



SOCIETY OF GYNECOLOGIC SURGEONS

***THIRTY-SIXTH
SCIENTIFIC MEETING***



**JW Marriott Starr Pass Resort & Spa
Tucson, Arizona**

**Monday - Wednesday
April 12-14, 2010**

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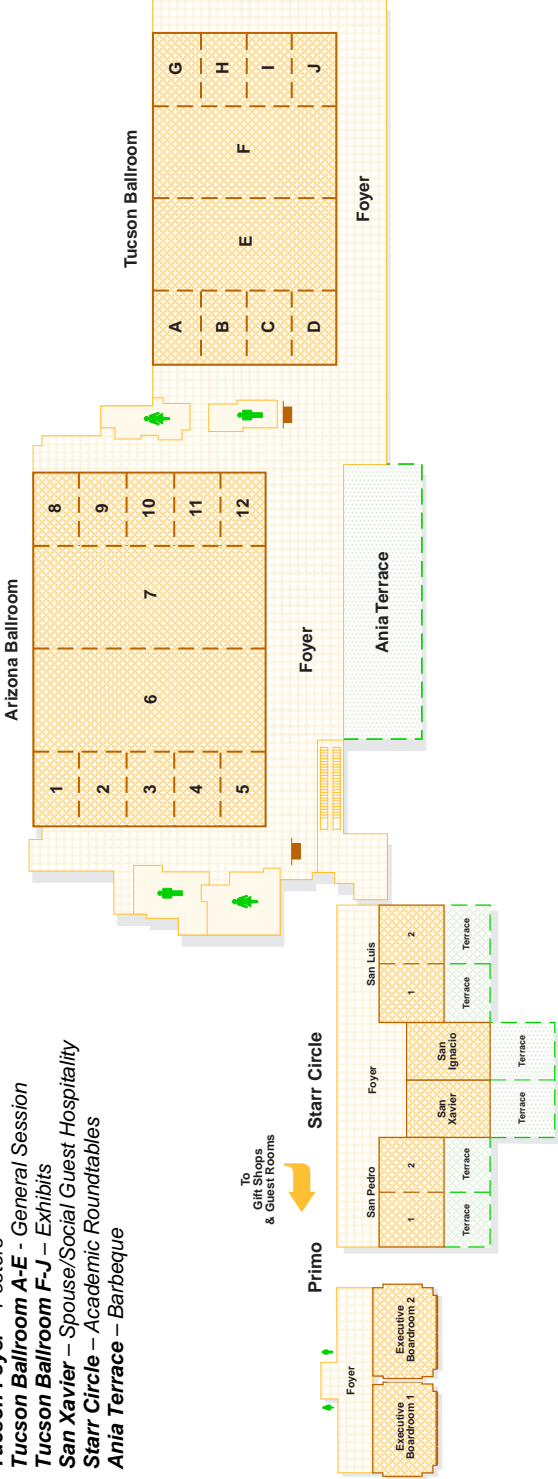
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MISSION STATEMENT

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
2009

Jack Pearson, MD
Tucson, Arizona



WELCOME FROM THE PRESIDENT

Welcome to Tucson for the 36th Annual Meeting of the Society of Gynecologic Surgeons! This meeting will be filled with opportunities for you to learn from, share with and enjoy your colleagues. I would like to highlight several activities in the program:

As President, I had the pleasure of inviting Dr. Heinz Koelbl as this year's TeLinde Lecturer who will be presenting an international perspective on removal of troublesome vaginal mesh. He is a world-renowned expert and extremely busy clinical surgeon. His perspective will be valuable to all of us as we seek to help our own patients with similar problems. We also have organized an outstanding panel of experts to discuss, "Simulation in Gynecologic Surgical Education", which will be held in the afternoon on Monday April, 12th. On Tuesday afternoon, the SGS Systematic Review Group will be presenting their new Guidelines on "Hysterectomy versus alternative therapies for heavy menstrual bleeding" for public comment. Additionally, Paul Magtibay has organized an excellent postgraduate course on "Robotics in Gynecologic Surgery" which will be held on Sunday April 11th before the beginning of the scientific sessions.

Socially, we have planned a number of fun activities for members and guests to enjoy including a Guided Mountain Bike Ride on Monday afternoon and a Golf Tournament on Tuesday afternoon. Please plan to mix and mingle at the Presidential Reception Monday night and join us at the “Barbeque under the Stars” on Tuesday evening complete with great food and a Country Western band to entertain us.

The Society of Gynecologic Surgeons is growing as more gynecologic surgeons recognize the important role that our Society plays in education and research. If you are a member, reach out to the many guests who are here this year. And if you are not yet a member, be sure to meet as many members as you can and consider submitting an application for membership. The guidelines can be found on the Society’s web page at www.sgsonline.org.

I hope to have an opportunity to visit with each of you personally at some point during the meeting. Enjoy the scholarly and social interactions we have to offer this year.

With all best wishes,

Linda Brubaker, MD

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Portsmouth, Virginia

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

37th Annual SGS Scientific Meeting
Monday-Wednesday, April 11-13, 2011
San Antonio Marriott Rivercenter Hotel
San Antonio, Texas
Douglass Hale, MD, Program Chair
Abstract Deadline: September 2010

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CME INFORMATION

PROGRAM DIRECTOR - Matthew D. Barber, MD MHS

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 and non-surgical procedures used in the treatment of gynecologic and urogynecologic disorders.
- 2) Discuss the current evidence of the benefits, risks and alternatives of new surgical innovations in gynecologic surgical practice.
- 3) List the advantages, disadvantages and appropriate indications of robotic surgery in gynecology.
- 4) Compare the cost, training and implementation of current robotic technology into gynecology practice compared to more traditional approaches to gynecologic surgery.
- 5) Describe strategies to minimize and treat mesh-related complications from pelvic reconstructive surgery.
- 6) List several methods of employing surgical simulation to improve gynecologic surgical training.
- 7) Employ evidence-based guidelines in the management of heavy menstrual bleeding.
- 8) Describe etiology and pathophysiology of pelvic floor dysfunction including urinary incontinence, fecal incontinence and pelvic organ prolapse.

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 of Surgeons is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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***4.25 credits for the Postgraduate Course**

***15.75 credits for the Annual Meeting**



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TELINDE LECTURER

Heinz Koelbl, M.D.

Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Chairman, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Johannes-Gutenberg-University Mainz



Professor Heinz Koelbl was born in Vienna, Austria in 1957. After his medical education graduation in 1981, he completed various medical education programs in Internal Medicine, General Surgery, Nephrology, Oncology, Neurology and Neonatology. His medical education in Obstetrics and Gynecology started in 1983 at the former 2nd Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology University (Wertheim Clinic) of Vienna. His special fields of scientific interest are all forms of Gynaecologic Surgery, Urogynaecology and Gynaecologic Oncology.

Heinz Koelbl was the European representative of the International Urogynecological Association between 1994 and 1998 and has served on the scientific board since 2003. He is member of the European Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology, an International Member of the Association of Professors of Gynecology and Obstetrics (APGO) and a member of the International Consultants of Incontinence. Since 2004, Professor Koelbl has been a member of the Executive Board of the European Board and College of Obstetrics and Gynaecology and was President of the European Urogynaecology Association from 2002-2008. He is now an executive committee member of the International Continence Society.

Professor Koelbl is Associate Editor and reviewer of various international journals and his scientific work comprises over 578 papers (> 295 Medline citations) published in standard and top-journals, 5 books, and various chapters in the German and Anglo-American literature in the field of Urogynecology and Gynecologic Oncology.

He has been a guest and visiting professor in Los Angeles (University of California Irvine – Professor Ostergard), University of Arizona (Tucson Cancer Center – Professor Hatch), and University of Perugia (Professor Porena). Professor Koelbl received the degree of honorary doctor by the University of Athens in 2010.

Heinz Koelbl has been the Chairman of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz since 2003.

On Monday at 10:10 AM, Professor Koelbl will discuss "Surgical Techniques for Mesh Complications".

ADDITIONAL SESSIONS & MEETINGS

Saturday, April 10, 2010

5:00 – 9:00 pm – San Xavier
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
(Invitation Only)

Sunday, April 11, 2010

7:30 am – 5:00 pm – Tucson Ballroom – Salon D
SGS SYSTEMATIC REVIEW GROUP (SRG)
Contact: Vivian Sung, MD
(Invitation Only)

10:00 am – 3:00 pm - San Pedro 1&2
SGS STATE OF GYNECOLOGIC SURGERY SUMMIT
(Invitation Only)

12:30 – 5:15 pm - (11:30 am – 12:30 pm Lunch)
POSTGRADUATE COURSE – "Robotics in Gynecologic Surgery"
Faculty – Drs. Paul M. Magtibay, (Course Director), Sean Dowdy,
Peter Lim, and Wesley Hilger
(Ticket Required)

Monday, April 12, 2010

2:00 – 3:30 pm – San Pedro 1&2
FELLOWSHIP DIRECTORS' MEETING
(Invitation Only)

3:30 – 4:30 pm - San Xavier
GOLD JOURNAL EDITORIAL BOARD MEETING
(Invitation Only)

Tuesday, April 13, 2010

6:30 – 7:30 am – Starr Circle
ACADEMIC ROUNDTABLE BREAKFAST DISCUSSIONS
Faculty - Drs. Kathy Jones & Cheryl Iglesia, Peter Rosenblatt, Charles Rardin, Peter Lotze, John Gebhart, Eman Elkadry, Edward Stanford, John DeLancey, J. Eric Jelovsek, Kristi Keil and Mark Walters (Ticket required)

2:15 – 4:00 PM – *San Xavier*
RESEARCH COMMITTEE MEETING
(Invitation Only)

Wednesday, April 14, 2010

1:00 - 6:00 pm – Arizona Ballroom – Salon 8
FELLOWS' PELVIC RESEARCH NETWORK (FPRN) - *(Invitation Only)*
SGS is sponsoring a multi-center research network for fellows, the Fellows' Pelvic Research Network (FPRN). 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 meets biannually to develop new protocols for multi-center research and to discuss ongoing projects. The FPRN is 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 & SOCIAL EVENTS

REGISTRATION

Tucson Registration Desk

Sunday, April 11, 2010 - 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, April 12-14 - 6:30 AM. - adjournment

GENERAL SESSIONS

Tucson Ballroom - Salons A-E

SPEAKER READY ROOM / GYN VIDEO VIEWING / INTERNET CAFÉ

San Luis 1&2

Sunday, April 11, 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm (Speaker Ready Only)

Monday and Tuesday, April 12-13 - 6:00 am - 5:00 pm

Wednesday, April 14 – 6:00 am to 12:00 pm

Speakers are requested to visit the Speaker Ready Area to review slides and equipment.

Registered attendees are invited to visit the GYN Video Viewing Area to view selected videos from the SGS library. The videos highlight pelvic anatomy & surgical procedures that provide viewers with detailed perspectives of the demonstrated practices. Check your email in the Internet Café.

EXHIBIT SET-UP

Tucson Ballroom - Salons F-J

Sunday, April 11

SET-UP OF POSTERS

Tucson Ballroom and Foyer

Sunday, April 11, after 3:00 pm

EXHIBIT HALL

Tucson Ballroom - Salons F-J

Monday and Tuesday, April 12-13

DISPLAYED POSTERS

Tucson Ballroom and Foyer

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, April 12-14

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

Exhibit Hall - Tucson Ballroom - Salons F-J

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - 6:30 - 7:30 am

Provided for registered meeting attendees

SPOUSE/SOCIAL GUEST HOSPITALITY - San Xavier

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - 8:00 am - 1:00 pm
Continental Breakfast & refreshments provided for spouses
& social guests

PANEL DISCUSSION - General Session

Monday, April 12, 12:40 -1:55 pm

"Simulation in Gynecologic Surgical Education"

J. Eric Jelovsek, MD, Moderator and **Dee Fenner, MD**

Christopher Awtrey, MD Division of Gyn Onc, Beth Israel Deaconess
Medical Center, Boston, Massachusetts

Andreas Meier, MD, Director Skills Laboratory and Simulation Center
Southern Illinois University Medical Center, Springfield, Illinois

Yuri Millo, MD, Director, Simulation and Training Environment Lab (SiTEL),
MedStar Health/ Washington Hospital Center, Washington, DC

GUIDED MOUNTAIN BIKE RIDE

Monday, April 12 – 2:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Bike trip on trails at Starr Pass

Meet in Lobby at 2:15 pm

(Ticket required)

PRESIDENTIAL RECEPTION

Exhibit Hall - Tucson Ballroom - Salons F-J

Monday, April 12 - 6:30 - 7:30 PM

All meeting registrants and their guests are invited to attend

SGS ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

SGS Annual Business meeting will be held Tuesday, April 13, 2010, at 1:25 PM
following the general session. All SGS members are invited and encouraged to
attend. Important business will be transacted.

FOUR-PLAYER SCRAMBLE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Tuesday, April 13, following General Session

Includes greens fee, cart, balls & box lunch

Meet in Lobby at 2:00 PM

Transportation provided to the Starr Pass Country Club.

(Ticket required)

BARBEQUE UNDER THE STARS

Sponsored in part by Ethicon Women's Health & Urology

Ania Terrace across from the Arizona Ballroom

Tuesday, April 13, 6:30 - 9:30 pm

Great music, food, drink & fun! Wear your western gear!

(Ticket required)

MEETING SCHEDULE

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SUNDAY, APRIL 11, 2010

POSTGRADUATE COURSE

Arizona Ballroom Salons A-C

ROBOTICS IN GYNECOLOGIC SURGERY

FACULTY

Drs. Paul M. Magtibay, (Course Director), Sean Dowdy, Peter Lim, and Wesley Hilger

11:30 AM

Lunch & Welcome

12:30-12:50 PM

Introduction to Robotic Instrumentation, Patient Positioning, & Trocar Placement

Paul M. Magtibay, MD

12-50-1:10 PM

Robotic Hysterectomy for Benign Disease: Surgical Technique and Tips

Sean Dowdy, MD

1:10-1:30 PM

Robotic Assisted Myomectomy

Peter Lim, MD

1:30-1:50 PM

Cost: How to Bill for Robotic Procedures & is it Worth the Expense?

Wesley Hilger, MD

1:50-2:10 PM

How Do I Start a Robotics Program: Building a team, Initial Training, & Appropriate First Cases?

Peter Lim, MD

2:10-2:30 PM

Questions & Answers

2:30-3:00 PM

Break

3:00-3:20 PM

Education & Training in Robotic Surgery

Paul M. Magtibay, MD / Sean Dowdy, MD

3:20-3:40 PM

Robotic Assisted Abdominal Sacrocolpopexy for Correction of Apical Vaginal Vault Prolapse

Wesley Hilger, MD

3:40-4:00 PM

Robotic Dissection and Review of Retroperitoneal Anatomy & Spaces

Paul M. Magtibay, MD

4:00-4:20 PM	Robotics in the Surgical Management of Endometrial Carcinoma Sean Dowdy, MD
4:20-4:40 PM	Robotic Radical Hysterectomy for Cervical Carcinoma Peter Lim, MD
4:40-5:00 PM	Questions & Answers
5:00-5:15 PM	Video Free-for-All: Presentation of other interesting applications of robotics in gynecologic surgery.
5:15 PM	Adjourn

Monday, April 12, 2010

6:30 AM – 1:00 PM **REGISTRATION – Tucson Registration Desk**

6:30 – 7:30 AM **BREAKFAST/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS**
Tucson Ballroom Salons F-J

7:30 AM **WELCOME & RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS**
Linda Brubaker, MD, President

7:45 AM - 9:00 AM **First Scientific Session**
Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E
Moderator: Linda Brubaker, MD

7:45 AM

Oral Presentation 1
**A MULTICENTER STUDY OF VESICOVAGINAL
FISTULA FORMATION FOLLOWING CYSTOTOMY
DURING HYSTERECTOMY FOR BENIGN INDICATIONS**
Drs. T. H. Duong¹; D. Taylor²; G. Meeks²
1. Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics, Emory
University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA; 2. Department
of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Mississippi
School of Medicine, Jackson, MS

DISCUSSANT: Anne Wiskind, MD

8:00 AM

Oral Presentation 2
**SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF SACRAL
NEUROMODULATION FOR THE TREATMENT OF
REFRACTORY URINARY URGENCY, FREQUENCY
AND/OR URGE INCONTINENCE**
Drs. R. M. Ward; D. H. Biller; M. L. McPheeters;
K. E. Hartmann
Obstetrics & Gynecology, Vanderbilt University Medical
Center, Nashville, TN

DISCUSSANT: Marie F. Paraiso, MD

8:15 AM

Oral Presentation 3
**RISK FACTORS LEADING TO POST SLING VOIDING
DYSFUNCTION AND SLING REVISION - A
MULTICENTER CASE-CONTROL STUDY**
Drs. S. Molden¹; J. Bracken²; D. Patterson³; A. Nguyen⁴;
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S. L. Hammil⁹; M. Murphy¹; R. G. Rogers⁹
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Reconstructive Surgery, Allentown, PA; 2. Scott & White,
Temple, TX; 3. Brigham And Women's Hospital, Boston,
MA; 4. Evanston Northshore Hospital, Evanston, IL;

5. University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA; 6. Loyola University, Chicago, IL; 7. University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX; 8. Greater Baltimore Medical Center, Baltimore, MD; 9. University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

DISCUSSANT: Oz Harmanli, MD

8:30 AM

Oral Presentation 4

A RANDOMIZED CLINICAL TRIAL OF VAGINAL MESH FOR PROLAPSE (VAMP)

Drs. C. B. Iglesia¹; A. I. Sokol¹; E. R. Sokol²; B. I. Kudish¹; R. E. Gutman¹; J. L. Peterson³; S. Shott⁴

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DISCUSSANT: Holly E. Richter, MD

8:45 AM

Video Presentation 1

DIFFICULT VAGINAL HYSTERECTOMY

Drs. A. C. Frick; G. B. Diwadkar; M. D. Walters; M. D. Barber

Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH

VIDEO DISCUSSANT: Carl Zimmerman, MD

9:00 - 9:30 AM

REFRESHMENTS/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS

Tucson Ballroom Salons F-J

Second Scientific Session

Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E

Moderator: John Gebhart, MD

9:30 AM

Oral Presentation 5

INFORMED CONSENT PRACTICE PATTERNS FOR MIDURETHRAL SLING SURGERY: THE EFFECT OF THE FDA NOTIFICATION

Drs. S. L. Hammil¹; R. G. Rogers¹; H. Abed³; R. Schrader²; M. Davis⁴

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DISCUSSANT: Cheryl B. Iglesia, MD

9:45 AM

Oral Poster 1

A COMPARISON OF SHORT TERM SEXUAL FUNCTION OUTCOMES FOR PATIENTS UNDERGOING THE TRANSVAGINAL MESH PROCEDURE USING THE STANDARD POLYPROPYLENE MESH VS A HYBRID POLYPROPYLENE/POLIGLECAPRONE MESH

Drs. N. Bhatia¹; M. Murphy¹; V. R. Lucente¹; N. Ehsani¹; H. Devakumar²; R. Shaw¹; S. DeTurk¹

1. The Institute for Female Pelvic Medicine & Reconstructive Surgery, Allentown, PA; 2. St. Luke's Hospital and Health Network, Allentown, PA

9:50 AM

Oral Poster 2

PELVIC MRI FOR ASSESSING THE EFFICACY OF THE PROLIFT SYSTEM IN THE SURGICAL TREATMENT OF PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE

Drs. S. Kasturi¹; J. Lowman²; C. Terry³; D. Hale¹

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2. Urogynecology, Kaiser Permanente, Atlanta, GA;
3. Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN

9:55 AM

Oral Poster 3

SUBJECTIVE AND OBJECTIVE OUTCOMES \geq 1 YEAR AFTER PLACEMENT OF A VAGINAL MESH DELIVERY SYSTEM TO CORRECT PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE

Drs. P. J. Culligan¹; P. Littman¹; C. G. Salamon¹; J. L. Priestley²; A. Shariati¹

1. Urogynecology & Reconstructive Pelvic Surgery, Atlantic Health, Morristown, NJ; 2. Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA

10:00 – 10:10 AM

ORAL POSTER Q&A

10:10 – 11:00 AM

RICHARD W. TELINDE LECTURE:

Introduction by Linda Brubaker, MD, President

Heinz Koelbl, MD

Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Chairman, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Johannes-Gutenberg-University Mainz

“Surgical Techniques for Mesh Complications”

11:00 - 11:45 AM

REFRESHMENTS/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS

Tucson Ballroom Salons F-J

11:45 AM - 12:40 PM

Third Scientific Session

Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E

Moderator: Kimberly Kenton, MD

11:45 AM

Oral Presentation 6

AN EVALUATION OF VALIDATED LAPAROSCOPIC SKILLS SIMULATORS AND THE IMPACT ON OPERATING ROOM PERFORMANCE IN OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY RESIDENTS

Drs. F. Orejuela¹; K. Gerten²; E. Lockrow³; K. A. Noel³; L. Chohan¹; C. C. Kilpatrick¹; J. Vaught⁴; E. Brock⁵; J. Schaffer⁶; R. Gala⁷

1. Obstetrics Gynecology, University of Texas @ Houston, Houston, TX; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL; 3. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, DC; 4. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Orlando Health, Orlando, FL; 5. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA; 6. Obstetrics and Gynecology, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX; 7. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Ochsner Health System, New Orleans, LA

DISCUSSANT: Peter. L. Rosenblatt, MD

12:00 PM

Oral Poster 4

TESTING AND VALIDATION OF A LOW COST CYSTOSCOPY TEACHING MODEL

Drs. B. Bowling¹; W. Greer¹; S. A. Bryant¹; J. L. Gleason¹; J. M. Szychowski²; R. L. Holley¹; R. Varner¹; H. E. Richter¹

1. Division of Women's Pelvic Medicine & Reconstructive Surgery, University of Alabama, Birmingham, Birmingham, AL; 2. Biostatistics, University of Alabama, Birmingham, Birmingham, AL

12:05 PM

Oral Poster 5

PELVIC ANATOMY AND GYNECOLOGIC LAPAROSCOPY COURSE- INCORPORATION INTO A SURGICAL CURRICULUM

Drs. S. R. Chang; S. Balgobin; D. D. McIntire; M. Corton
Obstetrics and Gynecology, UT Southwestern, Dallas, TX

12:10 PM

Oral Poster 6

TRIAL OF A NOVEL PORTABLE LAPAROSCOPIC TRAINING DEVICE

Drs. C. J. Sultana (**Candidate Member**); S. McConnell
Ob/GYN, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA

12:15 - 12:25 PM

ORAL POSTER Q&A

12:25 PM

Video Presentation 2

STEPS TO IMPROVE EFFICIENCY OF ROBOTIC SACRAL COLPOPEXY

Drs. A. I. Sokol¹; D. Shveiky¹; H. Nghiem¹; R. E. Gutman¹; M. F. Paraiso²; C. B. Iglesia¹

1. Division of Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, Washington Hospital Center, Washington, DC;
2. Division of Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, The Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH

VIDEO DISCUSSANT: Lily Arya, MD

12:40 - 1:55 PM

Panel Discussion: " Simulation in Gynecologic Surgical Education"

Drs. J. Eric Jelovsek, *Moderator*, Dee Fenner, Christopher Awtrey, Andreas Meier and Yuri Millo

1:55 PM

ADJOURN

2:00 – 3:30 PM

FELLOWSHIP DIRECTORS' MEETING

San Pedro 1&2

2:30 – 5:30 PM

GUIDED MOUNTAIN BIKE RIDE (*Meet in Lobby*)

3:30 – 4:30 PM

EDITORIAL BOARD MEETING

San Xavier

6:30 - 7:30 PM

PRESIDENTIAL RECEPTION (Exhibit Hall)

Tucson Ballroom Salons F-J

Tuesday, April 13, 2010

6:30 AM – 1:00 PM

REGISTRATION – *Tucson Registration Desk*

6:30 – 7:30 AM

ACADEMIC ROUNDTABLE BREAKFAST DISCUSSIONS

Starr Circle – 11 Tables

**1 - Cosmetic surgery in your gynecology practice:
Pros and Cons** – Drs. Kathy Jones & Cheryl Iglesia

2 - The surgeon as inventor: What you should know
Dr. Peter Rosenblatt

3 - Editing your surgical videos
Dr. Charles Rardin

4 - What's new in mesh kits for prolapse?
Dr. Peter Lotze

5 - Management of mesh complications

Dr. John Gebhart

6 - The use of Botox in Urogynecology

Dr. Eman Elkadry

7 - Pelvic pain & Interstitial Cystitis: An update

Dr. Edward Stanford

8 - Anatomic Facts and Fallacies

Dr. John DeLancey

9 - Strategies in teaching and learning surgical skills

Dr. Eric Jelovsek

10 - Coding & reimbursement in Urogyn

Dr. Kristi Keil

11- Uterine preservation at the time of prolapse surgery: Pros and Cons

Dr. Mark Walters

6:30 – 7:30 AM

BREAKFAST/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS

Tucson Ballroom Salons F-J

7:30 - 9:05 AM

Fourth Scientific Session

Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E

Moderator: Denise Elser, MD

7:30 AM

Oral Presentation 7

A RETROSPECTIVE MULTICENTER STUDY ON OUTCOMES AFTER MIDURETHRAL POLYPROPYLENE SLING (MUS) REVISION FOR VOIDING DYSFUNCTION

Dr. S. Molden¹; J. Bracken²; D. Patterson³; A. Nguyen⁴; H. S. Harvie⁵; M. Tarr⁶; A. White⁷; T. Sanses⁸; S. L. Hammil⁹; M. Murphy¹; R. G. Rogers⁹

1. The Institute for Female Pelvic Medicine & Reconstructive Surgery, Allentown, PA; 2. Scott & White, Temple, TX; 3. Brigham & Women's Hospital, Boston, MA; 4. Evanston Northshore Hospital, Evanston, IL; 5. University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA; 6. Loyola University, Chicago, IL; 7. University of Texas Southwestern, Dallas, TX; 8. Greater Baltimore Medical Center, Baltimore, MD; 9. University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

DISCUSSANT: Michael Moen, MD

- 7:45 AM **Oral Presentation 8**
QUANTIFICATION OF VAGINAL SUPPORT: ARE CONTINUOUS SCORES BETTER THAN POP-Q STAGE?
 Dr. L. Brubaker¹; and the PFDN²
 1. OG, Loyola, Maywood, IL; 2. for the, Pelvic Floor Disorders Network, Bethesda, MD
- DISCUSSANT:** Patrick J. Culligan, MD
- 8:00 AM **Oral Presentation 9**
SEXUAL FUNCTION IN PATIENTS WITH PROLAPSE AND THEIR SEXUAL PARTNERS
 Drs. N. Y. Siddiqui; R. G. Fulton; J. Wu
 Obstetrics & Gynecology, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC
- DISCUSSANT:** Rebecca Rogers, MD
- 8:15 AM **Oral Poster 7**
REOPERATION WITHIN 10 YEARS AFTER PRIMARY PROLAPSE SURGERY
 Drs. P. T. Gotthart¹; K. Tamussino¹; P. F. Lang²; G. Ralph³
 1. OB/GYN, Medical University of Graz, Graz, Austria;
 2. KH der Barmherzigen Brüder, Graz, Austria;
 3. LKH Leoben, Leoben, Austria
- 8:20 AM **Oral Poster 8**
AMBULATORY PROCEDURES FOR PELVIC FLOOR DISORDERS IN THE UNITED STATES: 1996 AND 2006
 Drs. E. A. Erekson¹; V. V. Lopes²; C. Raker²; V. W. Sung³
 1. Division of Urogynecology, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, CT; 2. Women and Infants' Hospital of Rhode Island, Providence, RI; 3. Division of Urogynecology and Reconstructive Surgery, Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Providence, RI
- 8:25 AM **Oral Poster 9**
SHORT TERM RESULTS OF PINNACLE® PROCEDURE USED TO TREAT ANTERIOR/APICAL PROLAPSE IN 43 PATIENTS
 Drs. A. Shapiro¹; P. Dramitinos¹; M. R. Hacker²; K. J. Hanaway¹; E. A. Elkadry¹; P. L. Rosenblatt¹
 1. Division of Urogynecology, Mount Auburn Hospital, Cambridge, MA; 2. OB/Gyn, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA
- 8:30 AM – 8:40 AM **ORAL POSTER Q&A**

8:40 AM

Video Presentation 3

FINDINGS ON CYSTOURETHROSCOPY

Drs. E. R. Casiano; J. A. Occhino; J. B. Gebhart;
C. J. Klingele
Gynecologic Surgery, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

VIDEO DISCUSSANT: Catherine Bradley, MD

8:55 AM - 9:05 AM

DISTINGUISHED SURGEON AWARD

Introduction by Linda Brubaker, MD, President

9:05 AM - 9:35 AM

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Tucson Ballroom Salons F-J

9:35 AM - 10:45 AM

Fifth Scientific Session

Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E

Moderator: Sheldon Weinstein, MD

9:35 AM

Video Presentation 4

**MANAGEMENT OF LARGE VESICOVAGINAL FISTULA
AND UTERINE PROLAPSE WITH MODIFIED LEFORT
COLPOCLEISIS**

Drs. P. L. Rosenblatt; P. Dramitinos; C. A. Apostolis
Division of Urogynecology, Mount Auburn Hospital,
Cambridge, MA

VIDEO DISCUSSANT: Marcella Roenneburg, MD

9:50 AM

Oral Presentation 10

**MICROINVASIVE ADENOCARCINOMA OF THE
UTERINE CERVIX IS AMENABLE TO CONSERVATIVE
MANAGEMENT**

Drs. E. A. Reynolds¹; K. Tierney²; G. Keeney³; J. Felix⁴; L.
Roman²; W. A. Cliby¹

1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Mayo Clinic Rochester,
Rochester, MN; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, University
of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA; 3. Pathology and
Laboratory Medicine, Mayo Clinic Rochester, Rochester,
MN; 4. Surgical Pathology, University of Southern
California, Los Angeles, CA

DISCUSSANT: Karl Tamussino, MD

10:05 AM

Oral Presentation 11

PELVIC FLOOR DISORDERS AND SEXUAL FUNCTION IN GYNECOLOGIC CANCER SURVIVORS: A COHORT STUDY

Drs. T. L. Rutledge; S. Heckman; C. Muller; R. G. Rogers
OB/GYN, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

DISCUSSANT: Paul Magtibay, MD

10:20 AM

Tip/Trick 1

SELF-DIRECTED LEARNING AND SUPERVISED PRACTICE SESSIONS WITH VERBAL FEEDBACK IMPROVES BASIC AND ADVANCED SURGICAL PERFORMANCE IN FIRST YEAR GYNECOLOGY RESIDENTS

Drs. J. E. Jelovsek¹; G. Diwadkar¹; A. C. Frick¹; C. Taylor²
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH; 2. Education Institute, Cleveland Clinic Lerner College of Medicine, Cleveland, OH

10:25 AM

Trip/Trick 2

PREVENTION OF BRACHIAL PLEXUS INJURY IN ROBOTIC PELVIC SURGERY

Drs. D. Shveiky¹; T. E. Kelly²; J. M. Hidler³; J. M. Aseff³; C. B. Iglesia¹

1. Ob/Gyn, Division of Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, Washington Hospital Center, Washington, DC; 2. Ob/Gyn, Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, DC; 3. Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Washington Hospital Center and National Rehabilitation Hospital, Washington, DC

10:30 AM

Video Presentation 5

ROBOTIC-ASSISTED SUPRACERVICAL HYSTERECTOMY AND CERVICOSACROPEXY FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF APICAL PROLAPSE

Dr. C. A. Matthews

Obstetrics and Gynecology, VCU Medical Center, Richmond, VA

VIDEO DISCUSSANT: Patrick Woodman, DO

10:45 - 11:00 AM

NIH/NICHD Update: Susan Meikle, MD

11:00 - 11:45 AM

REFRESHMENTS/EXHIBITS/VIEW POSTERS

Tucson Ballroom Salons F-J

- 11:45 AM - 12:55 PM** **Sixth Scientific Session**
Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E
Moderator: Marc Toglia, MD
- 11:45 AM** **Video Presentation 6**
ROBOTIC ASSISTED TRACHELECTOMY FOR A CERVICAL MASS
Drs. K. Jacob; P. Magtibay
Gynecology, Mayo Clinic Arizona, Phoenix, AZ
- DISCUSSANT:** Ted Lee, MD
- 12:00 PM** **Oral Presentation 12**
RETRO PUBIC MIDURETHRAL SLING VERSUS BLADDER NECK SLING IN THE TREATMENT OF LOW PRESSURE URETHRA
Drs. T. Gamble¹; H. Du²; R. P. Goldberg¹; A. Nguyen¹; M. Vu¹; A. Gafni-Kane¹; S. M. Botros¹; P. K. Sand¹
1. Division of Urogynecology, Dept. of Obstetrics and Gynecology, NorthShore University HealthSystem, Evanston, IL; 2. Center for Outcomes Research & Education, NorthShore University HealthSystem, Evanston, IL
- DISCUSSANT:** Charles W. Nager, MD
- 12:15 PM** **Oral Poster 10**
PREDICTORS OF TRANSFUSION REQUIREMENT AMONG PATIENTS WHO UNDERGO HYSTERECTOMY FOR BENIGN DISEASE
Drs. S. Kane¹; L. A. Sproat¹; S. Collins²;
J. Mangel¹ (**Candidate Member**)
1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, MetroHealth Medical Center, Cleveland, OH; 2. Ob/Gyn, Division of Urogynecology, Hartford Hospital, Hartford, CT
- 12:20 PM** **Oral Poster 11**
REVIEW OF AN OUTPATIENT HYSTERECTOMY PROTOCOL EVALUATING CLINICAL OUTCOMES IN PATIENTS UNDERGOING VAGINAL, LAPAROSCOPIC, AND ROBOTIC HYSTERECTOMY
Drs. J. Klauschie; L. Kill; M. Akl; K. Jacob; J. Magrina; R. Kho
Mayo Clinic Arizona, Scottsdale, AZ

12:25 PM

Oral Poster 12

UTILITY OF CLINICAL PARAMETERS, CYSTOURETHROSCOPY, AND MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING IN THE PREOPERATIVE DIAGNOSIS OF URETHRAL DIVERTICULA

Drs. S. D. Pathi¹; J. Sailors²; V. Graziano³; R. Sims³; R. Stone¹; D. D. McIntire¹; D. D. Rahn¹; C. Y. Wai¹

1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Div of Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, UT Southwestern, Dallas, TX; 2. Pathology, UT Southwestern, Dallas, TX; 3. Radiology, UT Southwestern, Dallas, TX

12:30–12:40 PM

ORAL POSTER Q&A

12:40 PM

Oral Presentation 13

SYSTEMATIC REVIEW HIGHLIGHTS DIFFICULTY INTERPRETING DIVERSE CLINICAL OUTCOMES IN ABNORMAL UTERINE BLEEDING TRIALS

Drs. D. D. Rahn¹ (*Candidate Member*);

H. Abed²; V. W. Sung³; K. A. Matteson⁴; R. G. Rogers⁵; M.Y. Morrill⁶; M. D. Barber⁷; J. Schaffer⁸; T. L. Wheeler, II⁹; E. M. Balk¹⁰; K. Uhlig¹¹

1. University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX; 2. Henry Ford Health System, Detroit, MI; 3. Women and Infants Hospital of Rhode Island / Brown Medical School, Providence, RI; 4. Women and Infants Hospital of Rhode Island / Brown Medical School, Providence, RI; 5. University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center, Albuquerque, NM; 6. Kaiser Permanente, San Francisco, CA; 7. Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH; 8. University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX; 9. University of South Carolina, Greenville, SC; 10. Tufts Medical Center, Boston, MA; 11. Tufts Medical Center, Boston, MA

DISCUSSANT: R. Edward Varner, MD

12:55 - 1:25 PM

Systematic Review Group Report:

"Hysterectomy versus Alternative Therapies for Heavy Menstrual Bleeding"

1:25 PM

ADJOURN

1:25 - 2:15 PM

Business Meeting *Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E (Members Only)*

2:00 – 6:00 PM

Golf Scramble

****Meet in Lobby 2:00 PM****

2:15 – 4:00 PM

Research Committee Meeting

San Xavier

6:30 – 9:30 PM

Barbeque under the Stars at Starr Pass

Ania Terrace

Wednesday, April 14, 2010

- 6:30 AM – 1:00 PM **REGISTRATION** – *Tucson Registration Desk*
- 6:30 – 7:30 AM **BREAKFAST/VIEW POSTERS**
Tucson Ballroom Salons F
- 7:30 - 9:15 AM** **Seventh Scientific Session**
Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E
Moderator: Stephen Metz, MD
- 7:30 AM **Video Presentation 7**
ROBOTIC SACRAL COLPOPEXY AFTER VAGINAL HYSTERECTOMY
Drs. S. A. Collins; P. K. Tulikangas
Obstetrics and Gynecology, Division of Urogynecology, Hartford Hospital, University of Connecticut Health Center, Hartford, CT

DISCUSSANT: J. Eric Jelovsek, MD
- 7:45 AM **Oral Presentation 14**
COST MINIMIZATION ANALYSIS OF ABDOMINAL, LAPAROSCOPIC, AND ROBOTIC-ASSISTED MYOMECTOMIES
Drs. C. Likes; M. Behera; J. Judd; J. C. Barnett; L. Havrilesky; J. Wu
OB/Gyn, Duke University, Durham, NC

DISCUSSANT: Abraham Morse, MD
- 8:00 AM **Oral Presentation 15**
PREVALENCE AND RISK FACTORS FOR MESH EROSION AFTER MINIMALLY INVASIVE SACROCOLPOPEXY
Drs. J. Tan-Kim¹; S. A. Menefee²; (**Candidate Member**); K. M. Luber²; C. W. Nager¹; K. C. Su³; M. A. Kahn²; E. S. Lukacz¹
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2. Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Division of Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, Kaiser San Diego, San Diego, CA; 3. Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Division of Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, Kaiser Riverside, Riverside, CA

DISCUSSANT: Charles Rardin, MD

8:15 AM

Oral Presentation 16

**COMPARISON OF RESPONSIVENESS OF VALIDATED
OUTCOME MEASURES AFTER SURGERY FOR
STRESS URINARY INCONTINENCE**

Drs. A. C. Frick¹; B. Ridgeway¹; M. Ellerkmann²;
M. M. Karram³; M. D. Walters¹; M. D. Barber¹

1. Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH; 2. Greater Baltimore
Medical Center, Baltimore, MD; 3. Good Samaritan
Hospital, Cincinnati, OH

DISCUSSANT: Geoffrey Cundiff, MD

8:30 AM

Oral Poster 13

**SUBJECTIVE AND OBJECTIVE OUTCOMES AT LEAST
ONE YEAR AFTER ROBOTIC-ASSISTED
LAPAROSCOPIC SACROCOLPOPEXY**

Drs. C. G. Salamon; A. Shariati; P. J. Culligan
Division of Urogynecology, Atlantic Health System,
Morristown, NJ

8:35 AM

Oral Poster 14

**INTRODUCTION OF THE DA VINCI ROBOT TO
GYNECOLOGY: IS THERE A SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON
ROUTE OF HYSTERECTOMY IN THE FIRST YEAR OF
USE?**

Drs. C. A. Matthews¹ (**Candidate Member**);
N. Reid¹; K. Hull¹; V. Ramakrishnan²; S. Cohen¹

1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, VCU Medical Center,
Richmond, VA; 2. Biostatistics, VCU Medical Center,
Richmond, VA

8:40 AM

Oral Poster 15

**A MULTI-INSTITUTIONAL EXPERIENCE WITH
LAPAROENDOSCOPIC SINGLE-SITE SURGERY IN
GYNECOLOGIC ONCOLOGY**

Drs. P. F. Escobar¹; A. Nickles Fader²; L. Rojas-Espaillet³

1. Gynecologic Oncology, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland,
OH; 2. Gynecologic Oncology, Greater Baltimore Medical
Center and Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, MD;
3. Gynecologic Oncology, Avera McKennan Hospital and
University Health Center, Sioux Falls, SD

8:45 – 8:55 AM

ORAL POSTER Q&A

8:55 AM

Tip/Trick 3

THE IMPROVISED MIDURETHRAL SLING: A COST EFFECTIVE OPTION FOR USE IN A THIRD WORLD COUNTRY

Drs. S. Kambiss¹; H. Gonzalez-Garcia¹; Y. Dooley¹; R. Canales²; R. Aviles²

1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, TX; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Hospital Escuela, Tegucigalpa, Honduras

9:00 AM

Video Presentation 8

LAPAROSCOPIC SACROHYSTEROPEXY

Drs. A. Broach; T. Lee

UPMC, Magee Womens Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA

VIDEO DISCUSSANT: Jeffrey Cornella, MD

9:15 - 9:20 AM

Fellows Pelvic Research Network Update

9:20 – 9:50 AM

Presidential Address:

Introduction by Immediate Past President

Thomas Nolan, MD

Linda Brubaker, MD

“The State of Gynecologic Surgery”

9:50 – 10:00 AM

Passing of the Gavel

10:00 - 10:45 AM

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Tucson Foyer

10:45 AM - 1:05 PM

Eighth Scientific Session

Tucson Ballroom Salons A-E

Moderator: Joseph Schaffer, MD

2011 President

10:45 AM

Video Presentation 9

HYSTEROTOMY CLOSURE USING BARBED SUTURE - AN EVOLUTION OF OUR TECHNIQUE

Drs. J. I. Einarsson; J. A. Greenberg

Ob/Gyn, Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, MA

VIDEO DISCUSSANT: James Unger, MD

11:00 AM

Oral Presentation 17

RISK OF DEEP VEIN THROMBOSIS AND PULMONARY EMBOLISM IN UROGYNECOLOGIC SURGICAL PATIENTS

Drs. E. R. Solomon; A. C. Frick; M. D. Barber
OB/GYN, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH

DISCUSSANT: Douglass S. Hale, MD

11:15 AM

Oral Presentation 18

THE IMPACT OF DISPOSITIONAL OPTIMISM ON TREATMENT OF PELVIC FLOOR DYSFUNCTION

Drs. O. Ramm¹; L. Lowenstein²; E. Mueller¹; M. P. Fitzgerald¹; L. Brubaker¹; K. Kenton¹

1. Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Bruce and Ruth Rappaport, Technion Faculty of Medicine, Rambam Health Care Campus, Haifa, Israel

DISCUSSANT: Jeffrey Clemons, MD

11:30 AM

Oral Presentation 19

IRB VARIABILITY IN MULTICENTER STUDIES

Drs. H. S. Harvie¹; L. Lowenstein⁷; T. Omotosho³; T. Sances⁴; S. Molden⁵; J. R. Hardy⁶; L. Brubaker²

1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Univ of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL; 3. Obstetrics and Gynecology, John Hopkins, Baltimore, MD; 4. Obstetrics and Gynecology, GBMC/ University of Maryland Center, Baltimore, MD; 5. Obstetrics and Gynecology, The Institute for Female Pelvic Medicine, Allentown, PA; 6. Medicine, University of Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester, MA; 7. Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Rambam Medical Center, Haifa, Israel

DISCUSSANT: Peggy Norton, MD

11:45 AM

Oral Poster 16

MICROSCOPIC CONFIGURATION AND INTEGRITY OF FLAT SQUARE KNOTS

Drs. S. Balgobin¹; C. A. Hamid¹; M. M. Good¹; L. B. Good¹; S. A. Brown²; C. Y. Wai¹

1. Obstetrics & Gynecology, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX; 2. Plastic Surgery, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, TX

11:50 AM

Oral Poster 17

TENSILE STRENGTH AT FAILURE OF A SURGEON'S KNOT OR A FLAT SQUARE KNOT

Drs. T. M. Muffly¹; A. J. Bonham³; J. Boyce²

1. Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH; 2. Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Missouri Kansas City, Kansas City, MO; 3. Department of Medical Informatics and Personalized Health, University of Missouri Kansas City, Kansas City, MO

11:55 AM

Oral Poster 18

SURGICAL SKILLS EVALUATION: COMPARISON OF SELF VERSUS EXPERT EVALUATIONS

Drs. M. Kulkarni¹; Y. Komesu¹; R. Urwitz-Lane²; B. Ozel²; J. Lukban³; M. A. Kahn⁴; T. Muir⁵; D. Fenner⁶; R. G. Rogers¹

1. Obstetrics and gynecology, University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center, Albuquerque, NM; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA; 3. Obstetrics and gynecology, Eastern Virginia Medical School, Norfolk, VA; 4. Obstetrics and gynecology, The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston, Galveston, TX; 5. Obstetrics and gynecology, Scott & White Hospital, College of Medicine, Texas A&M Health Science Center, Temple, TX; 6. Obstetrics and gynecology, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, MI

12:00-12:10 PM

ORAL POSTER Q&A

12:10 PM

Oral Poster 19

DOES WEIGHT LOSS IMPROVE FECAL INCONTINENCE SEVERITY IN OVERWEIGHT AND OBESE WOMEN WITH URINARY INCONTINENCE?

Drs. A. D. Markland¹; H. E. Richter²; K. L. Burgio¹; A. Hernandez⁴; D. Myers³; L. L. Subak⁴

1. Medicine/Geriatrics, UAB, Birmingham, AL; 2. Ob/Gyn, UAB, Birmingham, AL; 3. Ob/Gyn, Urology, Epi/Biostat, UCSF, San Francisco, CA; 4. Ob/Gyn, Brown University, Providence, RI

12:15 PM

Oral Poster 20

3-YEAR RESULTS OF THE ADJUSTABLE CONTINENCE THERAPY (ACT®) IN THE TREATMENT OF RECURRENT STRESS URINARY INCONTINENCE (SUI)

Drs. S. E. Sutherland¹; S. R. Aboseif²; S. D. Nash³; N. H. Baum⁴; L. Tu⁵; P. J. Pommerville⁶; J. N. Slutsky⁷; N. T. Galloway⁸; J. F. Bresette⁹

1. Metro Urology, Plymouth, MN; 2. Kaiser Permanente, Los Angeles, CA; 3. Kansas City Urology, Leawood, KS; 4. Neil Baum Urology, New Orleans, LA; 5. CHUS - Fleurimont, Sherbrooke, QC, Canada; 6. Can-Med clinical Research, Victoria, BC, Canada; 7. Urological Surgeons, Kankakee, IL; 8. Emory University School of Medicine - Urology, Atlanta, GA; 9. Lahey clinic, Burlington, MA

12:20 PM

Oral Poster 21

VALIDATION OF WEB-BASED ADMINISTRATION OF THE SHORT FORM PELVIC ORGAN PROLAPSE/ URINARY INCONTINENCE SEXUAL FUNCTION QUESTIONNAIRE (PISQ-12)

Drs. B. A. Parnell; G. C. Dunivan; E. J. Geller
OB/Gyn - Urogynecology, UNC-Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC

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ROBOTIC-ASSISTED VESICO-CERVICAL FISTULA REPAIR

Dr. C. A. Matthews

Obstetrics and Gynecology, VCU Medical Center, Richmond, VA

DISCUSSANT: Mikio Nihira, MD

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ROBOTIC-ASSISTED LAPAROSCOPIC URETERAL RE-IMPLANATATION IN PATIENTS WITH URETERO-VAGINAL FISTULA

Drs. N. Desai; M. Hibner

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DISCUSSANT: Vivian W. Sung, MD

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1. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center / Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology, Mount Auburn Hospital / Harvard Medical School, Cambridge, MA
23. **EXCRETION OF COLORED URINE AFTER INTRAVENOUS INJECTION OF INDIGO CARMINE DYE**
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