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12TH ANNUAL
ADVANCED WORKSHOP ON
GYNECOLOGIC LAPAROSCOPIC ANATOMY & MINIMALLY INVASIVE SURGERY INCLUDING TVT AND TOT

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Scientific Program Chair

May 21-22, 2010
University of Louisville
Louisville, Kentucky
COURSE DESCRIPTION

Overview
This postgraduate workshop has been designed for gynecologists with advanced laparoscopic skills who desire to master retroperitoneal and Space of Retzius anatomy and the various surgeries performed therein, including the performance of TVT/TOT surgery and cystoscopy.

These goals are achieved using unembalmed female cadavers in an extensive two-day course of lectures and hands-on laparoscopic experience. No more than three participants are assigned to each cadaver and are closely supervised by experienced faculty instructors, including some of the most outstanding physicians in this field. The faculty members are selected based on surgical experience as well as expertise in teaching in this setting.

During each hour of hands-on experience with the cadaver, each participant will operate, assist and observe. With this rotational format, participants learn pelvic anatomy and laparoscopic suturing skills in a meaningful manner. Faculty members will lead participants through procedures such as pelvic sidewall dissection, preparation for laparoscopic hysterectomy, uterosacral colposuspension, Burch retropubic colposuspension, and paravaginal defect repairs through the laparoscopic approach.

Breakout sessions will highlight the use of TVT/TOT while a separate group works with instructors in laparoscopic suturing.

This workshop is limited to 27 participants, so we encourage you to register today. This is the 12th annual course held at the University of Louisville and it has been highly acclaimed by attendees from around the world.

Objectives
After completion of this two-day course of lectures and hands-on dissection of human, fresh frozen cadavers, the participants will:

- Increase their applied knowledge of female pelvic anatomy.
- Improve their surgical skills through hands-on dissection of retroperitoneal spaces and pelvic sidewall.
- Improve their anatomic knowledge and laparoscopic skills in performing advanced operative laparoscopic procedures.
- Reinforce their laparoscopic suturing skills and learn new ones.
- Learn how to perform cystoscopy and the TVT/TOT procedure.

Target Audience
This educational program is designed for specialists in gynecology and practitioners of women’s health care including gynecologists, fellows and residents.
Accreditation
The AAGL is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The AAGL designates this educational activity for a maximum of 15 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists will recognize this educational activity. In order to apply for cognates, please fax a copy of your certificate to ACOG at (202) 484-1586.

The American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA) accepts AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ from organizations accredited by the ACCME. The AAGL is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing Provider No. CEP 10425, and designates this educational activity for 15 contact hours for nurses. Other clinicians may earn continuing education credit for this course. Please check with your state licensing board to determine if this activity meets its continuing education requirements.

Each participant should claim only those credits that he/she actually spent in the activity. Participants must sign in to receive credits.

Conflict of Interest
It is the policy of the AAGL to ensure balance, independence, objective, and scientific rigor in all sponsored educational programs. All faculty participating in continuing medical education activities are required to complete a conflict of interest disclosure form. This information will be printed in the syllabus which will be distributed at the workshop. In addition, all participating faculty are required to disclose to the audience any real or apparent conflict of interest related to the content of their presentations and must also disclose any discussions of unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs or devices.

Disclaimers
All the recommendations involving clinical medicine in the program are based on evidence that is accepted within the field of medicine as adequate justification for their indications and contraindications in the care of patients. All scientific research referred to, reported or used in the program in support or justification of a patient care recommendation conforms to the generally accepted standards of experimental design, data collection and analysis.
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GENERAL INFORMATION

Location
University of Louisville, Health Sciences Center, Building B
Louisville, Kentucky 40202
For emergencies over the dates of the meeting, please contact the cadaver lab at (502) 852-5744.

Registration Fees

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All registrations must be made through the AAGL office:
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Cancellation Policy
Cancellations received prior to April 28, 2009 will be refunded minus $125 for administrative fees. No refunds will be made after April 28, 2010. In the event that this course is canceled for any reason, attendees will be notified of course cancellation no later than two weeks prior to scheduled dates and a full refund will be issued. Attendee will be responsible for canceling their own hotel and airline reservations.

Lodging
Courtyard by Marriott - Louisville Downtown
100 South Second Street
Louisville, Kentucky 40202
Ph: (502) 562-0200
The AAGL has reserved a block of rooms at the Marriott. The rate is $109.00 for a single room or a double room, plus state/local taxes currently at 15.01%. To receive this special rate, make your hotel reservations on or before April 20, 2010 and state that you are an AAGL workshop attendee. Reservations made after this date will be on a space and rate available basis only. A credit card guarantee for the first night’s deposit will be required when making reservations.

Daily transportation will be provided from the Marriott to the Health Sciences Center. For those not staying at the Marriott a map will be available upon request.

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Laguna Travel has been appointed as the official travel agent for this meeting. Attendees are able to make reservations on any airline through this agency and their representatives will assist you in obtaining the lowest fare possible for your travel preference and schedule. To take advantage of this invaluable service, please call:
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April 10, 2010
Hysteroscopy Workshop
Scientific Program Chair, Keith B. Isaacson
Newton-Wellesley Hospital
Boston, Massachusetts

April 11 – 13, 2010
World Robotic Gynecology Congress II
Scientific Program Chair: Arnold P. Advincula
Disney’s Yacht & Boat Club Resort
Orlando, Florida

April 17 – 18, 2010
19th Annual Comprehensive Workshop on Minimally Invasive Gynecology for Residents & Fellows
Scientific Program Chair: Grace M. Janik
Hyatt Regency McCormick Place
Chicago, Illinois

May 2 – 5, 2010
International Society of Emerging Technologies and Treatment in Women’s Health
Scientific Program Chair: Togas Tulandi
Hyatt Regency
Montreal, QC Canada

May 5 – 8, 2010
12th International Meeting on Gynaecological Surgery
Scientific Program Chair: Mario Malzoni
Centro Direzionale Auditorium Collina Liguorini
Avellino, Italy

May 14 – 16, 2010
Laparoscopic Complications: Prevention and If Things Go Wrong, What Next?
Scientific Program Chair: George A. Pistofidis
Meagron Athens International Conference Centre
Athens, Greece

May 21 – 22, 2010
12th Annual Advanced Workshop on Gynecologic Laparoscopic Anatomy & Surgery on Unembalmed Cadavers
Scientific Program Chair: Resad P. Pasic
University of Louisville
Louisville, Kentucky

June 23 – 26, 2010
IVth AAGL International Congress on Minimally Invasive Gynecology in conjunction with the Croatian Medical Association and Croatian Society of Gynaecological Endoscopy
Scientific Program Chair: Miroslav Kopjar
Hotel “Libertas” Dubrovnik
Dubrovnik, Croatia

April 5 – 9, 2011
Vth AAGL International Congress on Minimally Invasive Gynecology in conjunction with the Turkish Society of Gynecological Endoscopy
Scientific Program Chair: Fatih Sendag
Bornova, Izmir, Turkey

ANNUAL MEETINGS

November 8 – 12, 2010
39th Global Congress of Minimally Invasive Gynecology
Scientific Program Chair: Linda D. Bradley
Caesars Palace
Las Vegas, Nevada

November 6 – 10, 2011
40th Global Congress of Minimally Invasive Gynecology
Scientific Program Chair: Keith B. Isaacson
The Westin Diplomat
Hollywood, Florida

November 5 – 9, 2012
41st Global Congress of Minimally Invasive Gynecology
Caesars Palace
Las Vegas, Nevada
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Benefits of Membership

- Physician Finder — Promote your practice through this online directory as patients and payors come to the AAGL website to search for gynecologists experienced in minimally invasive gynecology. Target your preferred patients by indentifying the focus of your practice. Only available to members.

- AAGL SurgeryU — View over 300 gynecologic surgery videos featuring the foremost surgeons from around the world. Upload and share your own video with a community of minimally invasive gynecologists. Free to members, costs $290 without membership.

- The Journal of Minimally Invasive Gynecology — Your foremost source for continuing medical education credits. The AAGL is approved by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Only available to members.

- EndoExchange — Participate in this lively, listserv email forum posting questions and answers with fellow AAGL members. Last year over 800 posts were submitted covering all aspects of minimally invasive gynecology. Real-time advice discussed with gynecologic surgeons with real-life experience. Only available to members.

- Preferred Prices — Receive preferred pricing for all workshops, publications, scientific meetings and courses offered by the AAGL. Your savings easily can exceed the cost of membership.

- CGE — Receive peer recognition for your surgical skills through the Council of Gynecologic Endoscopy (CGE) and identify yourself to patients and payors with your CGE recognition. Reduced fees for members.

- Mini-Fellowship — These short-term, practical and educational programs afford you the opportunity to visit, observe, and experience surgeries with well-known participating surgeons. Only available to members.

- NewsScope — AAGL's quarterly newsletter.

- AAGL Bulletin — Timely information about medical developments and AAGL news.

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Department Chair Name: ___________________________ Resident/Fellow’s Name: ___________________________ (Circle one) Signature/Date:__________________________

Demographics:

☐ Male ☐ Female Year of Birth:__________________________

Type of Practice:

☐ Full-time Academic ☐ Private ☐ Residency ☐ Fellowship ☐ Hospital

Primary: ☐ Gynecology ☐ Ob/Gyn ☐ Infertility ☐ Urology ☐ Oncology ☐ Other

Secondary: ☐ Gynecology ☐ Ob/Gyn ☐ Infertility ☐ Urology ☐ Oncology ☐ Other

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I hereby make application for membership in the AAGL.

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