



New York Society for
Gastrointestinal Endoscopy
42nd Annual
New York Course

GAME CHANGERS:

New Perspectives on Endoscopic Challenges

December 13-14, 2018

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***Doris C. Barnie GI Nurses
and Associates Course***

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***Annual New York GI
Fellows Endoscopy Course***

December 12, 2018

***Satellite Workshops
and Symposia***

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2018

6:30 – 7:25 am **Registration**
Continental Breakfast

Welcome NYSGE President: Seth A. Gross, MD
7:25 – 7:30 am Annual New York Course Directors:
Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH; Tamas A. Gonda, MD;
David A. Greenwald, MD

Edmund Bini, MD Lecture Introduction by Jean W. Saleh, MD
7:30 – 7:45 am **Performing a Rectal Exam: Why? How?** Lawrence J. Brandt, MD

Session 1: Advances in Bariatrics Moderator: Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS
7:45 – 8:00 am **State-of-the-Art in Endobariatric Procedures**
Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc
8:00 – 8:15 am **Managing Complications of Bariatric Procedures**
Vivek Kumbhari, MBChB
8:15 – 8:30 am **Panel Discussion and Q & A**

ASGE President's Lecture Introduction by Seth A. Gross, MD
8:30 – 8:45 am **Endoscopic and Surgical Bariatric Procedures:**
Which One for Which Patient? Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD

Session 2: Lesion Resection Moderator: David H. Robbins, MD, MSc
8:45 – 9:00 am **Polyps I've Known, Seen, and Removed** Jerome D. Waye, MD
9:00 – 9:15 am **Beyond the Mucosa: Lesion Resection** Gregory B. Haber, MD
9:15 – 9:30 am **Tips and Tricks for Getting Out of a Fix** Gottumukkala S. Raju, MD

Keynote Lecture Introduction by Jonathan Cohen, MD
9:30 – 9:45 am **Endoscopic Insights and Techniques in the Perioperative**
Management of Pancreatic Cancer Jacques Devière, MD, PhD
9:45 – 10:15 am **Break Served in Exhibit Hall**

David B. Falkenstein, MD Lecture Introduction by Mark A. Schattner, MD
10:15 – 10:30 am **Bile Duct Access in Altered Anatomy** Todd H. Baron, MD

Session 3: Diseases of the Esophagus Moderator: Felice Schnoll-Sussman, MD
10:30 – 10:45 am **New Techniques in Evaluating Upper GI Motility: Balloons,**
Capsules, Pills Abraham Khan, MD
10:45 – 11:00 am **Endoscopic and Non-Endoscopic Screening for**
Barrett's Esophagus: Current and Future Perspectives
Julian A. Abrams, MD, MPH
11:00 – 11:15 am **Surveillance of Barrett's Esophagus: A Balanced Approach**
Satish Nagula, MD
11:15 – 11:30 am **New Methods for Treatment of Barrett's Esophagus**
Charles J. Lightdale, MD

Richard S. McCray, MD Lecture Introduction by David A. Greenwald, MD
11:30 – 11:45 am **80% by 2018: A Tale of Successes** Sidney J. Winawer, MD

NYSGE President's Lecture Introduction by Mark B. Pochapin, MD
11:45 – 12:00 pm **Adenoma Detection Rates: Where We Are, Where We Are Going**
Seth A. Gross, MD

12:00 – 12:10 pm **Stretch Break**



Lunch Programs Moderator: Anthony A. Starpoli, MD
12:10 – 1:00 pm **From Science to Practice: A Gas-Filled Balloon System**
Shelby Sullivan, MD

Additional Topics to Be Announced

1:00 – 1:30 pm **Break: Visit the Exhibits**

Live Endoscopy 1 Moderator: David A. Greenwald, MD
1:30 – 2:20 pm **Live Endoscopy 1**
2:20 – 2:30 pm **Panel Discussion**
Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD; Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD;
Gottumukkala S. Raju, MD; Vanessa M. Shami, MD;
Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc; Michael S. Smith, MD, MBA;
Amy Tyberg, MD

Session 4: Colonoscopy and Colorectal Cancer Moderator: Susana Gonzalez, MD
2:30 – 2:45 pm **Are Right-Sided Polyps Really Different?**
Benjamin Lebwohl, MD, MS
2:45 – 3:00 pm **Quality in Colonoscopy** Brian P. Bosworth, MD
3:00 – 3:15 pm **Young Onset Colorectal Cancer** Robin B. Mendelsohn, MD
3:15 – 3:30 pm **Replacing Screening Colonoscopy** Steven H. Itzkowitz, MD

3:30 – 4:00 pm **Break: Visit the Exhibits**

Live Endoscopy 2 Moderator: David A. Greenwald, MD
4:00 – 4:50 pm **Live Endoscopy 2**
4:50 – 5:00 pm **Panel Discussion**
Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD; Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD;
Satish Nagula, MD; Gottumukkala S. Raju, MD;
Nancy S. Schlossberg, BSN, RN, CGRN;
Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc; Michael S. Smith, MD, MBA

Keynote Lecture Introduction by Arnold J. Markowitz, MD
5:00 – 5:15 pm **Difficult Biliary Strictures** Guido Costamagna, MD

Peter D. Stevens, MD Endoscopic Video Forum
5:15 – 5:45 pm Moderators: Anthony A. Starpoli, MD and Juan Carlos Bucobo, MD
5:45 – 6:00 pm **Visit the Exhibits**

9th Annual Scientific Poster Session and Reception
5:45 – 7:00 pm Coordinators: Susana Gonzalez, MD and Lauren G. Khanna, MD

Fellows Forum
7:00 – 8:00 pm Moderators: Brian P. Bosworth, MD
and Michelle Kang Kim, MD, PhD

GAME CHANGERS: New Perspectives on Endoscopic Challenges

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2018

Welcome Back

6:30 – 7:30 am Registration

Keynote Lecture

7:30 – 7:45 am **How to Manage Pancreatic Neuroendocrine Tumors**
Introduction by Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH
Michelle Kang Kim, MD, PhD

Session 5: GI Bleeding

7:45 – 8:00 am **Best GI Bleeding Tips and Techniques** David L. Carr-Locke, MD
8:00 – 8:15 am **Anticoagulation and GI Bleeding** Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD
8:15 – 8:30 am **Endoscopic Evaluation of Mid-Gut Bleeding**
Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH

Live Endoscopy 3

8:30 – 9:20 am **Live Endoscopy 3** Moderator: David A. Greenwald, MD
9:20 – 9:30 am **Panel Discussion**
Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD; Sammy Ho, MD;
John M. Poneris, MD; Gottumukkala S. Raju, MD;
Felice Schnoll-Sussman, MD; Vanessa M. Shami, MD;
Amy Tyberg, MD

9:30 – 10:00 am **Break Served in Exhibit Hall**

Session 6: Pancreatic Diseases

10:00 – 10:15 am **Necrotizing Pancreatitis: Primary Endoscopic Management** Moderator: Vivek Kaul, MD
John M. Poneris, MD
10:15 – 10:30 am **Is Endoscopic Treatment of Chronic Pancreatitis Futile?**
Timothy B. Gardner, MD, MS
10:30 – 10:45 am **Premalignant Pancreatic Lesions: When to Worry and Fix in a Hurry** Vanessa M. Shami, MD
10:45 – 11:00 am **EUS-Guided Therapies for the Treatment of Pancreatic Cancer**
Tamas A. Gonda, MD

Live Endoscopy 4

11:00 – 11:50 am **Live Endoscopy 4** Moderator: David A. Greenwald, MD
11:50 – 12:00 pm **Panel Discussion**
Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD; Lauren G. Khanna, MD;
Vivek Kumbhari, MBChB; Gottumukkala S. Raju, MD;
Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc; Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc;

12:00 – 12:10 pm **Stretch Break**

Lunch Programs

12:10 – 1:00 pm **Topics to Be Announced**

1:00 – 1:30 pm **Break: Visit the Exhibits**

Keynote Lecture

1:30 – 1:45 pm **Precision Oncology: Tissue and Blood-Based Strategies to Guide Patient Care**
Introduction by Tamas A. Gonda, MD
Diane M. Simeone, MD, PhD

Florence Lefcourt Lecture

1:45 – 2:00 pm **Endoscopic Management of Inflammatory Bowel Disease**
Introduction by Arun Swaminath, MD
Tonya Kaltenbach, MD, MS

Live Endoscopy 5

2:00 – 2:50 pm **Live Endoscopy 5** Moderator: David A. Greenwald, MD
2:50 – 3:00 pm **Panel Discussion**
Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD; Vivek Kumbhari, MBChB;
Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH; John M. Poneris, MD;
Nancy S. Schlossberg, BSN, RN, CGRN; Vanessa M. Shami, MD;
Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc; Stavros N. Stavropoulos, MD

Peter D. Stevens, MD Lecture

3:00 – 3:15 pm **Endoscopic Treatment of Upper Motility Disorders**
Introduction by Peter H. R. Green, MD
Stavros N. Stavropoulos, MD

3:15 – 3:45 pm **Break: Served in Exhibit Hall**

Session 7: New Approaches and New Organs

3:45 – 4:00 pm **Turning Up the Heat in ERCP: Intraductal Therapies** Moderator: Frank G. Gress, MD
Michel Kahaleh, MD
4:00 – 4:15 pm **Meet the Interstitium: Our Newfound Organ** Petros C. Benias, MD
4:15 – 4:30 pm **EUS-Guided Enteroenterostomies: Future or Folly?**
Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc
4:30 – 4:45 pm **EUS-Guided Access vs. ERCP: A Paradigm Shift in the Approach to Biliary Obstruction** Sammy Ho, MD
4:45 – 5:00 pm **Panel Discussion and Q & A**

Closing Remarks

5:00 pm Annual New York Course Directors:
Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH; Tamas A. Gonda, MD;
David A. Greenwald, MD



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Gregory B. Haber, MD

Sammy Ho, MD

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Adam J. Goodman, MD

Doris C. Barnie GI Nurses and Associates Course Directors

Barbara Zuccala, MSN, RN, CGRN

Nancy S. Schlossberg, BSN, RN, CGRN



Intended Audience

Practicing Gastroenterologists, Gastrointestinal Endoscopists, Surgeons, GI Fellows, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners and GI Nurses and Associates

Course Description

Under the direction of expert faculty, this course is designed to improve endoscopic practice through live case presentations, video and hands-on demonstrations, educational lectures including audience interaction and questions, and hands-on training using animal tissue models.

The course goals are to help participants improve their ability to accurately diagnose and effectively treat the spectrum of gastrointestinal diseases and disorders, enhance quality and safety in all practice settings, recognize trends in interventional endoscopic and surgical procedures, apply state-of-the-art technology in a cost-effective way, embrace advances in healthcare delivery, payment, and information sharing; and to foster an evidence-based approach to endoscopic decision-making for commonly encountered and controversial problems in gastroenterology.

Gastrointestinal endoscopy continues to experience rapid expansion of knowledge and technological innovation, both of which are impacting the diagnosis and treatment of gastrointestinal disorders. Additionally, advances in therapeutic endoscopy are challenging or entirely replacing certain endoscopic techniques that previously were purely diagnostic. Gastroenterologists must understand and effectively apply current and emerging diagnostic and treatment options while maximizing quality and safety. In view of these developments, the need for superior continuing education becomes increasingly important. This course will enable participants to attain and apply cutting-edge information and evolving technological innovations to elevate practice levels and enhance patient care and treatment outcomes.

Learning Objectives

- Discuss the spectrum of commonly seen disorders of the esophagus and stomach, such as gastroesophageal reflux disease, Barrett's esophagus, motility disorders, and peptic ulcer disease, and outline related treatment options and their effectiveness
- Evaluate advances in the methods of assessing disease status in patients with inflammatory bowel disease, and discuss the application of these techniques to patient treatment
- Discuss the efficacy and safety of treatments for viral hepatitis, nonalcoholic fatty liver disease, and other chronic liver disorders
- Identify appropriate methods to detect and treat common disorders of the small bowel and colon, such as colon polyps, as well as endobariatric therapy for obesity, and review the effectiveness of these approaches
- Examine the diagnostic and therapeutic capabilities of current and emerging advanced endoscopic techniques to diagnose and treat disorders of the hepatobiliary tract, pancreas, and luminal gastrointestinal tract and to detect and manage obscure upper and lower GI bleeding

Faculty Disclosure

Albert Einstein College of Medicine requires that faculty participating in a CME activity disclose to the audience any relationship(s) with a pharmaceutical or equipment company. Any presenter whose disclosed relationships prove to create a conflict of interest with regard to their contribution to the activity will not be permitted to present.

Albert Einstein College of Medicine also requires that faculty participating in any CME activity disclose to the audience when discussing any unlabeled or investigational use of any commercial product or device not yet approved in the United States.

Accreditation Statement

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of Albert Einstein College of Medicine and the New York Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy. Albert Einstein College of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit Designation

Albert Einstein College of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of **14.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Maintenance of Certification

Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn up to 14.75 Medical Knowledge MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.



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Doris C. Barnie GI Nurses and Associates Course

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2018

6:30 – 7:30 am **Registration**
Continental Breakfast

Welcome

7:30 – 7:45 am **Course Directors:** Barbara Zuccala, MSN, RN, CGRN;
Nancy S. Schlossberg, BSN, RN, CGRN

Session 1: Updates on Colon Cancer

7:45 – 8:45 am **Nurses: Champions of Change: Strategies for Achieving 80% by 2018 and Beyond – Panel Discussion**
Moderator: Doreen Cokeley, BSN, RN, CGRN
Catherine Bauer, MSN, MBA, CGRN, CFR;
Kimberly Gittines;
Nancy S. Schlossberg, BSN, RN, CGRN;
Barbara Zuccala, MSN, RN, CGRN

8:45 – 9:15 am **Colorectal Cancer: On the Rise for Millennials and Others Under 50**
Moderator: Mary Jo Miller, BSN, RN, CGRN
Robin B. Mendelsohn, MD

9:15 – 9:45 am **Genetic Susceptibility for Colorectal Cancer**
Robin B. Mendelsohn, MD

9:45 – 10:15 am **Break Served in Exhibit Hall**

Session 2: Creating a Culture of Safety in Your GI Unit

10:15 – 11:00 am **Developing a High Reliability Endoscopy Unit**
Moderator: Barbara Zuccala, MSN, RN, CGRN
Michael Mutter, MS, RPh, CPPS

11:00 – 11:45 am **Legal Issues in Treating the GI Patient** Jennifer M. Walsh, JD

11:45 – 12:00 pm **Panel Discussion and Q & A**
Michael Mutter, MS, RPh, CPPS; Jennifer M. Walsh, JD

12:00 – 12:10 pm **Stretch Break**

Lunch Programs

12:10 – 1:00 pm **Topics to Be Announced**

1:00 – 1:30 pm **Break: Visit the Exhibits**

Session 3: Creating a Culture of Safety in Your GI Unit, Part II

1:30 – 2:00 pm **Infection Prevention: Ensuring Your GI Unit Is Providing the Best Care**
Moderator: Nancy S. Schlossberg, BSN, RN, CGRN
Catherine Bauer, MSN, MBA, CGRN, CFR

2:00 – 2:30 pm **Safe Delivery of Anesthesia During Endoscopy**
Carrie M. Young, MS, RN, CRNA

2:30 – 3:30 pm **High Level Disinfection Demonstration**

3:30 – 4:00 pm **Break: Visit the Exhibits**

4:00 – 5:45 pm **Physicians Plenary Session**

5:45 – 6:00 pm **Evaluation**

PROGRAMMING

In addition to nursing-specific programming, all of the physician programs are open to GI nurses and associates and will be submitted for nursing contact hours, apart from the poster session, certain lunch sessions, and satellite programs.

LEARNING OUTCOME

After this program, participants will be able to review the pathophysiology of GI diseases, evaluate current advances in diagnostic and therapeutic endoscopy, and identify evidence-based best practices for novel medical, endoscopic, surgical and nursing approaches to the management of digestive diseases.

CERTIFICATION BOARD FOR STERILE PROCESSING AND DISTRIBUTION

This activity has been submitted to the Certification Board for Sterile Processing and Distribution, Inc. (CBSPD) for continuing education units toward maintenance of certification.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2018

6:30 – 7:30 am **Registration**
Continental Breakfast

Welcome Back

7:30 – 7:45 am **Course Director:** Barbara Zuccala, MSN, RN, CGRN

Session 4: The Pediatric GI Patient Moderator: Mary Jo Miller, BSN, RN, CGRN

7:45 – 8:30 am **Special Care for Our Youngest Patients** Joel R. Rosh, MD

8:30 – 9:15 am **Pediatric Anesthesia During Endoscopy Procedures**
Jesse Aron, MD

9:15 – 9:30 am **Panel Discussion and Q & A** Jesse Aron, MD; Joel R. Rosh, MD

9:30 – 10:00 am **Break Served in Exhibit Hall**

Session 5: It's an Exciting Time to Be in GI!

10:00 – 11:00 am **Innovations, Complications, and Patient After-Care I: Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection (ESD), Per Oral Endoscopic Myotomy (POEM), Zenker's Diverticulotomy**
Moderator: Doreen Cokeley, BSN, RN, CGRN
Petros C. Benias, MD

11:00 – 12:00 pm **Innovations, Complications, and Patient After-Care II: Endoscopic Ultrasound (EUS), Pseudocyst Drainage, Endoscopic Retrograde Cholangiopancreatography (ERCP)**
Moderator: Nancy S. Schlossberg, BSN, RN, CGRN
Lauren G. Khanna, MD

12:00 – 12:10 pm **Stretch Break**

Lunch Programs

12:10 – 1:00 pm **Topics to Be Announced**

1:00 – 1:30 pm **Break: Visit the Exhibits**

Session 6: It's an Exciting Time to Be in GI!

1:30 – 2:30 pm **Innovations, Complications, and Patient After-Care III: Radio Frequency Ablation (RFA), Endoscopic Suturing and Defect Closure, Full Thickness Resection (FTR), Bariatric Endotherapies**
Moderator: Barbara Zuccala, MSN, RN, CGRN
Srihari Mahadev, MD, MS

2:30 – 3:15 pm **Physicians Plenary Session**

3:15 – 3:45 pm **Break: Served in Exhibit Hall**

3:45 – 5:00 pm **Physicians Plenary Session**

5:00 – 5:15 pm **Evaluation**

JOINT PROVIDERSHIP

The Doris C. Barnie GI Nurses and Associates Course is jointly provided by the Northern California Society of Gastroenterology Nurses and Associates (SGNA) and the New York Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy (NYSGE).

NURSING ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

This educational activity has been submitted to the Northern California Society of Gastroenterology Nurses and Associates. Northern California SGNA is an approved provider by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number CEP 6900 (contact hours pending) and by ABCGN for GI-specific contact hours (pending).

LIVE

from New York!

Telecast throughout the course from NYU Langone Health – Tisch Hospital. Procedures may include:

- Advanced Imaging
- Ampullectomy
- Balloon-Assisted Enteroscopy
- Challenging Polypectomy
- Colonoscopy for IBD
- Difficult Cannulation
- Endoscopic Fundoplication
- ESD and EMR
- EUS/FNA Cyst Drainage
- Obesity Therapy
- RFA for Barrett's Esophagus

Invited Endoscopists

Todd H. Baron, MD
David L. Carr-Locke, MD
Jonathan Cohen, MD
Guido Costamagna, MD
Jacques Devière, MD, PhD
Frank G. Gress, MD
Gregory B. Haber, MD
Sammy Ho, MD
Michel Kahaleh, MD
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9th Annual Scientific Poster Session and Reception

Thursday, December 13 • 5:45 pm to 7:00 pm

Guidelines

- Individuals currently enrolled in an accredited medical school, residency, or three-year Gastroenterology fellowship are eligible to submit, as are trainees enrolled in Advanced Endoscopy, Hepatology, IBD or Motility fellowships
- Applicants are not required to be the lead author, but must have contributed significantly and meaningfully to the research study
- Any clinical topic within Gastroenterology or Hepatology is suitable for submission, although case reports will not be accepted
- Abstracts submitted to a national meeting (DDW, ACG, AASLD) in the past year are eligible
- Acceptance by NYSGE does not preclude future submission to other conferences
- The body of the abstract is limited to 2,900 characters, including spaces
- If selected, posters may be no larger than 4' x 8'
- Judges and course attendees will view the posters from 5:45 pm to 7:00 pm, during which time all presenters must be in attendance
- An NYSGE Fellows Research Award will be presented to the top three scoring posters, and the winners announced at the next NYSGE Annual Dinner and Business Meeting
- All those who submit must be NYSGE Trainee members. To apply, visit www.nysge.org, choose Join NYSGE then select Trainee Member from the Membership Options drop-down menu. Membership is complimentary for trainees, but a brief application is required. Please contact info@nysge.org for assistance.

Submission Instructions

Step 1

- Include your Full Name, Institution, Email Address, and Phone Number **at the top of the first page of your abstract.** Abstracts without this information will not be reviewed.
- Only MS Word and PDF file formats are acceptable
- Name your file as follows: Your Last Name – Institution – Abbreviated Title of Abstract
- Email your file to both info@nysge.org and kcervenka@nysge.org

Step 2

- Complete the brief online application on our website at www.nysge.org, Annual Course, Poster Session Submission

Special Offer

The 42nd Annual New York Course registration fee will be waived for fellows with accepted posters (limited to one per poster session abstract), pending grant approval.

Submission Deadline

Monday, October 29

Instructions for complimentary registration will be sent separately after notification of acceptance.



Peter D. Stevens, MD Endoscopic Video Forum

Thursday, December 13

Guidelines

- Subject matter must be endoscopic in nature and pose a clinical challenge or demonstrate an intriguing technique
- Files may be no more than 3 minutes in length and should include a narrative audio track that will be used for review purposes, but will not be part of the live presentation
- Up to five videos will be selected. If chosen, you must be present to narrate your video during the video forum on the above day. A two-minute panel discussion will follow each presentation
- An award will be presented to the top video, and the winner announced at the next NYSGE Annual Dinner and Business Meeting

Submission Instructions

- Prepare an MS Word file that includes your Full Name, Institution, Email Address, and Phone Number
- Name both this and your video file as follows: Your Last Name – Institution – Title of Video
- Email just your MS Word file to both info@nysge.org and kcervenka@nysge.org
- Once received, you will be sent instructions on how to submit your video file
- Your video file should include 1) a title slide, and 2) a final slide with bullet points summarizing key information



Submission Deadline
Monday, October 29

Fellows Forum

Thursday, December 13 • 7:00 pm–8:00 pm

Fellows and recent GI graduates are invited to attend this open exchange about securing a job in academia or private practice, negotiating a contract, and other career-related topics.



Exhibits

Many outstanding companies are participating. Take advantage of this opportunity to learn about the latest products and services of importance to your patients and practice. Breakfasts and breaks will be hosted in the exhibit area.

Exhibit Hours

Thursday, December 13 from 7:30 am - 6:00 pm
Friday, December 14 from 7:30 am - 4:00 pm

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Wednesday, December 12, 2018

8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Course Directors

Christopher J. DiMaio, MD; Adam J. Goodman, MD, Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc, and Stavros N. Stavropoulos, MD

Faculty

Petros C. Benias, MD; Juan Carlos Bucobo, MD; Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD; David Carr-Locke, MD; Tamas A. Gonda, MD; Seth A. Gross, MD; Sammy Ho, MD; Lauren G. Khanna, MD; Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS; Robin B. Mendelsohn, MD; Satish Nagula, MD; Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH; John M. Poneris, MD; David M. Poppers, MD, PhD; Mark A. Schattner, MD; Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc; Arvind Trindade, MD; Jessica L. Widmer, DO

Intended Audience

Second, Third and Fourth Year Fellows in Gastroenterology

Course Description

This course is designed to increase knowledge, competence, and performance of advanced therapeutic endoscopy techniques among gastroenterology trainees. Information will be delivered through lectures, audience question and answers, and presentation of procedural techniques at hands-on learning stations. Best practice techniques across a broad spectrum of therapeutic endoscopy will be presented by a faculty of nationally known interventional endoscopists.

Learning Objectives

- Review important quality metrics in ERCP and understand basic tips and tricks for cannulation, stone and stricture management
- Discuss the latest approach to colorectal and duodenal endoscopic mucosal resection
- Outline the basics of endoscopic submucosal dissection and its current indications
- Discuss the endoscopic management of benign and malignant biliary diseases
- Discuss the role of EUS for both tissue acquisition and drainage

Agenda

- 7:30 – 8:00 am **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 – 8:15 am **Approaches to Benign Luminal Strictures**
Satish Nagula, MD
- 8:15 – 8:30 am **ERCP Indications and Pitfalls**
John M. Poneris, MD
- 8:30 – 8:45 am **EUS Staging and Therapeutics**
Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD
- 8:45 – 9:00 am **Advanced Imaging**
Jonathan Cohen, MD
- 9:00 – 9:15 am **Break**
- 9:15 – 12:00 pm **Pancreaticobiliary Hands-On Training**
Rotation Through the Following Learning Stations
Cannulation/Sphincterotomy (Jessica L. Widmer, DO)
Biliary Stenting (Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD)
Fluid Collections Drainage (Lauren G. Khanna, MD)
Cholangiopancreatography (Sammy Ho, MD)
EUS Tissue Acquisition and Fiducials (Mark A. Schattner, MD)
Luminal Stenting (Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH)

(Floating Faculty: David M. Poppers, MD, PhD)

Luminal Hands-On Training

Rotation Through the Following Learning Stations
Suturing (Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS)
RFA and Cryoablation (Juan Carlos Bucobo, MD)
Closure (Robin B. Mendelsohn, MD)
EMR, Band and Cap (Tamas A. Gonda, MD)
Hemostasis, Banding (Arvind Trindade, MD)
Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection (David L. Carr-Locke, MD)
(Floating Faculty: Petros C. Benias, MD)

All Learning Stations Open 9:15 am – 12:00 pm and 2:15 – 5:00 pm

- 12:00 – 1:00 pm **Lunch Program**
Novel Bowel Preparation for Patients to Achieve Successful Cleansing
Caterina Oneto, MD
- 1:00 – 1:15 pm **Principles of Electrosurgery**
David L. Carr-Locke, MD
- 1:15 – 1:30 pm **Hemostasis**
Seth A. Gross, MD
- 1:30 – 1:45 pm **Principles of EMR and ESD**
Stavros N. Stavropoulos, MD
- 1:45 – 2:00 pm **Perforations, Leaks, and Fistulas**
Juan Carlos Bucobo, MD
- 2:00 – 2:15 pm **Break**
- 2:15 – 5:00 pm **Luminal Hands-On Training**
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Suturing (Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS)
RFA and Cryoablation (Juan Carlos Bucobo, MD)
Closure (Robin B. Mendelsohn, MD)
EMR, Band and Cap (Tamas A. Gonda, MD)
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- Pancreaticobiliary Hands-On Training**
Rotation Through the Following Learning Stations
Cannulation/Sphincterotomy (Jessica L. Widmer, DO)
Biliary Stenting (Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD)
Fluid Collections Drainage (Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc)
Cholangiopancreatography (Sammy Ho, MD)
EUS Tissue Acquisition and Fiducials (Mark A. Schattner, MD)
Luminal Stenting (Patrick I. Okolo III, MD, MPH)
(Floating Faculty: Lauren G. Khanna, MD and David M. Poppers, MD, PhD)
- All Learning Stations Open 9:15 am – 12:00 pm and 2:15 – 5:00 pm

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Optional Satellite Programs: Advanced Hands-On Workshops and Symposia

Option 1

Advanced Resection and Third Space Endoscopy

Wednesday, December 12, 2018 • 5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Course Directors

Franklin E. Kasmin, MD and Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS

Faculty

Petros C. Benias, MD; Lionel D'Souza, MD; Makoto Nishimura, MD;
Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc; Stavros N. Stavropoulos, MD; Demetrios Tzimas, MD

Intended Audience

Gastroenterologists and GI Fellows

Course Description

This unique program will focus on the knowledge base and technical skills required to explore the use of the submucosa of the gastrointestinal tract as a conduit for intervention under and around mural or muscular lesions. The course will consist of several didactic lectures followed by four learning stations to give adequate time for participants to learn and practice endoscopic entrance into the GI "third space," dissection and resection of tumors, and techniques to close the third space entry point. Experts in the field of endoscopic dissection and resection will provide one-on-one training.

Learning Objectives

- Identify the indications and contraindications regarding the performance of dissection of the submucosa in therapeutic endoscopy
- Perform closure techniques using sutures and clips for management of GI tract perforations
- Describe the approach to endoscopic submucosal dissection for access to the muscular wall or for dissection of mucosal tumors

Agenda

5:45 – 6:00 pm **Registration and Refreshments**

6:00 – 6:10 pm **Principles of Working in the Submucosa (Third Space):
Techniques, Equipment, Tips, and Tricks**

Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc

6:10 – 6:20 pm **Management of Perforations and Endoscopic Closure**

Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS

6:20 – 6:30 pm **Emerging Technologies in Third Space Endoscopy**

Stavros N. Stavropoulos, MD

6:30 – 9:00 pm **Hands-On Training**

Rotation Through the Following Learning Stations:

Submucosal Tunneling, Station 1 (*Stavros N. Stavropoulos, MD*)

Submucosal Tunneling, Station 2 (*Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS*)

Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection, Station 1

(*Makoto Nishimura, MD*)

Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection, Station 2

(*Petros C. Benias, MD*)

Endoscopic Defect Closure, Station 1 (*Franklin E. Kasmin, MD*)

Endoscopic Defect Closure, Station 2 (*Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc*)

Endoscopic Mucosal Resection, Station 1 (*Lionel D'Souza, MD*)

Endoscopic Mucosal Resection, Station 2 (*Demetrios Tzimas, MD*)

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Option 2

Hot Topics in Hepatology

Wednesday, December 12, 2018 • 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Course Directors

Ira M. Jacobson, MD and Joseph A. Odin, MD, PhD

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Ilan S. Weisberg, MD, MS; Maureen Whitsett, MD

Intended Audience

Gastroenterologists and GI Fellows

Course Description

With the recent development of remarkably effective antiviral drugs for hepatitis C, there is increasing focus on management of patients cured of HCV infection but still at risk for complications of liver disease and hepatocellular carcinoma. Simultaneously, intense attention has shifted to other liver diseases including hepatitis B, fatty liver disease, which is emerging as a global epidemic and projected to be the leading indication for liver transplantation within a few years, and autoimmune liver disease. This program will explore difficult hepatitis B management decisions, such as whether to treat immune tolerant patients or to stop treatment in those who have had years of viral suppression on nucleotide therapy, and how to identify patients at risk for adverse liver-related outcomes. The large number of noninvasive options available for this critical clinical assessment will be presented along with how to treat autoimmune liver disease in patients who have failed to respond adequately to first line therapy. The course will discuss the most recent data and provide guidance for participants to use in everyday practice. Recent published experience concerning the development of portal vein thrombosis, which can unfavorably effect patient prognosis and poses the challenging issue of when to treat such high-risk patients with anticoagulant therapy will also be reviewed.

Optional Satellite Programs: Advanced Hands-On Workshops and Symposia



Learning Objectives

- Recognize the need for and components of continued management of patients with HCV infection who have had a sustained virologic response to antiviral therapy
- Compare the arguments pertaining to difficult management decisions in hepatitis B, such as treatment of immune tolerant patients and discontinuation of therapy after long-term viral suppression.
- Describe how to use noninvasive tools in the assessment of fatty liver disease to identify which patients are at risk of liver-related morbidity and mortality
- Analyze available data on how to treat PBC patients with inadequate response to Urso therapy, and autoimmune hepatitis patients with nonresponse to steroids and azathioprine.
- Recognize the shifting perspectives on portal vein thrombosis, a frequent complication of cirrhosis, with regard to prognostic implications and indications for anticoagulant therapy

Agenda

- 6:00 – 6:30 pm **Registration and Refreshments**
- 6:30 – 6:50 pm **Management of Nonresponding Patients to First-Line Therapy for Primary Biliary Cholangitis and Autoimmune Hepatitis**
Joseph A. Odin, MD, PhD
- 6:50 – 7:10 pm **Portal Vein Thrombosis in Patients with Cirrhosis: Whether and How to Treat**
Samuel H. Sigal, MD
- 7:10 – 7:30 pm **Assessment of Fatty Liver Disease: How Do We Know Which Patients to Worry About?**
Ira M. Jacobson, MD
- 7:30 – 7:50 pm **Management of HCV Patients after Sustained Virologic Response (SVR)**
Elizabeth C. Verna, MD, MS
- 7:50 – 8:10 pm **Frequently Encountered Management Dilemmas in Hepatitis B**
Ilan S. Weisberg, MD, MS
- 8:10 – 8:30 pm **Q & A and Panel Discussion**
- 8:30 – 9:00 pm **Case Presentations**
Moderated by Joseph A. Odin, MD, PhD and Ira M. Jacobson, MD
- Kamron Pourmand, MD
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Option 3

Building a Bariatric Endoscopy Practice

Presented in Cooperation with the Association for Bariatric Endoscopy – a Division of ASGE

Thursday, December 13, 2018 • 5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Course Directors

Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc and Violeta Popov, MD, PhD

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Jonathan Cohen, MD; Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD; Tamas A. Gonda, MD; Vivek Kumbhari, MBChB; Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS; Anthony A. Starpoli, MD

Intended Audience

Gastroenterologists and GI Fellows

Course Description

This course is designed to provide an understanding of the various treatments for obesity, with a particular emphasis on endoluminal therapies. The program consists of didactic lectures on the latest treatments for and management of obesity as well as complications of treatment. Hands-on demonstrations will include balloon placement and removal, aspiration therapies, gastric plications and suturing, as well as treatment of gastric sleeve leaks.

Learning Objectives

- Identify the rationale and expectations for endoluminal primary endoscopic weight loss therapy
- Compare and contrast these with current outcomes in endoluminal endoscopic weight loss therapy
- Demonstrate skills to perform endoluminal primary bariatric procedures
- Describe management of the bariatric patient and the limitations of endoscopic management of weight loss

Agenda

- 5:45 – 6:00 pm **Registration and Refreshments**
- 6:00 – 6:15 pm **Setting Up an Endobariatrics Program**
Violeta Popov, MD, PhD
- 6:15 – 6:30 pm **Obtaining Reimbursement for Bariatric Endotherapy Procedures**
Vivek Kumbhari, MBChB
- 6:30 – 6:45 pm **Current Endobariatric Procedures and Adjuvant Medical Therapy**
Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc



Optional Satellite Programs: Advanced Hands-On Workshops and Symposia

6:45 – 7:00 pm **Endobariatric Therapy: The Past and the Future**

Steven A. Edmundowicz, MD

7:00 – 9:00 pm **Hands-On Training**

Rotation Through the Following Learning Stations:

Endosuturing (*Nikhil A. Kumta, MD, MS*)

Balloon Placement and Retrieval Systems 1 (*Jonathan Cohen, MD*)

Balloon Placement and Retrieval Systems 2

(*Violeta Popov, MD, PhD*)

Swallowable Balloon System (*Anthony A. Starpoli, MD*)

Managing Bariatric Therapy Complications

(*Tamas A. Gonda, MD/Vivek Kumbhari, MBChB*)

Aspiration Therapy (*Reem Z. Sharaiha, MD, MSc*)

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Option 4

Interventional Endoscopy: ERCP and EUS

Thursday, December 13, 2018 • 5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Course Directors

Sammy Ho, MD and Frank G. Gress, MD

Faculty

Sherif Andrawes, MD; Todd H. Baron, MD; Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD;
Satish Nagula, MD; David H. Robbins, MD, MSc; Divyesh Sejal, MD

Intended Audience

Gastroenterologists and GI Fellows

Course Description

Rapid advances in technology are transforming the practice of EUS, ERCP and other techniques in interventional endoscopy, making it increasingly important to keep current with both the cognitive and hands-on aspects of such procedures. This course is designed to give participants a comprehensive review of the latest diagnostic and therapeutic techniques in EUS and ERCP. Participants will hear about new equipment, techniques, and technological advances and receive mentored learning at the side of an expert endoscopist.

Learning Objectives

- Define the components of the ideal EUS FNA/FNB technique
- Integrate a basic skill set with the latest advances in interventional EUS
- Apply standard and advanced techniques in ERCP
- Assess new developments in endoscopic devices including diagnostic and therapeutic EUS equipment, devices, ERCP devices and new access techniques
- Identify and discuss the indications for biliary stenting and advances in techniques and stent technology
- Describe advanced techniques for achieving biliary cannulation
- Describe the use of mechanical lithotripsy in the management of difficult biliary stone disease
- Identify appropriate indications for ERCP in pancreatic disease
- Incorporate into practice safe and effective techniques in advanced ERCP skills, including sphincterotomy, wire exchanges, and placement of plastic and metal stents.
- Describe appropriate technique and decision making in approaching malignant biliary strictures

Agenda

5:45 – 6:00 pm **Registration and Refreshments**

6:00 – 6:05 pm **Welcome and Introduction**

Sammy Ho, MD and Frank G. Gress, MD

6:05 – 6:20 pm **EUS-Guided Drainage Techniques**

Todd H. Baron, MD

6:20 – 6:35 pm **EUS Fine Needle Biopsy**

Satish Nagula, MD

6:35 – 6:50 pm **Intraductal Endoscopy**

Divyesh Sejal, MD

6:50 – 7:05 pm **Managing Biliary Strictures**

Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD

7:05 – 7:30 pm **EUS Case Discussions**

Participants are encouraged to bring challenging cases to present for discussion

All Faculty Panel

7:30 – 9:00 pm **Hands-On Training**

Rotation Through the Following Learning Stations:

Cannulation/Sphincterotomy (*Satish Nagula, MD*)

Cholangiopancreatography (*Divyesh Sejal, MD*)

Pseudocyst Drainage (*Sammy Ho, MD*)

Plastic Biliary Stents (*Sherif Andrawes, MD*)

Metal Biliary Stents (*Jonathan M. Buscaglia, MD*)

EUS Fine Needle Biopsy Techniques (*David H. Robbins, MD, MSc*)

Contrast Enhanced EUS & Elastography (*Frank G. Gress, MD*)

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Option 5

What Am I Looking At? Understanding the Tools-of-the-Trade in Advanced Endoscopic Imaging

Thursday, December 13, 2018 • 5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Course Directors

Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc and Arvind Trindade, MD

Faculty

David L. Carr-Locke, MD; Tonya Kaltenbach, MD, MS; Vivek Kaul, MD; Makoto Nishimura, MD; Michael S. Smith, MD, MBA

Intended Audience

Gastroenterologists and GI Fellows

Course Description

Advances in imaging of the GI tract have the potential to change the paradigm of disease detection, tissue sampling, and resection strategies. "Optical biopsies" may allow for more efficient surveillance exams and help to guide therapy. However, to fully optimize these tools, learning and adopting new modes of pattern recognition and interpretation will be required. This course will review the more widely accepted and utilized modes of advanced imaging throughout the GI tract. Modalities such as NBI, BLI, magnification endoscopy, and other chromoendoscopy for the detection of dysplasia in Barrett's esophagus and gastric neoplasms will be presented. Colon polyp nomenclature such as Paris classification, pit patterns, and other classification systems will be reviewed and updates in imaging of the colon in inflammatory bowel disease will be discussed. Advanced imaging of the pancreaticobiliary system including cholangioscopy and confocal imaging will also be examined.

Learning Objectives

- Assess participant pre-course knowledge of advances in endoscopic imaging
- Discuss the use and image interpretation of NBI, BLI and magnification endoscopy in the detection of dysplasia in Barrett's esophagus
- Explain the use and image interpretation of confocal laser endomicroscopy and VLE in Barrett's esophagus
- Describe the performance of a thorough gastric endoscopic exam utilizing current advanced endoscopic imaging tools
- Recognize current classification systems of colon polyps including Paris classification, Kudo pit patterns, and JNET classification
- Review updates in advanced imaging in inflammatory bowel disease
- Outline advances in pancreaticobiliary imaging such as cholangioscopy and confocal laser endomicroscopy
- Evaluate participants post-course knowledge of advances in endoscopic imaging

Agenda

5:45 – 6:00 pm	Registration and Refreshments
6:00 – 6:20 pm	Introduction and Pre-Test Amrita Sethi, MD, MSc
6:20 – 6:40 pm	Electronic Chromoendoscopy of Barrett's Esophagus and Other Esophageal Neoplasms Michael S. Smith, MD, MBA
6:40 – 7:00 pm	Confocal and VLE Imaging of Barrett's Esophagus Arvind Trindade, MD
7:00 – 7:20 pm	Examining the Stomach: Are We Really Doing a Complete Job? Makoto Nishimura, MD
7:20 – 7:40 pm	Colon Imaging: Patterns, Classifications, and Implications David L. Carr-Locke, MD
7:40 – 8:00 pm	Advanced Imaging in Inflammatory Bowel Disease: What Do We Need to Know? Tonya Kaltenbach, MD, MS
8:00 – 8:20 pm	Advances in Pancreaticobiliary Imaging Vivek Kaul, MD
8:20 – 9:00 pm	Post-Test Review of Post-Test Questions and Answers All Faculty

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New York Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy 42nd Annual New York Course

Annual New York Course Registration

Registration Fees	By November 6	November 7 to December 4	On or After December 5
NYSGE Member Physicians	\$425	\$475	\$575
Non-Member Physicians	\$575	\$625	\$725
Trainees	\$425	\$475	\$575
GI Nurses and Associates	\$425	\$475	\$575

Registration

Registration and payment should be made online through NYSGE's secure website (www.nysge.org). For assistance with login issues, please contact us at info@nysge.org or call 646-218-0650.

Active and Trainee Members

Active and Trainee Members must login to obtain member rates. GI fellows and other trainees who are not yet NYSGE members must apply for Trainee Membership in NYSGE before registering. Please visit the Registration page under the Annual Course tab on the website for further information. Membership is complimentary for trainees, but an application is required.

Non-Member Physicians and GI Nurses and Associates

Non-member physicians and GI nurses and associates should login to their previously created user account. If you have never attended an NYSGE program, you will need to create a user account before registering. Visit the Registration page under the Annual Course tab on the website for further information. If you do not remember your login information, please email info@nysge.org or call 646-218-0650 before creating a new account.

Check Payments

To pay by check, download and complete the manual registration form found on the Registration page under the Annual Course tab on the website and mail with check payment to NYSGE (see instructions below for registering by mail, fax, or email).

To Register by Mail, Fax or Email

Online registration is faster and more secure. However, registration by mail, fax, or email is accepted. Download the applicable registration form and complete and return following the instructions on the form. Payment must be received by the indicated deadlines to qualify for published discounts. Please allow 2 weeks for all mailings to reach us. Registrations received after published deadline dates will not be processed until the correct fee is submitted.

Cancellation Policy

Refund less \$50 processing fee for Annual Course registration and for the Annual New York GI Fellows Endoscopy Course and Options 1, 3, and 4 will be given when requested in writing and submitted no later than December 5, 2018. No refunds will be made after this date. A full refund for Options 2 and 5 will be given when requested in writing and submitted no later than December 5, 2018. No refunds will be made after this date.



Annual New York GI Fellows Endoscopy Course

A new NYSGE program designed for second, third, and fourth year GI fellows.



Wednesday, December 12, 2018
8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Annual New York GI Fellows Endoscopy Course Registration

Registration Fees	By November 6	November 7 to December 4	On or After December 5
Trainees	\$100	\$150	\$200

Optional Satellite Programs

Please register early, as space is limited. However, courses that do not fill may be subject to cancellation. If cancelled, a full refund will be made.

Wednesday, December 12, 2018

Option 1: Advanced Resection and Third Space Endoscopy

5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Option 2: Hot Topics in Hepatology

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Thursday, December 13, 2018

Option 3: Building a Bariatric Endoscopy Practice

5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Option 4: Interventional Endoscopy: ERCP and EUS

5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Option 5: What Am I Looking At? Understanding the Tools-of-the-Trade in Advanced Endoscopic Imaging

5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

Optional Satellite Programs Registration

	By November 6	November 7 to December 4	On or After December 5
Options 1, 3, and 4			
NYSGE Member Physicians	\$250	\$300	\$350
Non-Member Physicians	\$350	\$400	\$450
Trainees	\$100	\$150	\$200
GI Nurses and Associates	\$100	\$150	\$200
Options 2 and 5			
NYSGE Member Physicians	\$50	\$60	\$70
Non-Member Physicians	\$70	\$80	\$90
Trainees	\$50	\$60	\$70
GI Nurses and Associates	\$50	\$60	\$70

Special Needs

Dietary

Kosher, vegan and gluten-free lunch selections are available only by advance request. Indicate your preference during the registration process. Tickets will be distributed and collected for these lunches. Regular vegetarian options are included among the selections for all meals and breaks.

Accommodations

The 42nd Annual New York Course facilities are in full compliance with provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and are accessible for individuals with special needs. If you would like to attend this conference and require any special accommodations, please contact the NYSGE Office by December 1, 2018 at info@nysge.org or call 646-218-0650.

Photography Waiver

From time-to-time, NYSGE takes photographs or video during educational courses and events and reproduces them in educational, informational or promotional materials including print, electronic or other media such as the NYSGE website. By participating in this course, you grant NYSGE the right to use your name and photograph for such purposes and all such postings become the property of NYSGE.

Hotel and Parking

Hotel Information

New York Marriott Marquis Hotel
1535 Broadway, New York, NY 10036

Situated in exciting Times Square, the New York Marriott Marquis Hotel offers easy access to entertainment, cultural venues, numerous restaurants, and world-famous shopping. During the conference, the city will be ablaze with color for the holiday season, offering a wonderful opportunity to combine education with pleasure.

The NYSGE guest room rate is **\$379** plus tax (currently 14.75%) plus \$3.50 occupancy fee per room per night for single/double rooms booked by **Monday, November 19, 2018, based on availability. Rooms are limited and the \$379 room block may sell out before November 19, 2018. At the Cut-Off Date of November 19, 2018, all booked rooms will be charged a non-refundable one night's room and tax to deter last minute cancellations.** There is no charge for rooms canceled prior to the cut-off date. Group rates will not be available after November 19, 2018, but the hotel will do its best to accommodate requests at prevailing rates.

To obtain the group rate, reservations must be made in one of these two ways:

- Visit our website www.nysge.org, Annual Course, Hotel Information to locate the hotel reservation link
- Call 1-877-303-0104 (toll free) or 1-212-398-1900 (local). To receive group rates, be sure to mention our group name: **NYSGE 42nd Annual New York Course**

Parking Information

Parking is not included in the registration fee. Parking is available at the Marriott and in numerous parking garages in the Times Square area. A list of local garages can be found on the NYSGE website (www.nysge.org).

General Information

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