

Robotic Advances in Gynecology

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Goal

The goal of the conference is to provide the latest strategies to achieve maximum success when performing basic and complex pelvic surgery using the robotic surgical platform.

Call for Video Submission

We are requesting video submissions in both benign gynecologic and gynecologic oncologic robotic procedures from participants at the conference. We encourage those video presentations detailing novel approaches and new techniques to current gynecologic robotic procedures as well as approaches to robotic surgical complications. Two winners in each category will be chosen to present during our video sessions and will be presented with a certificate of recognition. Deadline for submission is June 30, 2014.

Videos may be submitted by two options:

- **Certified mail as DVD, USB memory card to:**
Pedro T. Ramirez, Professor, The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Department of Gynecologic Oncology & Reproductive Medicine, 1155 Pressler Street, Unit 1362, Houston, TX 77030
- **DropBox:**
Please download DropBox at www.dropbox.com and set up an account. Once your account has been set up, simply upload your presentation into DropBox and "Share" it with Dr. Nicole Fleming at NFleming@mdanderson.org. Please contact Coni Tierney at ctierney@mdanderson.org with any questions.



Educational Objectives

After attending the conference, participants should be able to

- Perform gynecologic surgeries using robotic surgical technologies to their full potential, translating into improved care and patient outcomes (*Knowledge, Competence, Performance, Patient Outcomes*);
- Effectively plan and execute complex procedures in a robotic operating room (*Knowledge, Competence, Performance, Patient Outcomes*);
- Collaborate with colleagues to determine formal steps and detailed guidelines for robotic gynecologic procedures (*Knowledge, Competence, Performance*);
- Prevent and manage complications through proper patient assessment and risk awareness (*Knowledge, Competence, Performance*);
- Address current health care issues – financial and legal – in robotic surgery (*Knowledge, Competence*).

Educational Methods

Lectures – Panel Discussions – Audience Response System – Question and Discussion Sessions

Target Audience

This conference should be of value to gynecologists, urogynecologists, and gynecologic oncologists.

Evaluation

A course evaluation form will provide participants with the opportunity to comment on the value of the program content to their practice decisions, performance improvement activities, or possible impact on patient health status. Participants will also have the opportunity to comment on any perceived commercial bias in the presentations as well as to identify future educational topics.

Accreditation/Credit Designation

PHYSICIANS

The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center designates this live activity for a maximum of 15.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

CME Certificates and Attendance Verification Certificates

Certificates awarding *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit*™ or certificates documenting attendance will be distributed to participants as they depart the symposium. To obtain a CME certificate, physicians must submit a completed evaluation questionnaire and a CME Verification Form.

Upon request, a record of attendance (certificate) will be provided on-site to other health care professionals for requesting credits in accordance with state nursing boards, specialty societies, or other professional associations.



PROGRAM

Thursday, September 4, 2014

7:15 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:55 **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

Nicole D. Fleming, MD
Pedro T. Ramirez, MD

8:00 **Robotic Operating Room: Positioning, Docking, Trendelenburg, Trocars, Efficiency**

Pamela T. Soliman, MD

8:25 **Robotic Approach to Standard Hysterectomy**

Pedro T. Ramirez, MD

8:50 **Ureteral Anatomy and Risk During Simple Hysterectomy**

Javier F. Magrina, MD

9:15 **Robotic Management of Endometriosis**

Gregory Eads, MD

9:40 **Panel Discussion**

10:00 Break

10:15 **Robotic Myomectomy**

Arnold P. Advincula, MD

10:40 **Robotic Surgery and Obesity**

Nicole D. Fleming, MD

11:05 **Robotic Excision of Large Fibroid Uterus and Ovarian Masses**

Jubilee Brown, MD

11:30 **Single Port Approach to Benign Gynecologic Pathology**

Gregory Eads, MD

11:45 **Panel Discussion**

Noon Lunch (provided)

Organizing Committee

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1:00 p.m.	Medicolegal Concerns With Robotic Surgery Pedro T. Ramirez, MD
2:00	Troubleshooting Robotic Obstacles: A Solution for All Panel Discussion Gregory Eads, MD; Ricardo E. Estape, MD; Arnold P. Advincula, MD; Javier F. Magrina, MD
3:00	Break
3:15	Video Session: Benign Procedures 2 Winners of Benign Gynecology Videos
4:15	Standardizing Education and Training in Robotic Surgery: An Introduction to the Institute for Surgical Excellence Martin A. Martino, MD
4:45	Panel Discussion
5:00	Adjourn

Friday, September 5, 2014

7:15 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:55	Introduction Nicole D. Fleming, MD Pedro T. Ramirez, MD
8:00	Robotic Sacrocolpopexy Rosanne M. Kho, MD
8:25	Pelvic Lymphadenectomy and Lymphatic Mapping Mario Leitao, MD
8:50	Robotic Transperitoneal Infraarenal Aortic Lymphadenectomy: Single Docking Pedro T. Ramirez, MD
9:20	Tools and Instrumentation for Single Port Robotic Surgery Pedro F. Escobar, MD

9:50	Panel Discussion
10:10	Break
10:30	Robotic Nerve-Sparing Radical Hysterectomy: Step by Step Technique Javier F. Magrina, MD
11:00	Robotic Radical Trachelectomy Pedro T. Ramirez, MD
11:25	Applications of Single-Port Robotic Surgery in Gynecology Oncology Pedro F. Escobar, MD
Noon	Lunch (provided)
1:00 p.m.	Robotic Resection of Recurrent Gynecologic Cancers Mario Leitao, MD
1:25	Robotics for Ovarian Cancer: Diaphragm and Liver Resection Javier F. Magrina, MD
1:50	Robotic Pelvic Exenteration and Ileal Conduit Peter C. Lim, MD
2:20	Panel Discussion
2:40	Robotic Management of Urologic and Bowel Injuries Ricardo E. Estape, MD
3:05	Robotic Management of Major Vascular Injuries Mario Leitao, MD
3:30	Break
3:50	Video Session: Gynecologic Oncology Procedures/Complications 2 Winners of Gynecologic Oncology Videos
5:00	Panel Discussion
5:15	Adjourn

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Registration Information

On-site registration opens at 7:15 a.m. on Thursday, September 4, 2014. The conference will begin at 7:55 am on Thursday, September 4, 2014 and adjourn on Friday, September 5, 2014 at 5:15 p.m. Advance registration is encouraged as space and materials are limited. Please see the registration form for applicable fees.

The full conference registration fee includes the tuition, syllabus, continental breakfasts, breaks, and lunches.

The deadline for advance registration is Friday, August 15, 2014.

There are three ways to register:

- Mail to: CME/Conference Management – Unit 1781, The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, P.O. Box 301407, Houston, TX 77230-1439
- Fax to: 713-794-1724
- On-line at www.mdanderson.org/conferences

We accept the following forms of payment:

- Check (payable through U.S. banks only)
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- Cash (on-site registration only)

When registering online a receipt/confirmation letter will be automatically e-mailed to the e-mail address you list on the registration form. If you register by fax or mail, a receipt/confirmation letter will be sent to you within ten working days of receipt of your fee.

Refund/Cancellation Policy:

The registration fee, minus a \$50 administrative handling fee, is refundable if a written request is received on or before August 15, 2014. No refunds will be granted after that date. The request for a registration refund must include the tax identification number of the company or institution if registration was paid by a company or institution check.

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Accommodations

- A block of rooms has been reserved for conference attendees at the **Hotel Za Za**, 5701 Main Street, Houston, Texas.
- Early hotel reservation is suggested. To make reservations, please call the Hotel Za Za Reservations at 713-526-1991 and identify yourself as part of the **MD Anderson Robotics Conference**.
- The special meeting rate is \$195.00 single or double occupancy. Please add 17% Texas State and local taxes. Reservations and deposits received after **August 4, 2014** will be confirmed if space is available and at current hotel published guest room rates.

Ground Transportation

(prices are subject to change and variable depending on location of conference)

- Houston is served by two airports, George Bush Intercontinental (IAH) and William P. Hobby (HOU).
- Taxicabs are available at an estimated cost for \$50-60, to or from William P. Hobby Airport or George Bush Intercontinental Airport.
- Super Shuttle operates a shuttle bus between George Bush Intercontinental Airport and the Hotel Za Za for \$27 one-way and \$54 round-trip. For more information, call 713-523-8888 or toll-free at 800-258-3826 or on-line at www.supershuttle.com.
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Please let us know what specific topics, issues or questions you wish to see addressed or emphasized in this activity. Fax or e-mail CME/Conference Management. All responses will be forwarded to the Program Chairs for consideration.

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