹; C. J. Klingele¹; A. L. Weaver³; D. J. Lightner²; G. B. John¹
1. Ob/Gyn, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
2. Urology, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
3. Biostatistics, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
12:35 PM  Oral Poster 14
OUTCOMES OF VAGINAL PROLAPSE
SURGERY (ANTERIOR WALL AND APICAL)
COMPARING ABDOMINAL SACRAL
COLPOPEXY (OPEN) TO UTEROSACRAL
SUSPENSION WITH OR WITHOUT ANTERIOR
COLPORRHAPHY
P. K. Thompson¹²; R. J. McCrery³; E. C. Lotze¹²;
H. Sangi-Haghpeykar²
1. Woman's Hospital of Texas, Houston, TX
2. Ob-Gyn, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston,
   TX
3. Urology, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston,
   TX

12:40 PM  Oral Poster 15
DOES SUPRACERVICAL HYSTERECTOMY
PROVIDE MORE SUPPORT TO THE VAGINAL
APEX THAN TOTAL ABDOMINAL
HYSTERECTOMY?
D. D. Rahn; A. C. Marker; M. M. Corton; S. M.
Roshanravan; J. I. Schaffer; C. Y. Wai
OB-GYN, Division of Urogynecology, U.T.
Southwestern, Dallas, TX

12:45 – 1:00 PM  DISCUSSION OF ORAL POSTERS

1:00 PM  Video Presentation 10
RETROPUBIC URETHROPEXY IN PATIENTS
WITH RECURRENT STRESS INCONTINENCE
AND LOW PRESSURE URETHRA
M. Moen
1. Advocate Lutheran General Hospital, Park
   Ridge, IL
2. Illinois Urogynecology, Park Ridge, IL
Video Discussant: Joan Bengtson, MD

1:15 PM  ADJOURN
16. SACRAL NEUROMODULATION THERAPY SURGICAL SITE INFECTION: TWO CASE REPORTS
A. Shahryarinejad1; M. D. Vardy1; C. Ascher-Walsh1; A. D. Garely2; C. K. Olivera1; S. Ginath1; S. H. Zhou1; M. Brodman1
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology Division of Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, NY
2. Obstetrics and Gynecology Division of Urogynecology, Winthrop Hospital, New York, NY

17. DATA MINING FROM A LARGE PROSPECTIVE SURGICAL TRIAL USING GEOMETRIC PROCESSING
S. Ginath2,1; M. D. Vardy1,3; C. K. Olivera1,3; S. Zhou1,3; C. J. Ascher-Walsch1; A. Shahryarinejad1,3; A. J. Flisser1; M. L. Brodman1
1. Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Science, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY
2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Sackler School of Medicine - Wolfson Medical Center, Holon, Israel
3. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Englewood Hospital and Medical Center, Englewood, NJ

18. A COMPARISON OF THE HOSPITAL COURSE OF PATIENTS UNDERGOING ABDOMINAL COLPOSACROPEXY WITH THOSE UNDERGOING SACROSPINOUS LIGAMENT FIXATION
M. N. Udrea; M. J. Bonidie
OBGYN, Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA

19. THE EVALUATION OF EFFICACY FOR TRANSOBTURATOR TAPE AND TENSION-FREE VAGINAL TAPE PROCEDURES IN PATIENTS UNDERGOING A CONCOMITANT ABDOMINAL SACRAL COLPOPEXY
C. K. Olivera1; A. D. Garely2,1; M. D. Vardy1; C. J. Ascher-Walsh1; S. Ginath1; S. H. Zhou1; A. Shahryarinejad1; M. L. Brodman1
1. OB/GYN-Division FPM&RS, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY
2. OB/GYN-Division FPM & RS, Winthrop Hospital and University Center, Mineola, NY

20. EVEN UNEXPOSED, TEGRESS URETHRAL BULKING AGENT MAY INITIALLY INCREASE URINARY INCONTINENCE
M. A. Kahn1; A. Carroll1; S. M. Fuentes2; J. D. Catalin1
1. OB/GYN, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX
2. Pathology, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX
21. LONG-TERM FOLLOWUP OF A TRANSVAGINAL BURCH URETHROPEXY FOR STRESS URINARY INCONTINENCE
C. Rardin1,2; V. W. Sung1,2; B. S. Hampton1,2; J. Clemons3; V. Aguilar5,6; E. R. Sokol4
1. OB/Gyn, Women and Infants' Hospital, Providence, RI
2. Brown Medical School, Providence, RI
3. OB/Gyn, Madigan Army Medical Center, Tacoma, WA
4. Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA
5. OB/Gyn, St Peter's University Hospital, New Brunswick, NJ
6. Drexel University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA

22. PUTTING THINGS BACK WHERE THEY BELONG™-SHORT TERM ANATOMIC OUTCOMES OF HIGH UTEROSACRAL LIGAMENT SUSPENSION AT THE TIME OF HYSTERECTOMY FOR PROLAPSE
A. Fitz; E. Mueller; K. Kenton; M. FitzGerald; L. Brubaker
Obstetrics & Gynecology and Urology, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL

23. BILATERAL ILIOCOCCYGEUS FIXATION COMPARED TO SACROSPINOUS LIGAMENT FIXATION: EFFECT ON TOTAL VAGINAL LENGTH
C. Croce; P. Takacs; C. A. Medina
Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Miami, Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine, Miami, FL

24. PATIENT’S ABILITY TO PERFORM PELVIC FLOOR MUSCLE CONTRACTIONS IS LINKED TO APICAL PROLAPSE
H. Abed1; R. Rogers1; T. Omotosho1; A. Pierce2; P. Arroyo3
1. Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center, Albuquerque, NM
2. Pathology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM
3. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Orlando Regional Medical Center, Orlando, FL

25. LONG-TERM DURABILITY OF AN IN-OFFICE, NONSURGICAL TRANSURETHRAL RADIOFREQUENCY TREATMENT FOR FEMALE STRESS URINARY INCONTINENCE: A RETROSPECTIVE ANALYSIS
R. A. Appell1; W. Wells2; J. P. Lenihan3; A. Kanellos4
1. Scott Department of Urology, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX
2. Alabama Research Center, Birmingham, AL
3. Tacoma Women’s Specialists, Tacoma, WA
26. A COMPARISON OF CYSTOTOMY RATES DURING TVT VS. TOT TYPE SUBURETHRAL SLINGS
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