Join us October 22–25 for education, networking, and the latest surgical innovation you won’t find anywhere else. Both in-person and virtual attendance options are available!

This year’s Clinical Congress offers outstanding educational opportunities for every stage in your surgical career—all in one place. Learn from distinguished experts, hear about groundbreaking procedures and research, network with peers from around the globe, and gain clinical and non-clinical knowledge and skills that you can immediately put into practice.

In-person attendees also will have access to on-demand content as part of their registration, and both in-person and virtual attendees have the opportunity to claim AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™, earn self-assessment credits, and meet other regulatory requirements.

Use this Program Planner to find sessions specific to your areas of interest, as well as details about registration, housing, and networking events.

The best surgical education is all in one place. Join us in Boston or online.

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Dear Colleagues,

It is our sincere pleasure to invite you and your surgical team to join us in Boston, October 22–25, for ACS Clinical Congress 2023 (#ACSCC23)! Boston, Massachusetts, is one of the oldest municipalities in the United States, known as a hub of history, art, culture, and innovation. It is home to renowned medical and educational institutions, which help support the Commonwealth’s reputation as an international center of learning and intellectualism. Additionally, Boston’s updated Convention Center and new hotels make it the perfect place to host our premier surgical meeting.

Congress will be held this year from Sunday through Wednesday. We recognize the significant constraints on your time, so we’ve been able to create a new footprint that brings you all of the high-quality, innovative content that you’ve come to expect over 4 days, rather than 4.5 days. We want to ensure that every hour you spend at an ACS meeting adds value and that we are efficient and strategic with your time.

Clinical Congress annually brings together world-renowned experts in the clinical practice of surgery, as well as leaders in surgical education, research, and technology. In addition to a broad range of outstanding hands-on and didactic learning opportunities and timely discourse on relevant surgical topics, you’ll also have unparalleled access to our peers. There is a strength that comes with engaging with colleagues who have a shared experience, and Clinical Congress offers that opportunity.

This year’s theme is “Surgeons United,” reflecting the various pathways that we have traveled during our careers and the reaffirmation of our shared values. Our journeys are united by our common ideals that include quality, integrity, and professionalism, as well as the ACS motto “To Heal All with Skill and Trust.”

As you look through the pages of this program, you will see a vast array of essential educational content to meet the needs of all surgeons in all career stages, in all practice settings, and in all surgical specialties. We are especially excited about this year’s Named Lectures and key events, which are highlighted on pages 4–7, as well as Taste of the City, the last event of the meeting, which will be held Wednesday night and is free for all registrants and their family members.

We would like to thank members of the Program Committee (listed on the previous page), under the leadership of Fabrizio Michelassi, MD, FACS, MAMSE, for their dedication and commitment to developing offerings that address critical education and training needs and equip surgeons with skills to achieve the best outcomes in the ever-changing healthcare environment.

Continuing Medical Education (CME) and Self-Assessment Credit will be available for specifically designated sessions, and Certificates of Verification will be provided for Skills and Didactic Courses. Additionally, many sessions will address specific regulatory mandates for state licensure and ACS Accreditation and Verification Programs. Please check our website at facs.org/clincon2023 for more information, as well as links for housing and the online program planner, which will be continuously updated with the latest information about the meeting.

On behalf of the American College of Surgeons, we look forward to seeing you in Boston!

E. Christopher Ellison, MD, FACS, MAMSE, President; Timothy J. Eberlein, MD, FACS, MAMSE, Chair, Board of Regents; and Patricia L. Turner, MD, MBA, FACS, Executive Director & CEO
Convocation
Sunday, October 22 | 6:00–8:00 pm
The Convocation Ceremony confers Fellowship upon surgeons who have successfully met requirements that reflect their education and training and commit to the ACS oath “To Heal All with Skill and Trust.” The ceremony also includes recognition of the Honorary Fellows, presentation of the Distinguished Service Award, installation of the ACS Officers, and the Presidential Address.

All Initiates must register for Clinical Congress if planning to participate in the Convocation Ceremony. ACS welcomes family members of Initiates to attend the Convocation Ceremony and share in this celebration; their advance registration is not required.

Opening Ceremony
Monday, October 23 | 8:00–9:00 am
The Opening Ceremony starts with the unveiling of the incoming ACS President’s theme for the year. The President presides and introduces the Honorary Fellows, the recipient of the Distinguished Philanthropist Award, Past-Presidents, College Officers and Regents, special invited guests from national and international healthcare organizations, the Resident Research Scholars, and the International Guest Scholars. An annual overview of the College will be reported by the Executive Director. The Martin Memorial Lecture, sponsored by the American Urological Association, follows immediately.

Exhibit Hall
Monday–Wednesday, October 23–25 | 9:00 am–4:30 pm
Engage face-to-face with industry leaders and learn first-hand about surgical products and services being introduced into the market. The Clinical Congress Exhibit Hall offers the optimal place to learn, analyze, and compare surgical devices and products from more than 125 companies.

The popular ACS Surgical Ergonomics Hands-On Clinic and Surgical Metrics Project also will be located in the Exhibit Hall, as will ACS Central, offering exclusive ACS merchandise, special member benefits, the ability to engage with staff, and a free professional headshot studio.

History of Surgery Poster Sessions
Monday–Wednesday, October 23–25 | 9:45 am–4:30 pm
The History of Surgery Poster Sessions will highlight the rich history of surgery. Posters will be presented by Fellows, residents, and medical students. These posters will be on display Monday, October 23, through Wednesday, October 25. Presentations and judging will take place Monday, October 23, 9:00 am–12:00 pm. The winning poster and runner-up will be announced during the ACS History of Surgery Community Breakfast on Tuesday, October 24, 7:00–8:30 am.
The Great Debates: Biliary and Hernia
Tuesday, October 24 | 8:00-9:30 am

This pro/con debate will cover two common topics faced by general surgeons. The first will debate percutaneous cholecystostomy versus cholecystectomy for acute cholecystitis, and the second will cover open versus minimally invasive surgery (MIS) repair for inguinal hernia.

Ten Hot Topics in General Surgery
Wednesday, October 25 | 12:45–2:15 pm

ACS President E. Christopher Ellison, MD, FACS, MAMSE, and Regent Kenneth W. Sharp, MD, FACS, MAMSE, moderate the wide-ranging, rapid-fire session that will highlight important topics for general surgeons, including clinical advances, practice management, career growth, and more.

Annual Business Meeting of Members
Wednesday, October 25 | 4:15–5:15 pm

All ACS members are invited to attend and hear:
• Reports from the Chair of the Board of Regents, Chair of the Board of Governors, Executive Director, and ACSPA-SurgeonsPAC Board Chair
• Presentation of the Resident Award for Exemplary Teaching and Julius H. Jacobson II Promising Investigator Award
• Reports of the Nominating Committee of the Board of Governors and the Nominating Committee of the Fellows, and introduction of the President-Elect

Taste of the City
Wednesday, October 25 | 5:30–7:30 pm

An annual highlight of Clinical Congress is Taste of the City, where attendees can sample the cuisine and culture of the host location, while networking with colleagues. All attendees and their family members are invited to this complimentary event, which is intended to close out their Clinical Congress experience on a celebratory note.

Registration is not required for Taste of the City, and casual dress is encouraged.
Monday, October 23

**Martin Memorial Lecture** | *Franklin H. Martin, MD, FACS: From Rural Boyhood to Distinguished Surgeon*
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**NL01** | 9:00–9:30 am  
*Presiding Officer:* Henri R. Ford, MD, MHA, FACS, FAAP, FRCSEng(Hon), MAMSE, Miami, FL  
*Introducer:* Anthony Atala, MD, FACS, MAMSE, Winston-Salem, NC  
*Lecturer:* Gordon L. Telford, MD, FACS, MAMSE, Oconomowoc, WI

**John H. Gibbon Jr., Lecture** | *What’s New May Be Old: Xenotransplantation*
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**NL02** | 9:45–10:45 am  
*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Joseph F. Sabik, MD, FACS, Cleveland, OH  
*Lecturer:* Bartley P. Griffith, MD, FACS, FRCS, Baltimore, MD

**Charles G. Drake History of Surgery Lecture** | *Pathologies of the Surgical Image in Modern American Popular Culture*
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**NL03** | 2:30–3:30 pm  
*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* James S. Harrop, MD, FACS, Philadelphia, PA  
*Lecturer:* Frederick G. Barker II, MD, FACS, FAANS, Boston, MA

Tuesday, October 24

**Herand Abcarian Lecture** | *Things I Wish I Had Known at the Start of My Journey as a Colorectal Surgeon*
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**NL05** | 8:00–9:00 am  
*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Eric G. Weiss, MD, FACS, Boca Raton, FL  
*Lecturer:* Tracy L. Hull, MD, FACS, FASCRS, Cleveland, OH

**Excelsior Surgical Society/Edward D. Churchill Lecture** | *Service, Synergy, and Mythology*
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**NL06** | 9:45–10:45 am  
*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Jeremy W. Cannon, MD, SM, FACS, Philadelphia, PA  
*Lecturer:* M. Margaret (Peggy) Knudson, MD, FACS, Los Altos, CA
Highlights | Named Lectures

Scudder Oration on Trauma | *Trauma Care: The Vehicle, the Barometer, the Original Yardstick for Equal Care in America*

**NL07** 12:45–1:45pm

*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Jeffrey D. Kerby, MD, PhD, FACS, Vestavia, AL
*Lecturer:* Edward E. Cornwell, MD, FACS, FCCM, Washington, DC

Olga M. Jonasson Lecture | *Phoenix Rising: The Culture of Surgery—A Paradigm Shift*

**NL08** 2:30–3:30 pm

*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Sharon L. Stein, MD, FACS, Cleveland, OH
*Lecturer:* Susan E. Mackinnon, MD, FACS, St. Louis, MO

Wednesday, October 25

Distinguished Lecture of the International Society of Surgery | *Artificial Intelligence and the Future of Global Surgery*

**NL09** 8:00–9:00 am

*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Krista L. Kaups, MD, MSc, FACS, Fresno, CA
*Lecturer:* Ewen M. Harrison, OBE, MB, ChB, MSc, PhD, FRCS, FRSE, Edinburgh, Scotland

John J. Conley Ethics and Philosophy Lecture | *America’s Opioid Dilemma: Ethical Prescribing during an Overdose Epidemic*

**NL10** 9:45–10:45 am

*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Linda G. Phillips, MD, FACS, Galveston, TX
*Lecturer:* Travis N. Rieder, PhD, Baltimore, MD

Commission on Cancer Oncology Lecture | *Breaking the Mold: Chartering a New Roadmap to Impact Care through Science*

**NL11** 12:45–1:45 pm

*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Timothy W. Mullett, MD, MBA, FACS, Lexington, KY
*Lecturer:* Jennifer A. Wargo, MD, MMSc, Newton, TX

Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Lecture | *Metabolic Surgery: Bariatrics and Beyond*

**NL12** 2:30–3:30 pm

*Presiding Officer & Introducer:* Shanu N. Kothari, MD, FACS, ASBMS, Greenville, SC
*Lecturer:* Henry Buchwald, MD, PhD, FACS, FRCSEng(Hon), Minneapolis, MN
### Highlights | Calendar

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| 10 am | 11:45–10:45 am | 9:45–10:45 am | Gibbon Lecture | Excelsior Surgical Society/Churchill Lecture | Conley Ethics and Philosophy Lecture |
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See Sessions at a Glance by Day schedule for session topics and times.
Postgraduate Courses Information
All Postgraduate (PG) Courses (Didactic and Skills) are ticketed and require a separate fee in addition to registering for the meeting (required). Participation is limited and seats are filled on a first-come, first-processed basis. Note: No refund requests for PG Course fees will be accepted after September 29, 2023.

Most of the Postgraduate Courses will have two parts. Part 1 will consist of virtual study materials provided to registrants prior to the Part 2 in-person course presented onsite. A few Postgraduate Courses will use a three-part model that includes an additional interactive participant and faculty discussion held via Zoom a few weeks after the course. The use of a Part 3 in 2023 will be limited to the courses for which this approach proved valuable to faculty and learners in 2022.

AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ for PG Courses may be claimed after completing all requisite parts of a course. To claim CME Credits, participants must complete the course evaluation, complete the global evaluation, and attest to having completed each required component of the course.

Postgraduate Course Fee Categories

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ACS System for Verification of Knowledge and Skills
The ACS Board of Regents has approved a five-level model for verification and documentation of knowledge and skills by the Division of Education, following participation in the educational programs of the College. This model provides a framework for designing and implementing educational courses based on principles of contemporary surgical education and permits a provision of appropriate documentation to the attendees. The courses offered at Clinical Congress have been assigned verification levels of I, II, or III, based on the requirements for each level.

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* A passing score of 75% or higher is required on the posttest.

All Postgraduate Courses with a designated verification level of II and III have a self-assessment component. All requirements of these Postgraduate Courses must be completed in order to receive AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ and count for Self-Assessment Credit toward Part 2 of the Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Program. For American Board of Surgery (ABS) Diplomates, the MOC Part 2 requirement applies to those who have not yet completed the first ABS Continuous Certification Program Assessment Exam. Please refer to the online program and session descriptions to confirm.
Postgraduate Courses | Didactic Courses

Annual Update in Emergency General Surgery
**DC01** 6 credits | Verification Level II
Saturday, October 21, 8:00 am–3:30 pm
Chair: Matthew J. Martin, MD, FACS, San Diego, CA
Co-Chair: Purvi P. Patel, MD, FACS, Maywood, IL
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $660 | Guest Physician: $795 | Resident: $330

General Surgery Coding and Documentation Update
**DC09** 6.5 credits | Verification Level II
Monday, October 23, 9:45 am–5:45 pm
Chair: Megan E. McNally, MD, FACS, Mission Hills, KS
Co-Chair: Don J. Selzer, MD, FACS, Indianapolis, IN
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $605 | Guest Physician: $760 | Resident: $305

Global Health Competencies for Surgeons: Cognitive and System Skills
**DC02** 6 credits | Verification Level II
Saturday, October 21, 8:30 am–4:00 pm
Chair: Edgar B. Rodas, MD, FACS, Richmond, VA
Co-Chair: Jennifer Rickard, MD, FACS, Minneapolis, MN
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $605 | Guest Physician: $730 | Resident: $305

General Surgery Review Course—(2 Days)
**DC10-1 & 2** 12 credits | Verification Level II
Monday, October 23, 10:00 am–5:00 pm
Tuesday, October 24, 8:00 am–4:00 pm
Chair: Travis P. Webb, MD, FACS, MAMSE, Memphis, TN
Co-Chair: Mike K. Liang, MD, FACS, Sugar Land, TX
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,325 | Guest Physician: $1,590 | Resident: $665

CESTE Innovation and Medical Design Thinking Course for Surgeons
**DC03** 4 credits | Verification Level II
Saturday, October 21, 9:00 am–1:15 pm
Chair: Mark S. Cohen, MD, FACS, Urbana, IL
Co-Chair: Amanda Sammann, MD, FACS, San Francisco, CA
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $575 | Guest Physician: $690 | Resident: $290

Anticoagulation Reversal following Head Trauma
**DC12** 4 credits | Verification Level II
Tuesday, October 24, 8:30 am–12:45 pm
Chair: Shelly D. Timmons, MD, PhD, FACS, FAANS, Indianapolis, IN
Co-Chair: TBD
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $625 | Guest Physician: $750 | Resident: $290

Management of Head and Neck Cancer
**DC04** 4 credits | Verification Level II
Saturday, October 21, 1:00–5:15 pm
Chair: Christopher Fundakowski, MD, FACS, Rydal, PA
Co-Chair: Joseph Goodman, MD, FACS, Silver Spring, MD
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $625 | Guest Physician: $750 | Resident: $315

DEI and Antiracism Fundamentals, Skills Building, and Implementation Principles for Surgeons
**DC11** 4 credits | Verification Level II
Monday, October 23, 1:00–5:15 pm
Chair: Cherisse D. Berry, MD, FACS, New York, NY
Co-Chair: Valentine N. Nfonsam, MD, FACS, New Orleans, LA
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $575 | Guest Physician: $690 | Resident: $290

Annual Trauma Update
**DC05** 6 credits | Verification Level II
Sunday, October 22, 8:00 am–3:30 pm
Chair: Eric J. Ley, MD, FACS, Playa Del Rey, CA
Co-Chair: Jamie J. Coleman, MD, FACS, Louisville, KY
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $660 | Guest Physician: $795 | Resident: $330

Writing a Business Plan in Medicine: The Basics
**DC13** 4 credits | Verification Level II
Tuesday, October 24, 1:00–5:15 pm
Chair: Nasim Hedayati, MD, FACS, Folsom, CA
Co-Chair: John G. Carson, MD, FACS, Hallowell, ME
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $660 | Guest Physician: $795 | Resident: $330

Trauma and Critical Care Coding and Documentation Update
**DC06** 6.5 credits | Verification Level II
Sunday, October 22, 9:45 am–5:45 pm
Chair: Jayme D. Lieberman, MD, FACS, Allentown, PA
Co-Chair: Christopher K. Senkowski, MD, FACS, Savannah, GA
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $605 | Guest Physician: $730 | Resident: $305

Annual Update in Surgical Critical Care
**DC14** 6 credits | Verification Level II
Wednesday, October 25, 9:30 am–5:00 pm
Chair: Alicia M. Mohr, MD, FACS, Gainesville, FL
Co-Chair: Jose L. Pascual-Lopez, MD, FACS, Philadelphia, PA
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $660 | Guest Physician: $795 | Resident: $330

Workshop on Communication in High Stakes Surgery and Serious Illness
**DC07** 4 credits | Verification Level II
Sunday, October 22, 1:00–5:15 pm
Chair: Timothy R. Siegel, MD, FACS, Portland, OR
Co-Chair: Pasithorn A. Suwannabol, MD, FACS, Ann Arbor, MI
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $575 | Guest Physician: $690 | Resident: $290

Surgical Education: Principles and Practice (SEPAP)
**DC15** 6 credits | Verification Level II
Saturday, October 21, 9:30 am–5:00 pm
Chair: Roy Phitayakorn, MD, FACS, Boston, MA
Co-Chair: Adnan A. Alseidi, MD, EdM, FACS, San Francisco, CA
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $605 | Guest Physician: $760 | Resident: $305

MIS Masters Course: Advanced Minimally Invasive and Robotic Techniques for Emergency General Surgery
**DC08** 6 credits | Verification Level II
Sunday, October 22, 9:30 am–5:00 pm
Chair: Andrea M. Pakula, MD, FACS, Simi Valley, CA
Co-Chair: Michael W. Cripps, MD, FACS, Aurora, CO
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $660 | Guest Physician: $795 | Resident: $330

Writing a Business Plan in Medicine: The Basics
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Fellow/Associate Fellow: $660 | Guest Physician: $795 | Resident: $330

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Surgical Education: Principles and Practice (SEPAP)
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Chair: Roy Phitayakorn, MD, FACS, Boston, MA
Co-Chair: Adnan A. Alseidi, MD, EdM, FACS, San Francisco, CA
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $605 | Guest Physician: $760 | Resident: $305
Advanced Skills Training for Rural Surgeons: Laparoscopic Common Bile Duct Exploration and Image-Guided Interventions of the Chest and Abdomen  
**SC01** 6 credits | Verification Level III  
Saturday, October 21, 8:00 am–3:30 pm  
**Chair:** Susan E. Long, MD, FACS, Buckhannon, WV  
**Co-Chair:** Amy L. Halverson, MD, FACS, Chicago, IL  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,200 | Guest Physician: $1,440 | Resident: $600

Boot Camp for Ultrasound Interventions: A Practical Guide for General and Pediatric Surgeons  
**SC02** 4 credits | Verification Level III  
Saturday, October 21, 8:00 am–12:15 pm  
**Chair:** Stefan Scholz, MD, FACS, Pittsburgh, PA  
**Co-Chair:** Marcus D. Jarboe, MD, FACS, Toledo, OH  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $950 | Guest Physician: $1,140 | Resident: $475

Thyroid, Parathyroid, and Neck Ultrasound  
**SC03** 7.75 credits | Verification Level III  
Sunday, October 22, 8:00 am–5:15 pm  
**Chair:** Lawrence T. Kim, MD, FACS, Chapel Hill, NC  
**Co-Chair:** Lisa A. Orloff, MD, FACS, Stanford, CA  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,650 | Guest Physician: $1,980 | Resident: $825

Basic Endovascular Skills for Trauma Course (BEST)  
**SC04** 4 credits | Verification Level III  
Sunday, October 22, 1:00–5:15 pm  
**Chair:** Megan Brenner, MD, FACS, Newport Beach, CA  
**Co-Chair:** Laura J. Moore, MD, FACS, Houston, TX  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,100 | Guest Physician: $1,320 | Resident: $550

Fundamentals of Oncoplastic Breast Surgery  
**SC05** 6 credits | Verification Level III  
Monday, October 23, 9:45 am–5:15 pm  
**Chair:** Patricia L. Clark, MD, FACS, Scottsdale, AZ  
**Co-Chair:** Ronda S. Henry-Tillman, MD, FACS, Little Rock, AR  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,575 | Guest Physician: $1,890 | Resident: $790

Ultrasound-Guided Percutaneous Ablation Techniques for the Thyroid  
**SC06** 6 credits | Verification Level III  
Monday, October 23, 9:45 am–5:15 pm  
**Chair:** Lawrence T. Kim, MD, FACS, Chapel Hill, NC  
**Co-Chair:** Julia Noel, MD, FACS, Stanford, CA  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,575 | Guest Physician: $1,890 | Resident: $790

Advanced Therapeutic Colonoscopy and Endoluminal Lower GI Surgery  
**SC07** 4 credits | Verification Level III  
Monday, October 23, 1:00–5:15 pm  
**Chair:** Richard L. Whelan, MD, FACS, FASCRS, New York, NY  
**Co-Chair:** Emre Gorgun, MD, FASCRS, FACS, Cleveland, OH  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,190 | Guest Physician: $1,430 | Resident: $595

The Basics of Therapeutic Endoscopy  
**SC08** 4 credits | Verification Level III  
Tuesday, October 24, 8:00 am–12:15 pm  
**Chair:** Eric M. Pauli, MD, FACS, Hershey, PA  
**Co-Chair:** Eleanor C. Fung, MD, FACS, Williamsville, NY  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,190 | Guest Physician: $1,430 | Resident: $595

Contemporary Strategies for Minimally Invasive Hernia Repair  
**SC09** 4 credits | Verification Level III  
Tuesday, October 24, 1:00–5:15 pm  
**Chair:** John S. Roth, MD, FACS, Lexington, KY  
**Co-Chair:** Crystal F. Totten, MD, FACS, Lexington, KY  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,190 | Guest Physician: $1,430 | Resident: $595

New Frontiers in Fluorescent Image-Guided Surgery  
**SC10** 6 credits | Verification Level III  
Tuesday, October 24, 8:00 am–3:30 pm  
**Chair:** Raul J. Rosenthal, MD, FACS, MAMSE, Weston, FL  
**Co-Chair:** Sonia L. Ramamoorthy, MD, FACS, La Jolla, CA  
Fellow/Associate Fellow: $1,250 | Guest Physician: $1,500 | Resident: $625

All program information is subject to change. Postgraduate Courses that don’t meet a minimum enrollment threshold may be canceled. Please check the ACS website for the latest information at facs.org/clinicon2023.
## Sessions at a Glance by Day

### Key to Sessions/Course Codes
- **DC**: Didactic Course
- **ME**: Meet-the-Expert Session
- **NL**: Named Lecture
- **PS**: Panel Session
- **SC**: Surgical Skills Course
- **SF**: Scientific Forum
- **SI**: Special Interest Session (No CME Credit)
- **SL**: Special Session
- **TH**: Town Hall Meeting (No CME Credit)
- **VE**: Video-Based Education Session
- **$**: Session ticketed at an additional fee

### Key to Regulatory Mandates (Reg. Mand.)
- **BH**: Behavioral Health
- **CC**: Cultural Competency
- **DomVio**: Domestic Violence
- **EOL**: End-of-Life Care
- **E**: Ethics
- **OPM**: Opioid/Pain Management
- **PA**: Palliative Care
- **PS**: Patient Safety
- **RM**: Risk Management
- **Sui**: Suicide

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| 8:00–12:15  | SC02 $| **Boot Camp for Ultrasound Interventions: A Practical Guide for General and Pediatric Surgeons**  
Chair: Stefan Scholz, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Marcus D. Jarboe, MD, FACS | CSV               |
| 8:00–3:30   | DC01 | **Annual Update in Emergency General Surgery**  
Chair: Matthew J. Martin, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Purvi P. Patel, MD, FACS | T                 |
|             | SC01 $| **Advanced Skills Training for Rural Surgeons: Laparoscopic Common Bile Duct Exploration and Image-Guided Interventions of the Chest and Abdomen**  
Chair: Susan E. Long, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Amy L. Halverson, MD, FACS |                   |
| 8:30–4:00   | DC02 $| **Global Health Competencies for Surgeons: Cognitive and System Skills**  
Chair: Edgar B. Rodas, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Jennifer Rickard, MD, FACS | E, CC             |
| 9:00–1:15   | DC03 $| **CESTE Innovation and Medical Design Thinking Course for Surgeons**  
Chair: Mark S. Cohen, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Amanda Sammann, MD, FACS |                   |
| 9:30–5:00   | DC15 $| **Surgical Education: Principles and Practice (SEPAP)**  
Chair: Roy Phitayakorn, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Adnan A. Alseidi, MD, EdM, FACS |                   |
| 1:00–5:15   | DC04 $| **Management of Head and Neck Cancer**  
Chair: Christopher Fundakowski, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Joseph Goodman, MD, FACS | C                 |

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Chair: Eric J. Ley, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Jamie J. Coleman, MD, FACS | T                 |
| 8:00–4:00   | PS001| **9th Annual Excelsior Surgical Society (ESS) Symposium: The Expeditionary Surgeon: Applying Military Skills and Abilities in Civilian Mass Casualty and Disaster Response**  
Moderator: Jeremy W. Cannon, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: TBD |                   |
| 8:00–5:00   | SI005| **Medical Student Program ePoster Session** |                                                     |
| 8:00–5:15   | SC03 $| **Thyroid, Parathyroid, and Neck Ultrasound**  
Chair: Lawrence T. Kim, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Lisa A. Orloff, MD, FACS | C                 |
| 9:30–5:00   | DC08 | **MIS Masters Course: Advanced Minimally Invasive and Robotic Techniques for Emergency General Surgery**  
Chair: Andrea M. Pakula, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Michael W. Cripps, MD, FACS | PIS T             |
| 9:45–5:45   | DC06 $| **Trauma and Critical Care Coding and Documentation Update**  
Chair: Jayme D. Lieberman, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Christopher K. Senkowski, MD, FACS |                   |
| 10:00–1:00  | SI001| **Surgery Resident Program at Clinical Congress: Essential Skills for Surgery Residents—Day 1** |                                                     |
| 11:15–6:00  | SI002 | **Medical Student Program—Day 1** |                                                     |
| 12:15–2:05  | SI002-1| **Medical Student Program ePoster Session** |                                                     |
| 1:00–5:15   | SC04 $| **Basic Endovascular Skills for Trauma Course (BEST)**  
Chair: Megan Brenner, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Laura J. Moore, MD, FACS | T                 |
|             | DC07 $| **Workshop on Communication in High Stakes Surgery and Serious Illness**  
Chair: Timothy R. Siegel, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Pasithorn A. Suwanabol, MD, FACS |                   |
| 3:00–5:00   | PS002| **RAS-ACS Symposium: Fast Track to the Future: Early Specialization and Integrated Subspecialty Training for All**  
Moderator: Kevin Koo, MD, MPH; Co-Moderator: Rachael Essig, MD |                   |

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<td>**Martin Memorial Lecture</td>
<td>Franklin H. Martin, MD, FACS: From Rural Boyhood to Distinguished Surgeon**&lt;br&gt;Presiding Officer: Henri R. Ford, MD, MHA, FACS, FAAP, FRCSEng (Hon), MAMSE&lt;br&gt;Introducer: Anthony Atala, MD, FACS, MAMSE&lt;br&gt;Lecturer: Gordon L. Telford, MD, FACS, MAMSE</td>
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<td>What's New May Be Old: Xenotransplantation**&lt;br&gt;Presiding Officer and Introducer: Joseph F. Sabik, MD, FACS&lt;br&gt;Lecturer: Bartley P. Griffith, MD, FACS, FRCS</td>
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*Moderator:* Alexander R. Raines, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Jessica R. Burgess, MD, FACS |                  |
|          | PS110 | **Management of High-Risk Breast Lesions**  
*Moderator:* Christine Laronga, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Susan B. Kesmodel, MD, FACS |                  |
|          | PS111 | **Senior Surgeon Practice Transition: Is It Voluntary?**  
*Moderator:* R. Phillip Burns, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* E. Christopher Ellison, MD, FACS, MAMSE |                  |
|          | PS112 | **Spine Exposure Surgery Technical Complications**  
*Moderator:* Peter R. Nelson, MD, MS, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* James S. Harrop, MD, FACS |                  |
|          | PS113 | **New Landmark Studies in Trauma and Acute Care**  
*Moderator:* Ali Salim, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Timothy D. Browder, MD, FACS |                  |
|          | PS114 | **Global Engagement**  
*Moderator:* Girma Tefera, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Sherry M. Wren, MD, FACS |                  |
|          | PS115 | **Peak Performance: Getting the Most Out of Training**  
*Moderator:* Scott R. Steele, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Caprice C. Greenberg, MD, FACS |                  |
|          | SF108 | **Cardiac Surgery**                                                                 |                  |
|          | SF109 | **High-Impact Clinical Trials and Studies**                                                  |                  |
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|          | VE104 | **Pediatric Surgery I**                                                                     | CSV               |
|          | VE105 | **Plastic Surgery**                                                                         |                  |
|          | VE106 | **Subject-Oriented Symposium I**                                                            |                  |
| 1:00–5:15 | DC11 $ | **DEI and Antiracism Fundamentals, Skills Building, and Implementation Principles for Surgeons**  
*Chair:* Cherisse D. Berry, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Chair:* Valentine N. Nfonsam, MD, FACS | CC, E, PtS        |
|          | SC07 $ | **Advanced Therapeutic Colonoscopy and Endoluminal Lower GI Surgery**  
*Chair:* Richard L. Whelan, MD, FACS, FASC;  
*Co-Chair:* Emre Gorgun, MD, FASC, FASCRS, FACS | C, NAPRC         |
| 1:00–6:50 | SI105 | **Medical Student Program—Day 2**                                                          |                  |
*Moderator:* Timothy J. Eberlein, MD, FACS, MAMSE |                  |
|          | ME102 $ | **Anorectal Disease: Tips and Tricks**  
*Moderator:* Steven D. Wexner, MD, PhD(Hon), FACS, FRCS(Eng,Ed), Hon FRCS(I,Glasg,Eng), MAMSE |                  |
|          | ME103 $ | **Breast Cancer 2023**  
*Moderator:* Nancy L. Gantt, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Christine Laronga, MD, FACS | T                 |
|          | ME104 $ | **Chronic Pain Post Inguinal Hernia Repair**  
*Moderator:* Katherine G. Lamond, MD, FACS | OPM               |
|          | ME105 $ | **Controversies in Trauma Care and Survivorship**  
*Moderator:* David H. Livingston, MD, FACS | T                 |
|          | ME106 $ | **Ethics Consults: How Can They Help Me?**  
*Moderator:* Gretchen Schwarze, MD, FACS | E                 |
|          | ME107 $ | **Genetic Testing in Thyroid Cancer**  
*Moderator:* David C. Shonka, MD, FACS |                  |
|          | ME108 $ | **Complex Abdominal Trauma**  
*Moderator:* David V. Feliciano, MD, FACS, MAMSE | T                 |
|          | ME109 $ | **Medullary Thyroid Cancer 2023**  
*Moderator:* Gary P. Graham, MD, FACS | C                 |
|          | ME110 $ | **Minimally Invasive Acute Care Surgery**  
*Moderator:* Robert B. Lim, MD, FACS | T                 |
|          | ME111 $ | **Robotic Hepatic Surgery**  
*Moderator:* David A. Geller, MD, FACS |                  |
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|            | SI107 | **STOP THE BLEED® Training**                                                                                    |                  |
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Moderator: Edward C. Borrazzo, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Lana Y. Schumacher, MD, FACS                  |                  |
|            | PS118 | **Expert Advice and Approaches for Damage Control Surgery**  
Moderator: Krista L. Kaups, MD, MSC, FACS; Co-Moderator: Richard A. Sidwell, MD, FACS                   |                  |
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    Moderator: David B. Earle, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Michael Martyak, MD, FACS  
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|            | PS126| Divorce: What Every Surgeon Should Know  
Moderator: TBD; Co-Moderator: Christine A. Lovato, MD, FACS | CSV |
|            | PS127| Transition of Care for Pediatric Surgical Patients  
Moderator: Shannon L. Castle, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Benjamin Zendejas-Mummert, MD, FACS | VP |
|            | PS128| Updates and Management of Venous Wounds  
Moderator: Anil P. Hingorani, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Nicolas J. Mouawad, MD, FACS | |
|            | SF120| Colon and Rectal Surgery I | |
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|            | VE111| Neurological Surgery | |
| 4:30–6:25  | SI110| STOP THE BLEED® Training | |
| 7:00–7:45  | TH201| Are We Surgeons or Scribes?  
Moderator: Julie A. Freischlag, MD, FACS, FRSCEd(Hon), DFSVS, MAMSE  
Co-Moderator: Bryan K. Richmond, MD, MBA, FACS | |
|            | TH202| Emergency General Surgery Hospital Verification: The Why, the What, and the How  
Moderator: Jamie Jones Coleman, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Clay C. Burlew, MD, FACS | |
|            | TH203| How to Achieve Health Equity  
Moderator: L. D. Britt, MD, MPH, DSc(Hon), FACS, FCCM, FRCS(Eng)(Hon), FRCS(Ed)(Hon), FWACS(Hon), FRCSI(Hon), FCS(SA)(Hon), FRCS(Glasg)(Hon), MAMSE  
Co-Moderator: Henri R. Ford, MD, MHA, FACS, FAAP, FRCS(Eng)(Hon), MAMSE | |
|            | TH204| Managing Vascular Trauma: Who, Where, and How Do We Train Them?  
Moderator: Rishi Kundi, MD, FACS | |
|            | TH205| Surgeons as Advocates  
Moderator: Brian H. Williams, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Marion C. Henry, MD, FACS | |
|            | TH206| Sustaining the Rural Surgeon Workforce  
Moderator: Kenric M. Murayama, MD, MBA, FACS; Co-Moderator: Timothy R. Shaver, MD, FACS | |
|            | TH207| Women in Surgery: How to Achieve Leadership and Work-Life Balance  
Moderator: Melina R. Kibbe, MD, FACS, FAHA; Co-Moderator: Caprice C. Greenberg, MD, FACS | |
|            | TH208| The Surgeon and Industry: Identifying and Managing Conflicts of Commitment  
Moderator: Linda G. Phillips, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Eric A. Singer, MD, FACS | |
|            | TH209| Addressing Social Determinants of Care  
Moderator: Selwyn O. Rogers, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Norma M. Smalls, MD, FACS | |
|            | TH210| Developing Global Surgery Partnership  
Moderator: Girma Teferra, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Diana L. Farmer, MD, FACS, FRCS | |
|            | TH211| Knowing Your Value: Ins and Outs of Compensation Models  
Moderator: Christopher M. Dodgion, MD, FACS | |
| 7:00–8:30  | SI201| History of Surgery Community Breakfast | |
| 8:00–9:00  | NL05 | Herand Abcarian Lecture | Things I Wish I Had Known at the Start of My Journey as a Colorectal Surgeon  
Presiding Officer and Introducer: Eric G. Weiss, MD, FACS  
Lecturer: Tracey L. Hull, MD, FACS, FASCRS |
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*Moderator:* Kyle Vincent, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Ivan Trostchansky, MD, FACS | REG. MAND. ACS ACC./VER. REQ. |
| 8:00–9:30 | PS202 | Volvulus throughout the Gastrointestinal Tract  
*Moderator:* Tatiana C. Cardenas, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Angela L. Neville, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–9:30 | PS203 | The Great Debates: Biliary and Hernia  
*Moderator:* Benjamin K. Poulose, MD, MPH, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Rebecca C. Britt, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–9:30 | PS204 | Trauma, Emergency, and Humanitarian Surgery in Austere Settings and Conflict Zones: Navigating the Difficult Ethical, Legal, and Medical Terrain  
*Moderator:* Joseph D. Forrester, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Sharmila Dissanaike, MD, FACS, FCCM | |
| 8:00–9:30 | PS205 | Managing Hostile Work Environments: Using the ACS Women in Surgery Toolkit  
*Moderator:* Michele A. Manahan, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Christina Cellini, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–9:30 | PS206 | Operating in the Radiated Pelvis: Pitfalls and Solutions  
*Moderator:* Mohammad Minhaj Siddiqui, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Patrick S. Sullivan, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–9:30 | PS207 | Pediatric Vascular Injuries  
*Moderator:* Dawn M. Coleman, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Derek S. Wakeman, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–11:15 | SF200 | 2023 Owen H. Wangensteen Scientific Forum Dedication, Excellence in Research, and Resident Research Scholarship | |
| 8:00–12:15 | SC08 $ | The Basics of Therapeutic Endoscopy  
*Chair:* Eric M. Pauli, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Chair:* Eleanor C. Fung, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–3:30 | SC10 $ | New Frontiers in Fluorescent Image-Guided Surgery  
*Chair:* Raul J. Rosenthal, MD, FACS, MAMSE;  
*Co-Chair:* Sonia L. Ramamoorthy, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–4:00 | DC10–2 $ | General Surgery Review Course—Day 2  
*Chair:* Travis P. Webb, MD, FACS, MAMSE;  
*Co-Chair:* Mike K. Liang, MD, FACS | |
| 8:00–5:45 | SI202 | ePoster Viewing | |
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| 9:45–10:45 | NL06 | Excelsior Surgical Society/Edward D. Churchill Lecture | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS209 | Management of the Difficult Gallbladder  
*Moderator:* Bryan K. Richmond, MD, MBA, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Charles S. Parsons, MD, FACS | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS210 | Advances in Antireflux Procedures  
*Moderator:* Monisha Sudarshan, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Micaela Esquivel, MD, FACS | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS211 | Maximizing Organ Utilization to Match the Increasing Demand for Transplants  
*Moderator:* Rachel C. Forbes, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Jayme E. Locke, MD, FACS | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS212 | Current Management of Enterocutaneous Fistulas  
*Moderator:* Martin D. Rosenthal, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Kelly A. Garrett, MD, FACS | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS213 | Ethical Considerations for Surgeons in the Post-Roe Era  
*Moderator:* Carter K. Lebares, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Jocelyn Chapman, MD, FACS | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS214 | Genetics and Genomics in Cancer Surgery for the General Surgeon  
*Moderator:* Jennifer E. Rosen, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Melissa L. Pilewskie, MD, FACS | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS215 | A Stroll Down Surgical Blind Alleys: The History of Surgical "Progress" Gone Awry  
*Moderator:* Peter J. Kernahan, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Theodore N. Pappas, MD, FACS | |
| 9:45–11:15 | PS216 | Caring for Transgender Patients: Managing Gender Dysphoria and Addressing Needs  
*Moderator:* Sean Figy, MD, FACS;  
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Presiding Officer and Introducer: Jeffrey D. Kerby, MD, PhD, FACS  
Lecturer: Edward E. Cornwell III, MD, FACS, FCCM | T                 |
| 12:45–2:15   | PS217| **Contemporary Management of Large Bowel Obstruction**  
Moderator: TBD; Co-Moderator: Heather L. Yeo, MD, FACS | C, NAPRC          |
|              | PS218| **Do We Still Need to Wait on “Watch and Wait”? Update on Contemporary Rectal Cancer Treatment**  
Moderator: Alexander T. Hawkins, MD, MPH, FACS; Co-Moderator: Matthew G. Mutch, MD, FACS | C, NAPRC          |
|              | PS219| **Primary Palliative Care in Surgical Practice: Basics, Advances, and New Directions for the Practicing Surgeon**  
Moderator: Timothy R. Siegel, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Howard R. Kirkpatrick, MD, FACS | OPM, PA           |
|              | PS220| **New Initiate Program**  
Moderator: Claudia N. Emami, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Julia R. Coleman, MD, MPH |                  |
|              | PS221| **Breaking Barriers: Improving Access to Cancer Care through Regionalization**  
Moderator: Michael D. Sarap, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Ingrid M. Lizarraga, MBBS, FACS | CC, E, C          |
|              | PS222| **Total Parenteral Nutrition in Today’s Surgical Practice**  
Moderator: Ankush Gosain, MD, PhD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Eunice Y. Huang, MD, FACS | CSV, GER, T       |
|              | PS223| **The Minimally Invasive Esophagectomy**  
Moderator: Daniela Molena, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: TBD |                  |
|              | SF210| **Breast I**                                                                                   | C, BST            |
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|              | SF216| **Surgical Oncology II**                                                                        | C                 |
| 12:45–5:00   | PS224| **Association of Program Directors in Surgery (APDS)**  
Moderator: Amit R. T. Joshi, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Jennifer LaFemina, MD, FACS |                  |
| 1:00–5:15    | DC13 | **Writing a Business Plan in Medicine: The Basics**  
Chair: Nasim Hedayati, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: John G. Carson, MD, FACS |                  |
|              | SCO9 | **Contemporary Strategies for Minimally Invasive Hernia Repair**  
Chair: John S. Roth, MD, FACS; Co-Chair: Crystal F. Totten, MD, FACS |                  |
| 1:00–6:00    | SI206| **Medical Student Program—Day 3**                                                                |                  |
| 2:30–3:30    | NL08 | **Olga M. Jonasson Lecture | *Phoenix Rising: The Culture of Surgery—A Paradigm Shift*  
Presiding Officer and Introducer: Sharon L. Stein, MD, FACS  
Lecturer: Susan E. Mackinnon, MD, FACS, FRCSC |                  |
| 2:30–4:00    | VE207| **Icons in Surgery I**                                                                          |                  |
|              | PS225| **Optimizing Outcomes in Complex Abdominal Wall Reconstruction**  
Moderator: Jeffrey E. Janis, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Vedra Augenstein, MD, FACS |                  |
|              | PS226| **Management of Gastroesophageal Junction Cancers**  
Moderator: Vivian E. Strong, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: TBD | C                 |
|              | PS227| **Pediatric Endocrine Cancer Surgery: Unique Management and Challenges**  
Moderator: Jessica E. Gosnell, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Diana L. Diesen, MD, FACS | C, CSV            |
|              | PS228| **Surgical Aspects of Constipation: When All Else Fails, Who Would Benefit from Surgery?**  
Moderator: Brooke H. Gurland, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Sherief Shawki, MBBC, FACS |                  |
|              | PS229| **What’s New in Bariatric Surgery for the General Surgeon: From the Emergency Room to the Operating Room**  
Moderator: Farah A. Husain, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Matthew D. Kroh, MD, FACS | MBS               |
|              | PS231| **What’s in the Secret Sauce? Early Pipeline Programs and the Successful Matriculation of URiM Students into Surgical Training Programs**  
Moderator: Yewande R. Alimi, MD; Co-Moderator: Nancy L. Gantt, MD, FACS | E, CC             |
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*Moderator:* Emad Kandil, MBChB, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Jonathon O. Russell, MD, FACS |                    |
|           | SF217| **Endocrine Surgery II**                                                                      |                   |
|           | SF218| **General Surgery IV**                                                                         |                   |
|           | SF219| **Pediatric Surgery IV—Clinical**                                                               |                   |
|           | SF220| **Surgical Education III—Surgical Practice**                                                    |                   |
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|           | VE209| **Subject-Oriented Symposium II**                                                               |                   |
| 2:30–5:45 | PS230| **Ethics Colloquium: Evolving Concepts of Professionalism in Surgery: Shield or Weapon?**  
*Moderator:* Eric A. Singer, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Sharmila Dissanaike, MD, FACS | E, CC             |
| 4:00–5:30 | SI207| **YFA Speed Mentoring Program**                                                                |                   |
| 4:15–5:45 | PS233| **The Ever-Evolving Field of Soft Tissue Tumor and Sarcoma Management: An Update from the Surgeon’s Perspective**  
*Moderator:* Kenneth Cardona, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Emily Z. Keung, MD, FACS | C                 |
|           | PS234| **Nonoperative and Minimally Invasive Approaches to Trauma and Traumatic Injury Complications**  
*Moderator:* Dennis Y. Kim, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Alexis M. Moren, MD, FACS | T, VP             |
|           | PS235| **Acute Limb Ischemia in the Critically III**                                                   
*Moderator:* Vincent L. Rowe, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Bernadette Aulivola, MD, FACS |                   |
|           | PS236| **Doc, Please Do Everything! We Are Waiting for a Miracle: Mastering Difficult Conversations in Acute Care Surgery**  
*Moderator:* Zara Cooper, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* David Zonies, MD, FACS | EOL, PA          |
|           | PS237| **What Every Surgeon Needs to Know: Management of Post-Roe Obstetric and Gynecologic Emergencies**  
*Moderator:* Jocelyn Chapman, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Carter K. Lebares, MD, FACS | PIS              |
|           | PS238| **Use of Artificial Intelligence in Surgical Care**                                            
*Moderator:* Robert A. Meguid, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Gabriel Brat, MD, FACS |                   |
|           | SF224| **Colon and Rectal Surgery III**                                                               |                   |
|           | SF225| **General Surgery V**                                                                           |                   |
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|           | SI208| **Rural Surgeons Open Forum and Oweida Scholarship Presentation**                               |                   |
|           | VE210| **Cardiothoracic Surgery II**                                                                   |                   |
|           | VE211| **General Surgery—Hernia I**                                                                    |                   |
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*Moderator:* Afif N. Kulaylat, MD, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Maya Babu, MD, MBA, FACS |                   |
|           | TH302| **EPAs Are Here! How They Will Be Used by Faculty and Trainees in General Surgery Training Programs**  
*Moderator:* Brenessa M. Lindeman, MD, MEHP, FACS;  
*Co-Moderator:* Rebecca M. Minter, MD, FACS |                   |
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*Moderator:* Gustavo Recinos, MD, FACS |  |
| ME314 $ | Update on Necrotizing Soft-Tissue Infections (NSTI)  
*Moderator:* Sharon M. Henry, MD, FACS |  |
| ME315 $ | Use of Low-Tech Simulation in Surgical Training  
*Moderator:* Carla M. Pugh, MD, PhD, FACS, MAMSE |  |
| ME316 $ | Reoperative Thyroid or Parathyroid Surgery  
*Moderator:* Jennifer E. Rosen, MD, FACS |  |
| | SLO3 | Late-Breaking Topic |  |
| 11:30–1:00 | VE304 | Endocrine Surgery |  |
| | VE305 | General Surgery—Gastrointestinal Disease II |  |
| | VE306 | Subject-Oriented Symposium III |  |
| 12:45–1:45 | NL11 | Commission on Cancer Oncology Lecture |  |
| | | *Breaking the Mold: Charting a New Roadmap to Impact Care through Science*  
*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Timothy W. Mullett, MD, MBA, FACS; *Lecturer:* Jennifer Wargo, MD, MMSc | C |
| 12:45–2:15 | PS314 | Management of Lower Extremity Trauma  
*Moderator:* Peter J. Taub, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Jeffrey M. Schwartz, MD, FACS | T |
| | PS315 | Lift, Flap, or Cut? Optimizing the Treatment of Anal Fistulas  
*Moderator:* Joshua Bleier, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Jennifer S. Beatty, MD, FACS |  |
| | PS316 | Competency-Based Training, EPAs, and Enfolded Fellowships  
*Moderator:* Donald R. Mackay, MD, DDS, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* John D. Mellinger, MD, FACS |  |
| | PS317 | Optimizing Work-Life Integration in Surgery  
*Moderator:* Nancy D. Perrier, MD, FACS, MAMSE; *Co-Moderator:* Patrick J. O’Neill, PhD, MD, FACS | RM, BH |
| | PS318 | Surgical Pain Management in the Setting of the Opioid Epidemic  
*Moderator:* Melissa Hoffman, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Emily B. Rivet, MD, FACS | OPM |
| | PS319 | Ten Hot Topics in General Surgery  
*Moderator:* Kenneth W. Sharp, MD, FACS, MAMSE; *Co-Moderator:* E. Christopher Ellison, MD, FACS, MAMSE |  |
| | PS320 | Updates on Treatment of Small Differentiated Thyroid Cancers Smaller than 4 Centimeters  
*Moderator:* Kepal N. Patel, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Marika Russell, MD, FACS | C |
| | PS321 | ACS International Scholars and Travelers 2023  
*Moderator:* Nader N. Hanna, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Haytham M. Kaafarani, MD, FACS |  |
| SF311 | Bariatric/Foregut III | MBS |  |
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| SF313 | Health Services Research IV |  |
| SF314 | Hepatobiliary and Pancreas V—Liver & Biliary |  |
| SF315 | Trauma/Burn/Critical Care VII—Trauma & Critical Care |  |
| 2:30–3:30 | NL12 | Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Lecture |  |
| | | *Metabolic Surgery: Bariatrics and Beyond*  
*Presiding Officer and Introducer:* Shanu N. Kothari, MD, FACS, ASBMS; *Lecturer:* Henry Buchwald, MD, PhD, FACS, FRCSEng(Hon) | MBS |
| | VE312 | Icons in Surgery II |  |
| 2:30–4:00 | PS322 | State of the Art in Chest Wall Reconstructions  
*Moderator:* Virginia R. Little, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Margaret J. Roubaud, MD, FACS |  |
| | PS323 | Multidisciplinary Management of Critical Head and Neck Injuries  
*Moderator:* Brian W. Downs, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* TBD |  |
| | PS324 | De-escalation of Breast Cancer Surgery  
*Moderator:* Judy C. Boughey, MBBSCh FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Gretchen M. Ahrendt, MD, FACS | C, BST |
| | PS325 | Updates in Minimally Invasive Surgery for Patients with Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Cancers  
*Moderator:* Jin He, MD, FACS; *Co-Moderator:* Skye C. Mayo, MD, FACS | C |
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Moderator: Gustavo Romero-Velez, MD; Co-Moderator: Krishnan Raghavendran, MBBS, FACS |                   |
|              | PS327 | **Current Guidelines and Obstacles for Extended Venous Thromboembolism Prophylaxis after Major Cancer Surgery**<br>
Moderator: Thomas Curran, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Virgilio V. George, MD, FACS | C                 |
|              | PS328 | **Hot Topics in Surgical Oncology**<br>
Moderator: Ronald P. DeMatteo, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Tari A. King, MD, FACS, FSSO | C, NAPRC          |
|              | PS329 | **Shifting Surgeon Culture: Work-Life Balance, Career Satisfaction, and Retention**<br>
Moderator: Erika A. Newman, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Nicole Fox, MD, FACS | BH                |
|              | PS330 | **Greening the OR: Strategies to Start and Sustain**<br>
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| 4:15–5:45    | PS332 | **Lumps and Bumps: Evaluation, Treatment, and Errors to Avoid**                           | C                 |
|              | PS333 | **Management of Intrahepatic Cholangiocarcinoma: An Evolving Landscape**                    | C                 |
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|              | PS335 | **Surgeon Safety: When a Patient Becomes a Threat**                                         | E, BH             |
|              | PS336 | **Optimizing Outcomes in Patients with Pancreatic Cancer: Clinical Trial Updates and Best Practice Recommendations**<br>
Moderator: Timothy J. Vreeland, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Rebecca A. Snyder, MD, FACS | P1S, RM, C|
|              | PS337 | **Surgeon-Performed Perioperative Regional Anesthesia Techniques for the Practicing General and Pediatric Surgeon Using Sonographic, Laparoscopic, and Anatomic Landmark Guidance**<br>
Moderator: Stefan Scholz, MD, FACS; Co-Moderator: Marcus D. Jarboe, MD, FACS | OPM, CSV         |
|              | PS338 | **Family Planning for Surgeons**                                                           |                   |
|              | VE310 | **Gallbladder and Common Bile Duct for the General Surgeon**                               |                   |
|              | VE311 | **General Surgery—Hernia II**                                                              |                   |
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Purchase your ticket online at united.com and receive a discount off the lowest applicable fares. When booking online, please enter ZKEJ275506 to receive your discount. Area/Zone fares based on geographic location are also available with no Saturday night stay required.

Car Rental
Avis is designated as the official car rental company for the 2023 Clinical Congress. Special meeting rates and discounts are available on a wide selection of cars. To receive these special rates, be sure to mention your Avis Worldwide Discount (AWD) number when you call.

Avis Reservations, 800-331-1600
avis.com AWD Number: B169699

Visa Information
International Fellows, guest physicians, and meeting attendees: The process of obtaining a visa to attend meetings in the US currently takes much longer than in prior years. You are strongly urged to apply for a visa as early as possible, preferably at least 90 days before the start of the meeting. For detailed information regarding obtaining a visa, visit https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas.html. For information regarding the Visa Waiver Program (VWP), visit https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/tourism-visit/visa-waiver-program.html.

You may request a letter from the College welcoming you to the meeting when you register or by emailing clinconreg@facs.org.

Affiliate Group Functions
Groups planning a social function or business meeting to be held in conjunction with Clinical Congress are required to obtain approval. If events are to be held at one of the participating venues/hotels, affiliate groups are required to secure event space through ACS. For more information and to request function space, visit https://s6.goeshow.com/acs/cc/2023/ancillary_submission_form.cfm for the online request form or contact Julianna Theberge at jtheberge@facs.org. Space assignments are made on a first-come, first-processed basis.

Shuttle Bus Service
Complimentary shuttle bus service will be provided for all registrants at regular intervals between the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center and most designated ACS Clinical Congress hotels. For a list of hotels on the shuttle route, please refer to the Housing Information section.

Prayer Room
A prayer room will be available at the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center during the meeting and open during registration hours. The room location will be confirmed in onsite navigational materials.

Lactation Room
A lactation room will be available at the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center during the meeting. The room location will be confirmed in onsite navigational materials.

Child Policy
• Children ages 1 year to 15 years are not permitted in the scientific sessions. Childcare services must be utilized.
• Infants younger than 1 year of age are allowed in sessions when carried by a parent or guardian.
• Guardians are asked to be mindful of the sessions and maintain a professional and disturbance-free environment at all times, including immediately stepping out of session rooms if an infant becomes fussy.
• Children are never permitted in the Exhibit Hall.

Childcare Services
The American College of Surgeons will offer Camp ACS, an onsite childcare/children’s program in Boston. The service will include activities such as arts and crafts and active games. Camp ACS, which is offered to registrants’ children ages 6 months through 17 years, will be conveniently located at the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center and offered 7:30 am–10:00 pm, Sunday, October 22, through Wednesday, October 25.

Little Medical School
Little Medical School is an educational enrichment program prepared by board-certified physicians and educators that allows children the opportunity to explore the world of medicine, science, and health in an engaging and fun way. Available for children 2 years and older, this optional programming is offered as an add-on to Camp ACS. The program will be held at the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center on Monday, October 23, 9:00 am–12:00 pm, and is supervised by a licensed childcare provider.
Registration Information

Who should attend and what’s included?
Registration is open to all physicians and individuals in the healthcare field and includes entrance to the exhibits and all sessions*, other than Postgraduate Courses (fees listed on pages 10–11) and Meet-the-Expert sessions, which are ticketed and require a $25 fee.
To review the full registration policies and register, please visit facs.org/clincon2023.

*The following sessions are included with your registration for the in-person Clinical Congress and are not ticketed:
• Named Lectures
• Panel Sessions
• Scientific Posters
• Scientific Forum
• Town Hall Meetings
• Video-Based Education Sessions

Registering for these sessions does not guarantee seating, which is provided on a first-come, first-served basis until the meeting room is full. Registering for the in-person meeting includes access to all the virtual content.

In-person attendees are able to experience the onsite program and may also register for Postgraduate Courses if availability permits. They also will have access to the livestreamed Convocation, Opening Ceremony, Martin Memorial Lecture and three selected sessions as well as all on-demand recordings, which will be available within an hour after being presented.

Virtual attendees will have access to selected livestreamed and on-demand content. Please see facs.org/clincon2023 for a full list of available sessions.

All attendees have the opportunity to claim more than 100 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™, earn self-assessment credits, and meet other regulatory requirements through May 1, 2024.

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Attendees must be a member of the American College of Surgeons at the time of registration to receive the member rate. Refunds will not be provided to those who become members after registering.
Commercial representatives may obtain the commercial registration form by emailing a request to clinconreg@facs.org.

*Please see this list for country income status as advised by the World Bank: https://datahelpdesk.worldbank.org/knowledgebase/articles/906519-world-bank-country-and-lending-groups.

*A Retired ACS Fellow is an individual who has notified the College, meets the ACS definition of Retired, has been granted Retired status, and is officially listed in the ACS database as Retired. The ACS definition of a Retired member is a surgeon who is not in the active practice of providing surgical or nonsurgical patient care, participating in funded research, or performing compensated teaching or administrative duties. Questions about Retired member status should be directed to dues@facs.org.

**All nonmembers who pay the applicable Clinical Congress registration fees will have their membership application fees waived if they apply for American College of Surgeons membership onsite at Clinical Congress.

†A nonmember Resident or Medical Student registering for Clinical Congress will be granted automatic membership in the American College of Surgeons. Application fees will be waived if appropriate documentation is supplied verifying Resident or Medical Student status.

**Guest Registration

***Guest registration is meant for nonmedical attendees only. All Guest registrants must be accompanied by a Clinical Congress registrant of another category. The Guest fee entitles the recipient to attend scientific sessions, view the technical and scientific exhibits, and use the shuttle bus service. Guests are not eligible to attend postgraduate courses or Meet-the-Expert sessions, nor are they eligible for CME credits or Certificates of Attendance.

Registration and Membership Questions
Should you have any questions regarding Clinical Congress registration, please contact Registration Services. Phone registrations are not accepted.

Email: clinconreg@facs.org
Phone: 312-202-5244
Fax: 312-202-5003

Should you have any questions regarding your ACS membership prior to registering for Clinical Congress, please contact Member Services at:

Fellow Dues and Status
877-277-0036 or dues@facs.org

Fellows and Applicants for Fellowship
800-293-9623 or facsapplications@facs.org

Associate Fellow, Resident, Medical Student, and Affiliate Members
800-293-4029 or enroll@facs.org

2023 Clinical Congress Initiates
800-621-4111 or acsinitiate@facs.org

For information on becoming a member of the College and to complete a membership application, please visit facs.org/member-services/join.
Health and Safety Information

ACS COVID Policy*
Masks are recommended and optional. All meeting attendees should be up to date with COVID-19 vaccinations and recommended boosters per CDC recommendations.

Attendees should test prior to travel and refrain from participating in ACS events if symptoms of COVID-19 or other illness exist.

*These recommendations are subject to change based on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention transmission rate for Boston in the period prior to Clinical Congress. For the most up-to-date health and safety information, visit facs.org/clincon2023.
Support ACS by booking your room through onPeak at one of the official Clinical Congress hotels.

Reserving your hotel rooms via the ACS housing system provides:

- **Lowest rates.** We’ve secured more than 15 hotels in the heart of the city offering a wide range of options, price points, and the lowest rates possible.
- **Flexible terms.** Book today and have the flexibility to change or cancel your reservation without charge up to 72 hours prior to arrival.
- **Customer service.** If a dispute or problem arises, onPeak is your advocate and is also available to assist with housing questions or concerns.
- **Support for the ACS.** When you book through the system, you are supporting ACS, and allowing the ACS to negotiate the best rates.
- **Free transportation.** Free shuttle bus service is available between most ACS-contracted hotels and the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center.

Reserve your hotel today; popular hotels fill up quickly.

### Housing Procedures

Reservation requests will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis and must be received by 3:00 pm CT on Monday, October 2. Requests received after this deadline, or after the room blocks are filled, are subject to rate and space availability. Housing requests can be made using one of the following options:

- **Online at** https://compass.onpeak.com/e/012605537/. The online reservation service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- **Call onPeak at** 855-906-4456 (within US only) or 312-527-7300 between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm CT, Monday through Friday.

If you do not receive acknowledgment of your reservation request within 72 hours, please contact onPeak via email at acs@onpeak.com or at the numbers indicated above. Please verify your acknowledgment for accuracy as it will be the only confirmation you will receive.

### Deposit Requirements

All reservations will require a credit card (American Express, VISA, or MasterCard) for arrival guarantee purposes only. A deposit is not required, and credit cards will not be charged at the time the reservation is made. Credit cards will be charged directly by the hotel only if your reservation is canceled within 72 hours of arrival or in accordance with your hotel's cancelation policy as noted on your confirmation.

### Changes and Cancelations

Reservation changes and/or cancelations should be made with onPeak until Monday, October 16, at 4:00 pm CT. Beginning October 17, contact the hotel directly with any changes and ask for a confirmation number if canceling your reservation. A cancelation penalty of one night's room and tax will be charged for reservations canceled within 72 hours of arrival date or in accordance with your hotel's cancelation policy as noted on your reservation confirmation.

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**ACS Leadership Accommodations**

The following housing procedures apply to all Clinical Congress general registrants. If you are a Regent, Officer, Past Officer, Advisory Council Chair, Governor, Distinguished Service Award Recipient, Special Invited Guest, or Standing Committee Chair and are hoping to reserve a room at the Omni Seaport or Westin Boston Seaport, please use the special housing link sent to you. Please contact meetingservices@facs.org with any questions.

**Suite Raffle**

To thank you for booking your reservation through onPeak in the official housing block, you will be entered in a raffle to win an upgrade to a one-bedroom suite, valid for reservations for dates of stay that include October 21-25. Your reservation must be made by September 25 in order to qualify for the raffle. Winner(s) will be notified via email by October 10.

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All rates include in-room WiFi. ADA compliant accommodations are available at all Clinical Congress 2023 hotels. Rates listed do not include applicable taxes. For more details, please visit facs.org/clincon2023.

 Hotels with a bus symbol indicate locations for shuttle bus stops. Those staying at a hotel without a shuttle stop should use the stop closest to their hotel.

 Indicates hotel is within walking distance of the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center.

 Indicates hotel is one of two Clinical Congress 2023 headquarters hotels.