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Greetings from the Organizing Secretary

The 31st World Congress of Endourology in New Orleans is the culmination of four years of work, from the initial bid in Munich, Germany, in 2009. Our theme this year is to “Innovate. Cultivate. Celebrate.” This robust program will showcase the latest innovations in the area of minimally invasive surgery. This is sure to cultivate scientific discussions and the sharing of ideas across the world. WCE 2013 will also provide time to celebrate with friends, feasts and festivities in New Orleans!

Our scientific theme this year will be focused on image-guided surgery, with international keynote speakers who will lecture on state-of-the-art imaging technology to integrate technology with the goal of improving surgical outcomes. From molecular imaging to decrease positive surgical margins, to nanotechnology and urology, the latest advances in technology will be revealed in the Plenary sessions.

Our host city of New Orleans, steeped in history and rich tradition, will offer attendees an exciting array of multicultural social opportunities. Discover the city’s Southern elegance with a Garden District Tour. Explore the renowned National World War II Museum. Take a culinary excursion through the famous French Quarter, or try your own hand at the local cuisine in the Taste of New Orleans Cooking Class, where you’ll learn to make local favorites like Crawfish Etouffee and Shrimp Creole. Our closing ceremony will be held at the legendary Mardi Gras World, where we will bring WCE 2013 to a close with some free-spirited bead tossing, performances by local jazz artists and a buffet that will feature the mouthwatering flavors of New Orleans.

New this year to the WCE is the launch of a smartphone app (iPhone/Android), complete with links to abstracts, Plenary sessions, poster and video rooms, exhibitor contact information, conference center maps and more! Also new is a video audience response session, where video clips will be presented, and then the audience will vote for the video they think will result in the best outcome.

From live surgery; moderated, unedited video teaching sessions; instructional courses in the morning; hands-on private skills workshops; Plenary sessions; and poster and video sessions – we have a packed scientific and social program ready for our international guests.

In closing, I would like to give special thanks to the Endourological Society Executive Board for the opportunity to host and organize logistics of this meeting; the International Scientific Committee and Dr. Raju Thomas for their input and advice; the more than 225 faculty, moderators and speakers; our abstract reviewers; and AUA staff, in particular Meetings Manager Leslie Hettenbach, Industry Relations Manager Mary Ann Adams, and Marketing Manager Dana Hamer, as well as Michele Paoli from the Endourological Society, for their hours upon hours of work.

As Louis Armstrong once said,

“I see skies of blue, and clouds of white.

The bright blessed day, dark sacred night,

And I think to myself ... What a wonderful world.”

Benjamin R. Lee, M.D.

Professor of Urology & Oncology

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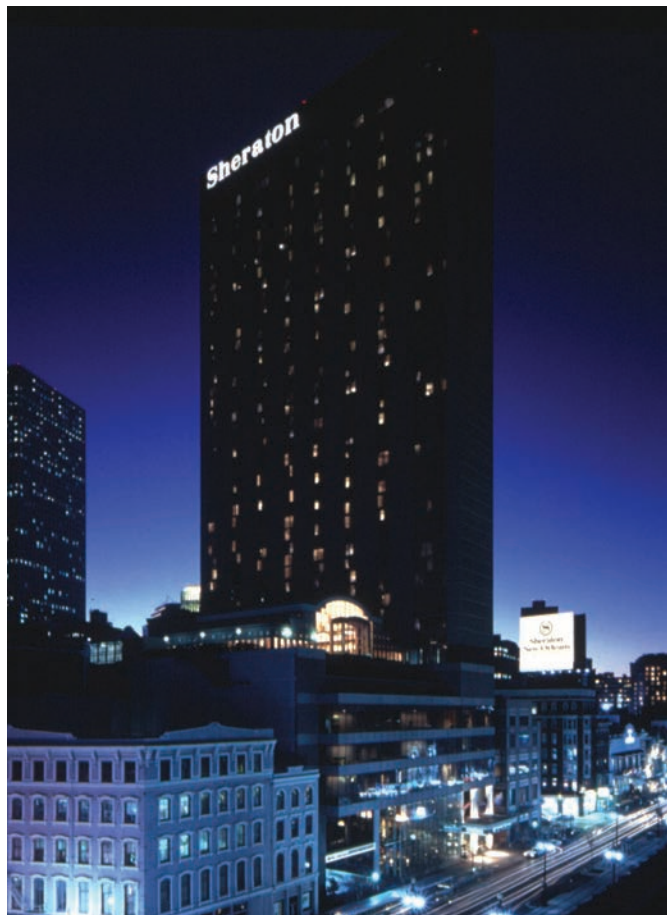
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SCHEDULE BY DAY

Tuesday, October 22

INTERNATIONAL AND SPECIALTY SOCIETY MEETINGS

See page 21 for detailed program information.

Asian Society of Endourology / East Asian Society of Endourology/Chinese Urological Association

11 a.m. – 2 p.m., *Gallery*

Joint meeting of EAU-Section of Urol-Technology (ESUT) Endourology Meeting

11 a.m. – 1 p.m., *Southdown*

Society of Urological Robotic Surgeons

11 a.m. – 3 p.m., *Armstrong Ballroom*

Confederacion Americana de Urologia

11 a.m. – 2 p.m., *Oak Alley*

Italian Endourological Society

2 - 4 p.m., *Gallery*

Indian Endourology Society

2 - 4 p.m., *Oak Alley*

POSTER SESSIONS

1 – 5 p.m.

1 – 3 p.m.

Basic Research Poster–Upper Tract Physiology *Nottoway*

Basic Research Poster–Urolithiasis *Bayside A-C*

3 – 5 p.m.

Basic Research Poster–Lower Tract Physiology *Nottoway*

Basic Research Poster–Laparoscopy/Robotics/LESS *Bayside A-C*



Wednesday, October 23

MORNING EDUCATIONAL COURSES

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 1*

Complications of Robotic Surgery: Prevention and Management

Moderator: Rene Sotelo, M.D.

Panel: Costas Lallas, M.D.; Ravi Munver, M.D.; and Vipul Patel, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 2*

Robotic Prostatectomy: Step-by-Step Technique

Moderator: Jean Joseph, M.D.

Panel: Michael Ferrandino, M.D.; David Lee, M.D.; and Gyan Pareek, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Nottoway*

Surgery for BPH

Moderator: Richard Babayan, M.D.

Panel: Mitchell Humphreys, M.D. and James Lingeman, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Grand Ballroom E*

Percutaneous Surgery: Supine and Prone approaches, Access Technique (Fluoroscopy vs. Ultrasound), Micro-Perc

Moderator: R. John Honey, M.D.

Panel: Norberto Bernardo, M.D.; Seshadrimer Sriprasad, M.D.; and Michael Wong, M.D.

PLENARY I

7:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Grand Ballroom

7:30 - 8 a.m.

Highlights - Basic Research

Moderators: Mahesh Desai, M.D. and Stephen Nakada, M.D.

7:30 - 7:35 a.m.

Basic Research – Upper Tract Physiology

7:35 - 7:40 a.m.

Basic Research – Urolithiasis

Petros Sountoulidis, M.D.

7:40 - 7:45 a.m.

Basic Research – Lower Tract Physiology

Ben Chew, M.D.

7:45 - 7:50 a.m.

Basic Research – Lap/Robotics/LESS

Koon Rha, M.D.

7:50 - 7:55 a.m.

Basic Research – Upper Tract Physiology

Sheng Tai, M.D.

8 - 8:05 a.m.

Greetings from the Secretary of the Local Organizing Committee

Benjamin Lee, M.D.

8:05 - 8:10 a.m.

Greetings from the President of the Local Organizing Committee

Raju Thomas, M.D.

8:15 - 8:20 a.m.

Greetings from the President of the Society

Mahesh Desai, M.D.

8:20 - 8:40 a.m.

Debate: Man vs. Machine in the Era of Partial Nephrectomy

Moderator: Gunter Janetschek, M.D.

Panel: Inderbir Gill, M.D. (Robot) and Louis Kavoussi, M.D. (Laparoscopy)

8:40 - 8:50 a.m.

Cold, Warm, No Ischemia: How Long is Too Long? Renal Functional Outcomes Following Partial Nx

Mihir Desai, M.D.

8:50 - 9:05 a.m.

Evolution of Robotic Renal Surgery: What Have We Learned?

Benjamin Lee, M.D.

9:05 - 9:35 a.m.

Panel Discussion: Difficult Clinical Scenarios in Renal Cell Carcinoma: What Would You Do?

Moderator: Chandru Sundaram, M.D.

Panel: Haluk Akpinar, M.D.; Raymond Leveillee, M.D.; James Porter, M.D.; and Toshiro Terachi, M.D.

9:35 - 9:45 a.m.

Laparoscopic Cyto-reductive Nephrectomy in the Era of Targeted Therapies

Surena Matin, M.D.

9:45 - 10:25 a.m.

Panel Discussion: Nightmares in Laparoscopy & Robotic Kidney

Moderator: Maurice Michel, M.D.

Panel: Jaime Landman, M.D.; Peter Rimington, M.D.; and Patricia Zondervan, M.D.

10:25 - 10:35 a.m.

Trends of International Healthcare: A Urologist's Role

Allen Chiu, M.D.

10:35 - 10:50 a.m.

KEYNOTE IMAGING LECTURE: Optical Biopsy of Urothelial Carcinoma with Confocal Endomicroscopy

Joseph Liao, M.D.

10:50 - 11 a.m.

Debate: Kidney Mass Biopsy or No Biopsy?

Moderator: Adrian Joyce, M.D.

Panel: Gerhard Fuchs, M.D. (No) and J. Wolf, M.D. (Yes)

11 - 11:10 a.m.

Contrast Microscopy & Molecular Imaging to Decrease Positive Surgical Margins

J. Quincy Brown, Ph.D.

11:10 - 11:20 a.m.

History of Laparoscopic Nephrectomy

Ralph Clayman, M.D.

11:20 - 11:30 a.m.

Imaging Guidelines Following Renal Cell Carcinoma

Duke Herrell, M.D.

Wednesday, October 23 Cont'd

VIDEO TECHNIQUE EDUCATIONAL SESSION

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., *Grand Ballroom E*

Ureteroscopy: Flexible & Rigid Tips and Tricks

Moderator: Glenn Preminger, M.D.

Panel: John Dushinski, M.D.; Nicole Miller, M.D.; and Abdulkadir Tepeler, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., *Nottoway*

BPH Technical Hour - Bipolar & Button TURP

Moderator: Jean de la Rosette, M.D.

Panel: Stavros Gravas, M.D. and Steven Kaplan, M.D.

PLENARY IIa

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Rhythms 2

PROSTATE CANCER: OPTIONS AND MANAGEMENT FOR ADVANCED DISEASE

Moderator: Christian Chaussy, M.D.

11:30 – 11:42 a.m.

Salvage Treatment Options: HIFU

Christian Chaussy, M.D.

11:42 – 11:54 a.m.

Salvage Treatment Options: Neoadjuvant Therapy Prior to Prostatectomy

David Lee, M.D.

11:54 a.m. – 12:06 p.m.

Salvage Treatment Options: Salvage Robotic Prostatectomy

Vipul Patel, M.D.

12:06 – 12:18 p.m.

Salvage Treatment Options: Cryo-ablation

Thomas Polascik, M.D.

PLENARY IIb

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Armstrong Ballroom

TRANSITIONAL CELL CARCINOMA AND RECONSTRUCTIVE UROLOGY

Moderator: Thomas Jarrett, M.D.

11:30 – 11:40 a.m.

Percutaneous Resection

Thomas Jarrett, M.D.

11:40 – 11:50 a.m.

Management of the Distal Ureter

Cassio Andreoni, M.D.

11:50 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Nephroureterectomy: Robotic vs. Lap

Blake Hamilton, M.D.

12 – 12:10 p.m.

Ureteroscopic Resection of TCC

Anup Patel, M.D.

12:20 – 12:30 p.m.

Boari Flap

Ashok Hemal, M.D.

PLENARY IIc

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Rhythms 1

FEMALE UROLOGY

Moderator: Gopal Badlani, M.D.

11:30 – 11:40 a.m.

Robotic Sacrocolpopexy

Monish Aron, M.D.

11:40 – 11:50 a.m.

Pubovaginal Sling

12 – 12:10 p.m.

Pelvic Organ Prolapse

Gopal Badlani, M.D.

12:10 – 12:20 p.m.

How Do I Manage a Failed Mid Urethral Sling?

Margie Kahn, M.D.

12:20 – 12:30 p.m.

The Mess of Mesh (Synthetic Mesh)

Wesley White, M.D.

LUNCHTIME SYMPOSIA

12:15 – 1:15 p.m.

Oak Alley & Bayside ABC

LIVE SURGERY

1:30 – 3 p.m.

Grand Ballroom

1 – 1:45 p.m.

Robotic Partial Nephrectomy with Robotic Ultrasound Probe (Hilar mass/T1b mass)

Surgeon: Benjamin R. Lee, M.D., FACS, Tulane Medical Center, New Orleans, LA

1:45 – 3 p.m.

TBD

Wednesday, October 23 Cont'd

VIDEO SESSIONS

2:30 - 6 p.m.

2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Video Session I - Robotics-Upper Tract, *Armstrong Ballroom*

Video Session II - Percutaneous Surgery, *Grand Ballroom E*

Video Session III - Education & Simulators, *Nottoway*

4:30 - 6 p.m.

Video Session IV - BPH, *Armstrong Ballroom*

Video Session V - Robotics-Prostate/Bladder, Lower Tract, *Grand Ballroom E*

Video Session VI - Imaging & New Techniques, *Nottoway*

POSTER SESSIONS

2:30 - 6 p.m.

2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Robotics/Lap-Upper Tract I, *Rhythms 1*

Education & Simulators, *Rhythms 2*

BPH/LUTS I, *Rhythms 3*

PCNL I, *Grand Ballroom D*

Imaging & New Techniques I, *Grand Chenier*

4:30 - 6 p.m.

Robotics/Lap Prostate I, *Rhythms 1*

Imaging & New Techniques II, *Grand Chenier*

ESWL I, *Rhythms 2*

Robotic/Lap Bladder I, *Rhythms 3*

TUR Surgery, *Grand Ballroom D*

Imaging & New Techniques II, *TBD*

INTERNATIONAL AND SPECIALTY SOCIETY MEETINGS

See page 21 for detailed program information.

Image Guided Therapies Working Group

3 - 4:30 p.m., *Bayside A-C*

ISUS: International Symposium on Urological Stents

3 - 4 p.m., *Oak Alley*

GRAND OPENING RECEPTION 6:15 - 7:45 p.m.

Exhibit Hall - Napoleon Ballroom, Free

Network with colleagues and explore the exhibit hall where you'll find the very latest products and technologies in endourology.

DON'T MISS THE ENDOUROLOGICAL SOCIETY PHOTO SHOOT!

All former fellows and mentors of the Endourological Society are invited to join society founders, Arthur Smith, Gopal Badlani and Ralph Clayman, for a group photo. Don't miss it!

WCE 2013 Exhibit Hall

NAPOLEON BALLROOM

Join us for an exciting and innovative experience in the World Congress of Endourology Exhibit Hall! Network with over 40 technical exhibitors and learn about the latest products and developments in endourology by touring through this dynamic exhibit hall.

Industry-sponsored educational programs at the World Congress of Endourology feature innovative science presented by valued thought leaders on the most recent therapies in endourology.

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Come test your skills and see who is best of the best!

We will time your task on the exhibit floor and have the top 20 leaders.

Winner of the skills task each day wins an iPad Mini!

Different challenges presented every day.

Don't miss it!

Exhibit Hall Hours:

Wednesday, October 23: 12 - 7:45 p.m.

Welcome Reception: 6:15 - 7:45 p.m.

Thursday, October 24: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Friday, October 25: 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Thursday, October 24

EDUCATIONAL COURSES

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 1*

Practical Management of Stones: Prophylaxis & Medical Management

Moderator: Glenn Preminger, M.D.

Panel: Sero Andonian, M.D.; Vincent Bird, M.D.; and John Hollingsworth, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 2*

Robotic/Lap Partial Nephrectomy

Moderator: Gunter Janetschek, M.D.

Panel: Mohamad Allaf, M.D. and Howard Winfield, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 3*

Minimally Invasive Prostate Cancer Therapies

Moderator: Peter A. Pinto, M.D.

Panel: Sebastien Crouzet, M.D.; Thomas Polascik, M.D.; and Stephen Scionti, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Grand Ballroom E*

Ablation of Small Renal Mass: Current Status

Moderator: Pilar Laguna Pes, M.D.

Panel: Stephen Strup, M.D.; Gyung Tak Sung, M.D.; and Alon Weizer, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Nottoway*

Advances in Endourologic Imaging

Moderator: Ardeshir Rastinehad, D.O.

Panel: Robert Nadler, M.D.; William Roberts, M.D.; and Osamu Ukimura, M.D.

PLENARY I

7:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Grand Ballroom

7:30 - 8 a.m.

Highlights

Moderators: Anup Patel, M.D. and Raju Thomas, M.D.

7:30 - 7:35 a.m.

Highlights: Robot/Lap Upper Tract

Ravi Munver, M.D.

7:35 - 7:40 a.m.

Highlights: Urolithiasis

Kenneth Pace, M.D.

7:40 - 7:45 a.m.

Highlights: Education & Simulators

Ricardo Duarte, M.D.

7:45 - 7:50 a.m.

Highlights: BPH

Richard Babayan, M.D.

8 - 8:15 a.m.

Biofilms Application to Urology

John Denstedt, M.D.

8:15 - 8:30 a.m.

Robotic Lap Stone Surgery

Raju Thomas, M.D.

8:30 - 8:40 a.m.

Dietary Prevention of Stone Formation?

Dean Assimos, M.D.

8:40 - 9:10 a.m.

Panel Discussion: Complex Clinical Scenarios in Stones

Moderator: Andreas Gross

Panel: Christian Chaussy, M.D.; Jorge Gutierrez-Aceves, M.D.; Evangelos Liatsikos, M.D.; Glenn Preminger, M.D.; and Michael Wong, M.D.

9:10 - 9:30 a.m.

KEYNOTE LECTURE: Nanotechnology and Urology

Theodore DeWeese, M.D., Johns Hopkins Hospital

9:30 - 9:45 a.m.

History of Percutaneous Surgery: How Did We Get Here, Where Are We Going?

Arthur Smith, M.D.

9:45 - 9:55 a.m.

Ipad-Assisted Access During Percutaneous Nephrolithotomy - Early Experimental and Clinical Experience

Jens Rassweiler, M.D.

9:55 - 10:10 a.m.

Impact of Stone Formation & Recovery of Renal Function Following Obstruction

Lee Hamm, M.D.

10:10 - 10:25 a.m.

Quality of Life in Stone Disease

Stephen Nakada, M.D.

10:25 - 10:45 a.m.

Debate: Ureteroscopy Update: Tips and Tricks for Optimizing Stone Free Rates: Does the Dust Clear? vs. Fragmentation and Extraction

Alberto Breda, M.D. (Laser Fragmentation) and Olivier Traxer, M.D. (Dust the Stone)

10:45 - 11:05 a.m.

Video Debate: Stone Migration Devices-Useful Tools or Crutch?

Thomas Knoll, M.D. (Con) and Brian Matlaga, M.D. (Pro)

11:05 - 11:15 a.m.

A Novel Ureteroscope Combining Rigid and Flexible Technology in One Instrument

Yinghao Sun, M.D.

11:15 - 11:25 a.m.

Arthur Smith Award Presentation

Thursday, October 24 Cont'd

VIDEO TECHNIQUE EDUCATIONAL SESSION 11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., *Grand Ballroom E*

Sling, Prolapse, New Devices

Moderator: Gopal Badlani, M.D.

Panel: Monish Aron, M.D.; Alana Murphy, M.D.; and Wesley White, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., *Nottoway*

LESS Nephrectomy

Moderator: Abhay Rane, M.D.

Panel: Ravi Munver, M.D.; Lee Richstone, M.D.; and Oner Sanli, M.D.

PLENARY II 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Grand Ballroom

PROSTATE CANCER VIDEO DEBATE

Video Debate: Techniques in Robotic Prostatectomy: Nerve Sparing, Methods of Continence (Audience Response System)

Moderator: Misop Han, M.D.

Panel: Xavier Cathelineau, M.D.; John Davis, M.D.; Jean Joseph, M.D.; and Gyung Tak Sung,

PLENARY IIb 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Rhythms 1

YOUNG ENDOUROLOGIST'S SESSION

Leadership and the Academic Process: A Guide for the Young Endourologist

Moderators: Ben Chew, M.D. and Brian Matlaga, M.D.

Speaker: Stephen Nakada, M.D.

LUNCHTIME SYMPOSIA 12:15 – 1:15 p.m.

Oak Alley & Bayside ABC

LIVE SURGERY 1 – 3 p.m.

Grand Ballroom

1 – 1:45 p.m.

Robotic Partial Nephrectomy w/Firefly imaging

Surgeon: Arie Shalhav, M.D., University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

1:45 – 3 p.m.

Robot Prostatectomy (High-risk Disease, Ext Pelvic Lymph Nodes or Salvage Prostatectomy)

Surgeon: Greg Zagaya, M.D., University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

VIDEO SESSIONS 2:30 – 6 p.m.

2:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Video Session VII – Laparoscopy - Upper Tract, Armstrong Ballroom

Video Session VIII – Laparoscopy - Prostate/Bladder, Lower Tract, Grand Ballroom E

Video Session IX – Ureteroscopy, Nottoway

4:30 – 6 p.m.

Video Session X – Urolithiasis, Armstrong Ballroom

Video Session XI – Female Urology, Grand Ballroom E

Video Session XII – Adrenal/Testis, Nottoway

POSTER SESSIONS 2:30 – 6 p.m.

2:30 – 4:30 p.m.,

Robotics/Lap-Upper Tract II, Rhythms 1

Ureteroscopy, Rhythms 2

Miscellaneous I, Rhythms 3

Urolithiasis I, Grand Ballroom D

Robotics/Lap - Prostate II, Grand Chenier

4:30 – 6 p.m.

Urolithiasis II, Rhythms 1

Female Urology I, Rhythms 2

Adrenal/Testis, Rhythms 3

ESWL II, Grand Ballroom D

Miscellaneous II, Grand Chenier

AFTERNOON SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS 3 – 4 p.m.

Oak Alley

EDUCATION

Moderator: Elspeth McDougall, M.D.

3 – 3:15 p.m.

Basic Laparoscopic Urology Skills

Timothy Brand, M.D.

3:15 – 3:30 p.m.

Intra-op Assessment of Resident Surgical Skills

Bradley Schwartz, M.D.

3:30 – 3:45 p.m.

How to Start and Expand a Robotic Program at Your Institution

Stephen Pautler, M.D.

3:45 – 4 p.m.

Integration of Interventional Radiology & Urology

Ardeshir Rastinehad, M.D.

Thursday, October 24 Cont'd

AFTERNOON SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

3 - 4 p.m.

Bayside A-C

BLADDER CANCER

Moderator: Erik Castle, M.D.

3 - 3:15 p.m.

Bipolar vs. Laser vs. Endoscopic Snare Resection: Which is Best?

Lee Ponsky, M.D.

3:15 - 3:30 p.m.

Role of the Extended Pelvic Lymph Node Dissection: Diagnostic or Therapeutic?

Monish Aron, M.D.

3:45 - 4 p.m.

Management of BCG Refractory Carcinoma in Situ

Karim Chamie, M.D.

AFTERNOON SCIENTIFIC SESSION

4 - 5:30 p.m.

Oak Alley

4 - 5:30 p.m.

Pediatric Urology

Moderator: Michael Ost, M.D.

Panel: Glenn Cannon, M.D. and Patricio Gargollo, M.D.

Friday, October 25

EDUCATIONAL COURSES

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Rhythms 1

Laparoscopic and Robotic Cystectomy: Tips and Tricks

Moderator: Erik Castle, M.D.

Panel: Ben Challacombe, M.D.; John Pattaras, M.D.; and James Peabody, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Rhythms 2

Laparoscopic and Robotic Prostatectomy: How to Achieve Early Continence

Moderator: Ash Tewari

Panel: Ketan Badani, M.D.; Andrew Fuller, M.D. and Stephen Jackman, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Grand Ballroom E

NOTES & LESS in Urology: What Can We Do Now

Moderator: Abhay Rane, M.D.

Panel: Murali Ankem, M.D.; Matthew Gettman, M.D.; and Lee Richstone, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Nottoway

Robotic Assistant: Help Me Don't Hurt Me

Moderator: Li-Ming Su, M.D.

Panel: Ronald Boris, M.D.; W. Springhart, M.D.; and Andrew Wagner, M.D.

PLENARY I

7:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Grand Ballroom

Moderators: Gopal Badlani, M.D. and Raju Thomas, M.D.

7:30 - 8:05 a.m.

Highlights

Moderator: Fatih Atug, M.D.

7:30 - 7:35 a.m.

Highlights: Robot/Lap Upper Tract

Fatih Atug, M.D.

7:35 - 7:40 a.m.

Highlights: Urolithiasis

Matthew Bultitude, M.D.

7:40 - 7:45 a.m.

Highlights: Education & Simulators

Jason Lee, M.D.

7:45 - 7:50 a.m.

Highlights: BPH

Bannakij Lojanapiwat, M.D.

8 - 8:15 a.m.

Image Fusion of MR & US for Prostate Biopsy

Peter Pinto, M.D.

8:15 - 8:30 a.m.

Debate: Robotic Prostatectomy vs Hormone Therapy + Radiation for High Risk Disease

A. Sartor, M.D. (Hormonal Therapy +/- Radiation) and Arie Shalhav, M.D. (Robotic Prostatectomy)

8:30 - 9 a.m.

Nightmares in Robotics & Lap (Prostate) Intraop & Post Op Complications

Moderator: Ali Kural, M.D.

Panel: Matthew Gettman, M.D.; David Lee, M.D.; Andreas Skolarikos, M.D.; and Rene Sotelo, M.D.

9 - 9:12 a.m.

Outcomes Following Robotic Prostatectomy

Francesco Montorsi, M.D.

9:12 - 9:24 a.m.

How to Improve Early Continence After Radical Prostatectomy

Jean Joseph, M.D.

9:24 - 9:36 a.m.

Rectal Cooling

Thomas Ahlering, M.D.

Friday, October 25 Cont'd

9:36 - 9:48 a.m.

Rocco Stitch

Bernardo Maria Rocco, M.D.

9:48 - 10 a.m.

Post Prostatectomy Management of Erectile Dysfunction: What to Do?

Landon Trost, M.D.

10 - 10:10 a.m.

What Does the Robot of the Future Look Like?

Robert Sweet, M.D.

10:10 - 10:40 a.m.

Entrepreneurial Medicine: Technology Transfer, How to Navigate the FDA, Patent Process, How to get Venture Capital Interested

Moderator: Ralph Clayman, M.D.

Panel: Jeffrey Cadeddu, M.D.; Edward Karp, M.D.; and William Roberts, M.D.

10:40 - 10:55 a.m.

CROES Update

Jean de la Rosette, M.D.

10:55 - 11:10 a.m.

Surgical Simulation: How to Teach our Residents and Fellows

Elspeth McDougall, M.D.

11:10 - 11:20 a.m.

Update on Skills Training & Simulation Centers

Rene Sotelo, M.D.

11:20 - 11:30 a.m.

Invitation to WCE2014

Allen Chiu, M.D.

PLENARY IId

8 - 11 a.m.

Armstrong Ballroom

ALLIED SESSION

Designed for Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, OR Technicians and Nurses

8 - 11 a.m.

Welcome

8:10 - 8:30 a.m.

How to Achieve a Successful Robotics Team-Setup, Troubleshooting, When to Call the Engineer

Nancy Iovino, R.N.

8:30 - 8:40 a.m.

Question & Answer

8:40 - 9 a.m.

Renal Stones - How to Determine Which Option is Best for Treatment

Christopher E. Keel, D.O.

9 - 9:10 a.m.

Question & Answer

9:10 - 9:30 a.m.

Patient Positioning for Safety in Urology Procedures- Avoiding DVTS, Neuromuscular Injuries, Tucking the Arms

Karen Estela, R.N.

9:30 - 9:50 a.m.

Percutaneous Nephrolithotomy - How to Optimize Irrigation, Lithotripters, What Do You Stock in Your Cart?

Philip J. Dorsey Jr., M.D.

9:50 - 10 a.m.

Question & Answer

10 - 10:20 a.m.

Extending the Life of Flexible Cystoscopes and Ureteroscopes

Rudy Gonzalez, R.N.

10:20 - 10:30 a.m.

Question & Answer

10:30 - 10:50 a.m.

Prostate Cancer - What Do You Need to Know

10:50 - 11 a.m.

Question & Answer

PLENARY IIa

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Rhythms A

MANAGEMENT OF SMALL RENAL MASS: FUTURE DIRECTIONS

Moderator: J. Stuart Wolf, M.D.

11:30 - 11:42 a.m.

Office Based U/S Guided Biopsies

Jaime Landman, M.D.

11:42 - 11:54 a.m.

Ablation: RFA/Cryo

Raymond Leveillee, M.D.

11:54 a.m. - 12:06 p.m.

Alternative Ways of Zero Ischemia: Microvessel Dissection vs Bipolar vs Laser

Sam Bhayani, M.D.

12:06 - 12:18 p.m.

TKI Downsizing Prior to Partial Nx

Jihad Kaouk, M.D.

12:18 - 12:30 p.m.

New Hemostatic Agents for Partial Nephrectomy

Andrea Cestari, M.D.

Friday, October 25 Cont'd

PLENARY IIb 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Grand Ballroom

ENGINEERING AND UROLOGY

Moderators: Pilar Laguna Pes, M.D.; Rolf Muschter, M.D.; and Roland van Velthoven, M.D.

11:30 - 11:40 a.m.

Titan Robot (Canada)

David Albala, M.D.

11:40 - 11:50 a.m.

Japanese Robot

Tadashi Matsuda, M.D.

11:50 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Eterne Robot (Korea)

Hyeon Kim, M.D.

12 - 12:10 p.m.

Motorized DOF – Instruments from France

Andreas Blana, M.D.

12:10 - 12:20 p.m.

Dutch Robot

Maurits Barendrecht, M.D.

12:20 - 12:30 p.m.

The Turkish Robot

Jens Rassweiler, M.D. and Remzi Saglam, M.D.

PLENARY IIc 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Rhythms 2

MANAGING YOUR PRACTICE

Moderator: Neil Baum, M.D.

11:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Improving the Efficiency of your Practice

Neil Baum, M.D.

12 - 12:30 p.m.

Coding & Billing for Endourology Laparoscopic, Robotic and Percutaneous Procedures

M. Painter, M.D.

VIDEO TECHNIQUE EDUCATIONAL SESSION 11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Grand Ballroom E

Endoscopic Treatment of Upper Urinary Tract Urothelial Carcinoma

Moderator: Anup Patel, M.D.

Panel: Mantu Gupta, M.D.; Thomas Jarrett, M.D.; and Manoj Monga, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Rhythms 3

Greenlight Laser Vaporization for BPH

Moderator: Andreas Gross, M.D.

Panel: Darren Beiko, M.D.; Seiji Naito, M.D.; and Alexis Te, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Nottoway

Percutaneous Surgery: Supine and Prone approaches, Access Technique (Fluoroscopy vs. Ultrasound), Micro-Perc, CT Guided Access

Moderator: Arthur Smith, M.D.

Panel: Stavros Gravas, M.D.; Francis Keeley, M.D.; and Maurice Michel, M.D.

LUNCHTIME SYMPOSIA 12:15 – 1:15 p.m.

Armstrong Ballroom

LIVE SURGERY 1 – 3 p.m.

Grand Ballroom

1 – 1:45 p.m.

Robotic Cystectomy with Intracorporeal Diversion

Surgeons: Indebir Gill, M.D. and Mihir Desai, M.D.

University of Southern California, Los Angeles University Hospital

1:45 – 3 p.m.

Robotic Sacroculpopexy

Surgeon: Monish Aron, M.D.

University of Southern California, Los Angeles University Hospital

VIDEO SESSIONS 2:30 – 6 p.m.

2:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Video Session XIII – LESS/NOTES, Armstrong Ballroom

Video Session XIV – Robotics/Lap Upper

Tract II, Grand Ballroom E

Video Session XV – Robotics/Lap Lower

Tract II, Armstrong Ballroom

4:30 – 6 p.m.

Video Session XVI, TBD

Video Session XVII – TBD, Grand Ballroom E

Video Session XVIII – Pediatrics, Nottoway

POSTER SESSIONS 2:30 – 6 p.m.

2:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Robotic/Lap-Bladder II, Rhythms 1

PCNL II, Rhythms 2

BPH/LUTS II, Rhythms 3

LESS/NOTES I, Grand Ballroom D

Pediatrics I, Grand Chenier

4:30 – 6 p.m.

Robotic/Lap Upper Tract II, Rhythms 1

LESS/NOTES II, Rhythms 2

Ureteroscopy II, Rhythms 3

Female Urology II, Grand Ballroom D

Pediatrics II, Grand Chenier

Friday, October 25 Cont'd

INTERNATIONAL AND SPECIALTY SOCIETY MEETINGS

See page 21 for detailed program information.

Saturday, October 26

EDUCATIONAL COURSES

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Gallier AB

Geriatrics and the Obese Complex Patient

Moderator: Anup Patel, M.D.

Panel: Ugur Boylu, M.D.; Sutchin Patel, M.D.; and Roger Sur, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Grand Ballroom D

How to Improve Outcomes in ESWL

Moderator: Christian Chaussy, M.D.

Panel: Kenneth Pace, M.D. and Geert Tilly, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Grand Ballroom E

Ureteroscopy: Rigid and Flexible

Moderator: Bodo Knudsen, M.D.

Panel: Petrisor Geavlete, M.D.; Amy Krambeck, M.D.; and Timothy Tseng, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., Grand Chenier

Narrow Band Imaging and Photodynamic Diagnosis of Urothelial Cancer

Moderator: Mantu Gupta, M.D.

Panel: Pilar Laguna Pes, M.D.; Seiji Naito, M.D.; and Olivier Traxer, M.D.

PLENARY I

7:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Grand Ballroom

7:30 - 7:40 a.m.

Society Business Meeting

7:40 - 7:50 a.m.

Status of Society: Treasurer's Report

7:50 - 8 a.m.

Fellowship Review Committee Report

8 - 8:30 a.m.

Highlights

Moderators: Marius Conradie, M.D. and Abhay Rane, M.D.

8 - 8:05 a.m.

Highlights: Robot/Lap Upper Tract

Sara Best, M.D.

8:05 - 8:10 a.m.

Highlights: Urolithiasis

Zeph Okeke, M.D.

8:10 - 8:15 a.m.

Highlights: Education & Simulators

Pradeep Rao, M.D.

NOTES/LESS

3 - 4 p.m., Bayside A-C

Urolithiasis (ROCK Session)

3 - 5 p.m., Oak Alley

8:15 - 8:20 a.m.

Highlights: Robot/Lap Prostate, Bladder

Sheshadri Sriprasad, M.D.

8:30 - 8:40 a.m.

Essay Contest Winners, Basic Science and Clinical

Li-Ming Su, M.D.

8:40 - 8:50 a.m.

Olympus Best Paper Award & Best Video Award

Li-Ming Su, M.D.

9:10 - 9:20 a.m.

3D vs 2D Laparoscopy: Help or Hindrance?

Tadashi Matsuda, M.D.

9:20 - 10 a.m.

Video Debate: Monopolar TURP Should No Longer Be Considered the Gold Standard Surgical Treatment for Symptomatic BPH; Monopolar TUR; Button Vaporization; Bipolar TUR; Thulium; Greenlight; HOLEP

Moderator: Jean de la Rosette, M.D.

Panel: Leslie Deane, M.D. (Button); Andreas Gross, M.D. (Thulium); Alexis Te, M.D. (Greenlight); and Kevin Zorn, M.D. (Bipolar TUR)

10 - 10:10 a.m.

Joe Segura Fellowship Lecture: Drosophila Melanogaster as a Novel, Genetically Based Model of Urinary Stone Disease

Thomas Chi, M.D.

10:10 - 10:20 a.m.

Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy: Update in 2013

Jay Bishoff, M.D.

10:20 - 10:30 a.m.

Stone Treatment in 2030: What Can We Expect?

Marshall Stoller, M.D.

10:30 - 10:45 a.m.

Stone Age to New World: Changing Landscape in Endourology

Mahesh Desai, M.D.

10:45 - 10:55 a.m.

CROES: Renal Mass Update

Pilar Laguna Pes, M.D.

10:55 - 11:05 a.m.

Evolution of NOTES & LESS

Abhay Rane, M.D.

Saturday, October 26 Cont'd

11:05 - 11:20 a.m.

New Detection Method of CIS in Urothelial Cancer- Narrow Band Imaging vs. Photodynamic Diagnosis (PDD)

Seiji Naito, M.D.

11:20 - 11:30 a.m.

Update on Robotic Cystectomy: Intracorporeal Diversion

Peter Wiklund, M.D.

11:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Take Home Messages

Moderator: Anup Patel, M.D.

11:30 - 11:35 a.m.

Take Home Message: Robotic/Lap Upper Tract

Stephen Jackman, M.D.

11:35 - 11:40 a.m.

Take Home Message: Robotic/Lap Lower Tract

Janet Colli, M.D.

11:40 - 11:45 a.m.

Take Home Message: Oncology

Yeh Hong Tan, M.D.

11:45 - 11:50 p.m.

Take Home Message: LESS and Notes

Mohammad Allaf, M.D.

11:50 - 11:55 a.m.

Take Home Message: Education & Simulators

Michael Ferrandino, M.D.

11:55 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Take Home Message: BPH/TUR

Stephan Hruby, M.D.

12 - 12:05 p.m.

Take Home Message: Urolithiasis

Duane Baldwin, M.D.

12:05 - 12:10 p.m.

Take Home Message: Focal Therapy

12:15 - 12:20 p.m.

Take Home Message: Pediatrics

Akihiro Kawauchi, M.D.

12:20 - 12:25 p.m.

Take Home Message: New Technology & Imaging

12:30 - 12:40 p.m.

Introduction of New President: A Voyage Around My Father

David Tolley, M.D.



Pat Garin



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Chris Granger

MORNING EDUCATIONAL COURSES

Wednesday, October 23

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 1*

Complications of Robotic Surgery: Prevention and Management

Moderator: Rene Sotelo, M.D.

Panel: Costas Lallas, M.D.; Ravi Munver, M.D.; and Vipul Patel, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 2*

Robotic Prostatectomy: Step-by-Step Technique

Moderator: Jean Joseph, M.D.

Panel: Michael Ferrandino, M.D.; David Lee, M.D.; and Gyan Pareek, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Nottoway*

Surgery for BPH

Moderator: Richard Babayan, M.D.

Panel: Mitchell Humphreys, M.D. and James Lingeman, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m. *Grand Ballroom E*

Percutaneous Surgery: Supine and Prone approaches, Access Technique (Fluoroscopy vs. Ultrasound), Micro-Perc

Moderator: R. John Honey, M.D.

Panel: Norberto Bernardo, M.D.; Seshadri Sripasad, M.D.; and Michael Wong, M.D.

Thursday, October 24

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 1*

Practical Management of Stones: Prophylaxis & Medical Management

Moderator: Glenn Preminger, M.D.

Panel: Sero Andonian, M.D.; Vincent Bird, M.D.; John Hollingsworth, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 2*

Robotic/ Lap Partial Nephrectomy

Moderator: Gunter Janetschek, M.D.

Panel: Mohamad Allaf, M.D.; and Howard Winfield, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Rhythms 3*

Minimally Invasive Prostate Cancer Therapies

Moderator: Peter A. Pinto, M.D.

Panel: Sebastien Crouzet, M.D.; Thomas Polascik, M.D.; and Stephen Scionti, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Grand Ballroom E*

Ablation of Small Renal Mass: Current Status

Moderator: Pilar Laguna Pes, M.D.

Panel: Stephen Strup, M.D.; Gyung Tak Sung, M.D.; and Alon Weizer, M.D.

6:30 - 7:30 a.m., *Nottoway*

Advances in Endourologic Imaging

Moderator: Ardeshir Rastinehad, M.D.

Panel: Robert Nadler, M.D.; William Roberts, M.D.; and Osamu Ukimura, M.D.

Friday, October 25

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Rhythms 1*

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Moderator: Erik Castle, M.D.

Panel: Ben Challacombe, M.D.; John Pattaras, M.D.; and James Peabody, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Rhythms 2*

Laparoscopic and Robotic Prostatectomy: How to Achieve Early Continence

Moderator: Ash Tewari, M.D.

Panel: Ketan Badani, M.D.; Andrew Fuller, M.D.; and Stephen Jackman, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Grand Ballroom E*

NOTES & LESS in Urology: What Can We Do Now

Moderator: Abhay Rane, M.D.

Panel: Murali Ankem, M.D.; Matthew Gettman, M.D.; and Lee Richstone, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Nottoway*

Robotic Assistant: Help Me, Don't Hurt Me

Moderator: Li-Ming Su, M.D.

Panel: Ronald Boris, M.D.; W. Springhart, M.D.; and Andrew Wagner, M.D.

Saturday, October 26

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Gallier AB*

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Panel: Ugur Boylu, M.D.; Sutchin Patel, M.D.; and Roger Sur, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Grand Ballroom D*

How to Improve Outcomes in ESWL

Moderator: Christian Chaussy, M.D.

Panel: Kenneth Pace, M.D. and Geert Tilly, M.D.

6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Grand Ballroom E*

Ureteroscopy: Rigid & Flexible

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6:30 - 7:45 a.m., *Grand Chenier*

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Moderator: Mantu Gupta, M.D.

Panel: Pilar Laguna Pes, M.D.; Seiji Naito, M.D.; and Olivier Traxer, M.D.

LIVE SURGERIES AND VIDEO EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

LIVE SURGERY PROGRAM

This year's World Congress of Endourology features an extraordinary array of live surgeries, broadcast directly from the operating room. Live Surgeries are held in the Grand Ballroom.

Wednesday, October 23

1:30 – 1:45 p.m.

Robotic Partial Nephrectomy with Robotic Ultrasound Probe (Hilar mass/T1b mass)

Surgeon: Benjamin R. Lee, M.D., FACS, Tulane Medical Center, New Orleans, LA

1:45 – 3 p.m.

TBD

Thursday, October 24

1 – 1:45 p.m.

Robotic Partial Nephrectomy w/Firefly imaging

Surgeon: Arie Shalhav, M.D., University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

1:45 – 3 p.m.

Robot Prostatectomy (High-risk Disease, Ext Pelvic Lymph Nodes or Salvage Prostatectomy)

Surgeon: Greg Zagaya, M.D., University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

Friday, October 25

1 – 1:45 p.m.

Robotic Cystectomy with Intracorporeal Diversion

Surgeon: Indebir Gill, M.D. and Mihir Desai, M.D., University of Southern California, Los Angeles University Hospital

1:45 – 3 p.m.

Robotic Sacrocolpopexy

Surgeon: Monish Aron, M.D., University of Southern California, Los Angeles University Hospital

VIDEO TECHNIQUE EDUCATIONAL SESSION

Wednesday, October 23

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Grand Ballroom E

Ureteroscopy: Flexible & Rigid Tips and Tricks

Moderator: Glenn Preminger, M.D.

Panel: John Dushinski, M.D.; Nicole Miller, M.D.; and Abdulkadir Tepeler, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Nottoway

BPH Technical Hour - Bipolar & Button TURP

Moderator: Jean de la Rosette, M.D.

Panel: Stavros Gravas, M.D. and Steven Kaplan, M.D.

Thursday, October 24

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Grand Ballroom E

Sling, Prolapse, New Devices

Monish Aron, M.D.; Gopal Badlani, M.D.; Alana Murphy, M.D.; and Wesley White, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Nottoway

LESS Nephrectomy

Ravi Munver, M.D.; Abhay Rane, M.D.; Lee Richstone, M.D.; Oner Sanli, M.D.

Friday, October 25

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Grand Ballroom E

Endoscopic Treatment of Upper Urinary Tract Urothelial Carcinoma

Mantu Gupta, M.D.; Thomas Jarrett, M.D.; Manoj Monga, M.D.; and Anup Patel, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Rhythms 3

Greenlight Laser Vaporization for BPH

Moderator: Andreas Gross, M.D.

Panel: Darren Beiko, M.D.; Seiji Naito, M.D.; and Alexis Te, M.D.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., Nottoway

Percutaneous Surgery: Supine and Prone approaches, Access Technique (Fluoroscopy vs. Ultrasound), Micro-Perc, CT Guided Access

Moderator: Arthur Smith, M.D.

Panel: Stavros Gravas, M.D.; Francis Keeley, M.D.; Maurice Michel, M.D.

INTERNATIONAL AND SPECIALTY SOCIETY MEETINGS

Asian Society of Endourology/East Asian Society of Endourology/Chinese Urological Association

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

11 a.m. – 2 p.m., *Gallery*

2013 Conjoint Meeting of EASE & ASE in WCE 2013

Moderator: Mahesh R. Desai, M.D.

11:05 – 11:20 a.m.

Endourological Management of Upper Tract Urothelial Tumors

Seiji Naito, M.D., Ph.D.

11:20 – 11:35 a.m.

Optimal Selection of Urolithiasis Treatment on Daily Practice

Prof. Hyung Keun Park

11:35 – 11:50 a.m.

How to Prevent Complications in Endourological Procedures?

Mahesh R. Desai, M.D.

11:50 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.

Laparoscopic Partial Nephrectomy: State-of-the-Art Lecture

Tomonori Habuchi, M.D.

12:05 – 12:20 p.m.

Robotic-assisted Laparoscopic Partial Nephrectomy: Is It the Way to Go?

Hyeon Hoe Kim, M.D.

12:20 – 12:40 p.m.

Coffee Break

12:40 – 12:55 p.m.

Current Situation of Robotic Surgery In Asia

Zhoujun Shen, M.D.

12:55 – 1:10 p.m.

Robotic-assisted Laparoscopic Radical Prostatectomy:

Evidence-based Review

Koon H. Rha, M.D.

1:10 – 1:25 p.m.

Robotic-assisted Laparoscopic Cystectomy: Where Do We Stand in 2013?

Steven Kuan-hua Huan, M.D.

1:25 – 1:40 p.m.

What You Need to Know about Complications in Robotic-assisted Laparoscopic Procedures?

Gyung Tak Sung

1:40 – 1:55 p.m.

What is the Next in Robotic Surgery?

Allen Wen-Hsiang Chiu, M.D.

1:55 – 2 p.m.

Closing Remarks

Seiji Naito, M.D., Ph.D.

Confederacion Americana de Urologia

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

11 a.m. – 2 p.m., *Oak Alley*

Session 1 Moderator: Jorge Gutierrez-Aceves, M.D.

SWL, How Can We Improve Clinical Results Based on Physical Principals

Achim Loske, M.D.

11:15 – 11:30 a.m.

Ureteroscopy and IRS, News and Suggestions

Alberto Breda, M.D.

11:30 – 11:45 a.m.

PCNL, Hints and Tricks to Access the Kidney

Mantu Gupta, M.D.

11:45 a.m. – 12 p.m.

MET and Adjuvant Therapy after Stone Treatments

Jorge Gutierrez-Aceves, M.D.

Session 2 Moderator: Oscar E. Fugita, M.D.

12 – 12:20 p.m.

Laparoendoscopic Single Site Surgery (LESS): Where are We Going and What is Coming?

Jihad H. Kaouk, M.D.

12:20 – 12:40 p.m.

Robotic Partial Nephrectomy: Indications and Limitations

Rafael Ferreira Coelho, M.D.

12:40 – 1 p.m.

Laparoscopic Nephrectomy: What are the Limits in 2013?

Oscar E. Fugita, M.D.

Session 3 Moderator: Rene J. Sotelo, M.D.

1 – 1:20 p.m.

Robotic Radical Prostatectomy: How Many Ways to Skin a Cat?

Rene J. Sotelo, M.D.

1:20 – 1:40 p.m.

How to Improve Continence after Robotic Radical Prostatectomy

Rafael Sanchez-Salas

1:40 – 2 p.m.

Robotic Radical Cystectomy, What We Have Learned, Trick and Pearls

Mihir M. Desai, M.D.

EAU-Section of Urol-Technology (ESUT) Endourology Joint Meeting

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Southdown

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES IN ENDOUROLOGY

Moderators: Yasar Ibrahim Ozgok, M.D.; Andreas Skolarikos, M.D.; and Jens Rassweiler, M.D.

11 – 11:20 a.m.

How to Survive Without a Robot - Is There Still a Place for Laparoscopy

Gunter Janetschek, M.D.; Francesco Porpiglia, M.D.; and Ali R. Kural, M.D.

11:20 – 11:40 a.m.

Scarless Renal Surgery: Which Way to Go?

Abhay Rane, M.D.; Evangelos N. Liatsikos, M.D.; and Ali S. Goetzen, M.D.

11:40 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Arterial Clamping in Laparoscopic/Robotic Partial Nephrectomy: What is Necessary

Jens Rassweiler, M.D. and Lütfi Tunc, M.D.

12 – 12:20 p.m.

Focal Therapy in Prostate Cancer: A Nice Procedure Looking for an Indication

Fatih Atug, M.D.; Ulrich Witzsch, M.D.; and Pilar M. Laguna Pes, M.D.

12:20 – 12:40 p.m.

Do We Need Specific Workup for Our Stone Patients

Andreas Skolarikos, M.D.; Alberto Breda; and Thomas Knoll, M.D., Ph.D.

12:40 – 1 p.m.

Do We Need Live Surgery at Our Meeting?

Jean de la Rosette, M.D.; Roland F.P. van Velthoven, M.D., Ph.D.; and Arthur D. Smith, M.D.

Image-Guided Therapies Workgroup

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

3 – 4:30 p.m., Bayside A-C

Moderator: James Borin, M.D.

3 – 3:15 p.m.

Image Guided Therapies

James F. Borin, M.D.

3:06 – 3:18 p.m.

Histotripsy

William Woodruff Roberts III, M.D.

3:18 – 3:30 p.m.

New Imaging Techniques for Stone

Michael E. Lipkin, M.D.

3:30 – 3:42 p.m.

Image Guided Surgery

Osamu Ukimura, M.D.

3:42 – 3:54 p.m.

American Institute of Ultrasound Medicine (AIUM) Guidelines for Accreditation of a Practice in Ultrasound

Frederick A. Gulmi, M.D.

3:54 – 4:06 p.m.

Endoscopic Navigation

Doğu Teber, M.D.

4:06 – 4:18 p.m.

Low Dose CT Protocol for Nephrolithiasis

Ojas Shah, M.D.

4:18 – 4:30 p.m.

Robotic Partial Nephrectomy: Utilizing a Virtual Surgical Platform for Preoperative Planning and Preoperative Resection Based on 3D Modeling for Challenging Renal Masses

Reza Ghavamian, M.D.

ISUS: International Symposium on Urological Stents

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

Oak Alley

Moderator: Ravi Kulkarni, M.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

Bio-Films and Stent Encrustation – The Background

Phil James

3:10 – 3:20 p.m.

Basics of Stent Materials and Encrustation

Ben Chew, M.D.

3:20 – 3:30 p.m.

Trans-Urothelial Drug Delivery

Hrishi Joshi

3:30 – 3:40 p.m.

Stent Migration: What Can We Do?

Ravindra Bhalchandra Sabnis, M.D.

3:40 – 3:50 p.m.

New Concepts on Drug Eluting Stents

Ioannis Georgiopoulos

3:50 – 4 p.m.

Tandem Stents

Sammy E. Elsamra, M.D.

Italian Endourological Society

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

2 – 4 p.m., Gallery

FLASH FROM IEA

Moderators: Arcangelo Pagliarulo, M.D., and Marco De Sio, M.D.

2 – 2:10 p.m.

Surgery is On-Air: Role of Live-Surgery During Meetings Between Educational Role and Introduction of New Techniques

Roberto Mario Scarpa, M.D. and Thomas W. Jarrett, M.D.

2:10 – 2:20 p.m.

International Engagement: IEA Dates EULIS

Alberto Trinchieri and Christian G. Chaussy, M.D.

2:20 – 2:30 p.m.

Role of Active Surveillance in Small Renal Tumors

Alessandro Volpe, M.D. and Timothy David Averch, M.D.

2:30 – 2:40 p.m.

Italian Endourologist in USA

Guido Giusti, M.D.

2:40 – 3:30 p.m.

Flash from the Clinic

Lorenzo Defidio, M.D.; Anup Patel, M.D.; and Michele Gallucci, M.D.

2:40 – 2:50 p.m.

Advantages and Disadvantages of Different Positions in PCNL

Cesare Scoffone; Roberto Miano, M.D.; and Pedro F. Daels

2:50 – 3 p.m.

Micor-Perc + Miniperc vs. RIRS

Giampaolo Bianchi, M.D.; Alberto Saita, M.D.; and Zeph Okeke, M.D.

3 – 3:10 p.m.

Less/NOTES: Just an Aesthetic Benefit?

Salvatore Micali, M.D.; Luigi Schips; and Lee Richstone, M.D.

3:10 – 3:20 p.m.

Microlaparoscopy

Francesco Porpiglia, M.D. and Jeffrey A. Cadeddu, M.D.

3:20 – 3:30 p.m.

Role of Robotics Today

Bernardo M. Rocco, M.D. and Peter A. Pinto, M.D.

3:30 – 3:50 p.m.

Resident Space

Louis R. Kavoussi, M.D. and Pierluigi Bove

3:30 – 3:40 p.m.

Sharing Knowledge with the Rest of the World and Describing Strengths, Weaknesses, Future Solutions of Training Issues

Jean de la Rosette, M.D.

3:40 – 3:50 p.m.

Let's Talk Show: Endourological and Laparoscopic Cases

Ahmed Ghaith, M.D. and Jens Rassweiler, M.D.

3:50 – 4 p.m.

Conclusion

Mario Falsaperla

NOTES/LESS Workgroup

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

3 – 4 p.m., Bayside A-C

Moderator: Abhay Rane, M.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

Access

Ithaa H. Derweesh, M.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

Instrumentation: Lap & Robotic

Richard E. Link, M.D., Ph.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

Pyeloplasty

Sara L. Best, M.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

Prostatectomy

Mitchell R. Humphreys, M.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

Partial Nephrectomy

Lee Richstone, M.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

Donor Nephrectomy

Joseph J. Del Pizzo, M.D.

3 – 4 p.m.

A Look into the Future

Jeffrey A. Cadeddu, M.D.

Society of Urological Robotic Surgeons

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

11 a.m. – 3 p.m., *Armstrong*

Moderator: President Chandru P. Sundaram, M.D.

11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Introduction

Chandru P. Sundaram, M.D.

11:05 – 11:10 a.m.

Welcome

Raju Thomas, M.D.

11:10 – 11:55 a.m.

General Robotic Surgery:

John W. Davis, M.D.

11:10 – 11:25 a.m.

Patient Safety and Legal Issues with Robotic Surgery

Michael D. Stifelman, M.D.

11:25 – 11:40 a.m.

Fundamentals of Robotic Surgery: An Update

James F. Borin, M.D.

11:40 a.m. – 11:55 p.m.

Discussion and Questions

12 – 1 p.m.

Panel Discussion: Management and Prevention of Complications in Robotic Surgery

Raju Thomas, M.D.; Li-Ming Su, M.D.; Jay T. Bishoff, M.D.; Senthil Nathan, M.D.; and Alvin Chun Chin Goh, M.D.

1 – 1:55 p.m.

PROCEDURES PART I: ROBOTIC PROSTATECTOMY: OPTIMIZING OUTCOMES

Jean V. Joseph, M.D.

1 – 1:15 p.m.

Technical Steps to Decrease Positive Margins

Koon H. Rha, M.D.

1:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Improving Continence

Jens Rassweiler, M.D.

1:30 – 1:45 p.m.

Tandem Robot to Optimize Preservation of Neurovascular Bundles: Ready for Prime Time?

Misop Han, M.D.

1:45 – 1:55 p.m.

Discussion and Questions

1:55 – 2:50 p.m.

PROCEDURES PART II: ADVANCED ROBOTICS

Erik P. Castle, M.D.

1:55 – 2:10 p.m.

Minimizing Ischemia During Robotic Partial Nephrectomy: A Step by Step Approach

Benjamin R. Lee, M.D.

2:10 – 2:20 p.m.

New Instrumentation for Robotics: Integrated Fluorescence Imaging, Articulating Ligasure Bipolar, Single Port Platform

Raj S. Pruthi, M.D.

2:20 – 2:35 p.m.

Open vs Robotic Cystectomy: Update in 2013

Dipen J. Parekh, M.D.

2:35 – 2:50 p.m.

Robotic Pyeloplasty: Reconstructive Tips

Ben Challacombe, M.D.

2:50 – 3:10 p.m.

Business Meeting

Chandru P. Sundaram, M.D.

Urolithiasis (ROCK Session)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

3 – 5 p.m., *Oak Alley*

WHAT'S HOT AND WHAT'S NOT

Moderators: Dean G. Assimos, M.D. and James E. Lingeman, M.D.

3:15 – 3:30 p.m.

Stone in Continent Diversion

Stephen V. Jackman, M.D.

3:30 – 3:45 p.m.

ESWL: What's New Under the Sun?

James E. Lingeman, M.D.

3:45 – 4 p.m.

Stones During Pregnancy

Hassan Razvi, M.D.

4 – 4:15 p.m.

Guidelines for Stone Imaging

Patrick S. Lowry, M.D.

4:15 – 4:30 p.m.

Medical Therapy Dietary Modifications

Kristina L. Penniston, Ph.D.

4:30 – 4:45 p.m.

Patients on Coumadin, Anticoagulation

Robert Marcovich, M.D.

4:45 – 5 p.m.

Does Bariatric Surgery Increase Risk of Stones: Fact or Fiction

Andrea Tasca, M.D.

QUICK GUIDE TO NEW ORLEANS

HIGHLIGHTS:

The French Quarter – Indulge in world-famous beignets at Café Du Monde, take a leisurely stroll and enjoy the galleries and antiques along Royal Street, see the Creole cottages, cast iron fences and breathtaking balconies, sit back and take in the sights on a carriage ride, or tour historic homes – all just steps from The Sheraton New Orleans Hotel!

Magazine Street is one of the oldest and most diverse shopping districts in New Orleans. Six miles of distinctive antiques, home furnishings, gifts, jewelry and clothing shops along with galleries, art studios and restaurants are housed within buildings that line this beautiful street beginning in Downtown and ending Uptown at the Audubon Zoo.

The New Orleans Arts District is known as the SoHo of the South. The Arts District is a bustling and vibrant community of galleries, shops, entertainment venues, museums, and restaurants. It is comprised of the area from the Convention Center near Julia Street stretching across to Magazine Street.

Blain Kern's Mardi Gras World – Come and see where Mardi Gras is made! See artists and sculptors working on the world's largest fleet of floats. Sensational sculptured props and breathtaking giant figures are on display all year-round.

Louisiana State Museum – New Orleans' most prominent heritage attraction is the Louisiana State Museum, a complex of national landmarks housing thousands of artifacts and works of art reflecting Louisiana's legacy of historic events and cultural diversity. The Museum operates five properties in the famous French Quarter – the Cabildo, Presbytere, 1850 House, Old U.S. Mint, and Madame John's Legacy.

The Presbytere – A Louisiana State Museum, The Presbytere explores five major themes of Mardi Gras: History, Masking, Parades, Balls, and Courir du Mardi Gras. The exhibit includes a history of Mardi Gras from its ancient origins to the present-day festival that attracts millions, behind the scenes functions from police protection, sanitations to Carnival industry suppliers including formal wear, bead manufacturers and bakeries.

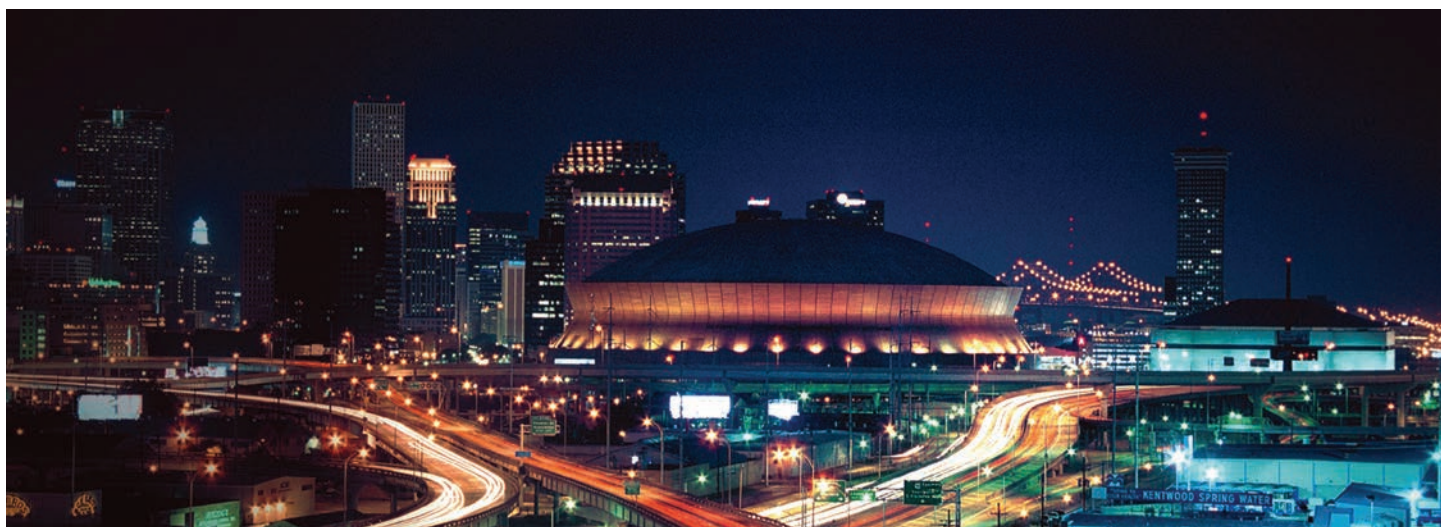
The National World War II Museum – Designed by Congress as "America's official World War II Museum", the museum features four state-of-the-art interactive exhibits featuring oral histories from veterans worldwide, artifacts, documents, photographs and never-before-seen film footage.

Sports – New Orleans is home to several professional sports teams, including the New Orleans Hornets NBA basketball team and the New Orleans Saints NFL football team.

Exploring the Outdoors – New Orleans offers one of the top-five aquariums in the country featuring the largest collection of sharks and jellyfish. The city also offers one of the top-five zoos in the country with more than 2,000 animals in their natural habitats. Just a short distance from the city, local waterways and the Gulf of Mexico offer a wide variety of fresh water and salt water fishing, and swamp tours are available to take a ride through the bayou.

WEATHER:

New Orleans features a subtropical climate with pleasant year-round temperatures. Rainfall is common, with a monthly average of about five inches of precipitation, though just 2.7 inches in October. The average high temperature in October is 79° F. The average low temperature is 59° F.



SOCIAL PROGRAM

GRAND OPENING RECEPTION

Wednesday, October 23
Exhibit Hall – Napoleon Ballroom
6:15 – 7:45 p.m.
Free

Network with colleagues and explore the exhibit hall where you'll find the very latest products and technologies in endourology.

TOURS

Purchase tickets with Registration or on site.

The World Congress of Endourology has organized an exciting tour schedule that showcases our extraordinary host city. Each tour group will meet in the lobby of the Sheraton New Orleans prior to departure. Guests are encouraged to pre-register for tours when they register for the World Congress as spots can fill up quickly. On-site tour registration will take place at the hotel. Tours will be reserved on a first-come, first served basis. Please note that if minimum numbers are not met, tours will be cancelled.

TASTE OF NEW ORLEANS COOKING CLASS

Date: Wednesday, October 23, 2013
Thursday, October 24, 2013
9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Cost: \$49 per session



Includes transportation, driver gratuities, all applicable taxes and lunch/class with Cooking School Instructor

The popularity of Cajun and Creole cooking is sweeping across the United States and after this exciting class guests will be able to join this culinary bandwagon! You'll laugh and learn while watching the preparation of some of the wonderful foods of Louisiana. A highly skilled and entertaining chef will share the secrets of preparing and seasoning flavorful local favorites, Chicken Andouille Gumbo, Spicy Jambalaya, delicious Bread Pudding and Pecan Pralines. Not only will you learn the secrets of New Orleans cooking, but you will also partake of generous portions during a taste-tempting lunch following the class.

Wednesday Entree: Crawfish Etoufee

Thursday Entree: Shrimp Creole

THE NATIONAL WWII MUSEUM

Date: Wednesday, October 23, 2013
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Cost: \$55



Includes transportation, guide and driver gratuities, all applicable taxes and entrance admission to the Museum and Solomon Victory Theater

The Museum opened on June 6, 2000, and is the only museum in the United States that addresses all of the amphibious invasions or "D-Days" of

World War II, honoring the more than 16 million Americans who took part in this global conflict.

The National World War II Museum opened its doors on the 56th anniversary of the Normandy invasion that liberated Europe. It is located in New Orleans, Louisiana because it was here that Andrew Higgins built the landing craft used in the amphibious invasions, the landing craft which President Eisenhower believed won the war for the Allies. The Museum stands as our country's tribute to the men and women who made the invasions in Europe, Africa and the Pacific theaters successful.

Solomon Victory Theater

The National World War II Museum's new 250-seat Solomon Victory Theater is unlike any other venue, showcasing an experience unlike anything else on the planet. The theater's 120-foot wide immersive screen will show *Beyond All Boundaries*, a 4-D cinematic experience hourly.

GARDEN DISTRICT TOUR SOUTHERN ELEGANCE ALONG THE AVENUE

Date: Thursday, October 24, 2013
Time: 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Cost: \$35



The Garden District is gracious and stately—an elegantly adorned window to a bygone era. Developed mainly between 1840 and 1900, it comprises one of the best-preserved collections of historic mansions in the South—if not the entire country. The Garden District is a brilliant

tapestry of architectural styles and period designs.

The spacious home sites and rich, garden-ready soil immediately began attracting wealthy New Orleanians - particularly the many well-heeled Americans that had flooded the city after the Louisiana Purchase in 1803. Disdained by the old French Creole gentry in the French Quarter, these new arrivals thumbed their noses at the Creoles by constructing sumptuous mansions and the Garden District was born.

Your tour will include a stop at a private home on St. Charles Avenue. This charming Garden District home dates back to the late 1800s. Right on the streetcar line, this private residence is replete with English and French antiques. The home's owner will be on hand to greet guests and

share with them her passion for art, as her home is a treasure trove of Louisiana artists. Refreshments of wine and cheese straws will be served. The tour will conclude as you are driven back to your hotel via St. Charles Avenue.

NEW ORLEANS CULINARY HERITAGE TOUR

Date: Thursday, October 24, 2013
Time: 1 – 4 p.m.
Cost: \$40 (walking tour), \$55 (shuttle tour)



Includes professional tour guide, guide and driver gratuities (shuttle tour only), all applicable taxes, and samplings at Antoine's (sampling of souffléed potatoes) and Creole Delicacies (sampling of pralines, red beans and rice, and roux demonstration).

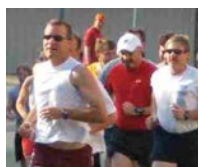
The French Quarter is home to some of the most famous restaurants in New Orleans. The culinary experience of New Orleans cannot be duplicated anywhere in the country. On this tour, you will discover the differences between Creole and Cajun cuisine while learning about New Orleans' rich culinary heritage. The tour will take you through the French Quarter as you learn about New Orleans' historic restaurants and watering holes. Your tour guide will point out culinary landmarks such as Brennan's, Galatoire's, Napoleon House, and the Old Absinthe House.

You will hear about traditional cooking techniques and find out why food and drink is so celebrated in Louisiana and New Orleans. You will tour the interior of Antoine's, the oldest family-run restaurant in the United States, and try their famous souffléed potatoes. Your tour will conclude with a trip to Creole Delicacies, where their chef will offer tastings of pralines and red beans and rice, in addition to a demonstration on how to prepare the perfect roux.

NOTE: Each site is ADA accessible but the sidewalks in the French Quarter can be uneven and troublesome. They rarely feature ramps in lieu of curbs which may cause problems for individuals in wheelchairs.

WCE FUN RUN

Date: Friday, October 25, 2013
Time: 6:30 – 8 a.m.
Cost: \$30



WTC-Riverfront 5K Route and Setup:

The race will begin at the side of the World Trade Center Building located at the intersection of Canal Street and Convention Center Blvd. (Across from Harrah's Casino).

The course is a 5K out and back "double loop" through Woldenberg Park along the riverfront to the turnaround point in the moonwalk jogging pathway just before the pathway ends near the Governor Nicholls Street wharf.

NEW ORLEANS COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

St. Bernard Project

Date: Friday, October 25, 2013
Time: 8 a.m. – Noon
Cost: \$75



St. Bernard Project (SBP) is a non-profit rebuilding organization dedicated to rebuilding the homes and lives of families struggling to recover from natural, economic, and man-made disasters. The programs

in the Greater New Orleans area are designed to address the physical, emotional, and psychological devastation caused by disasters. SBP was founded in 2006 by Liz McCartney and Zack Rosenberg, a teacher and lawyer, respectively, from Washington, D.C., after they saw the tremendous needs, yet solvable problems, in the New Orleans region. A work site is typically a home that was flooded and gutted, and, because it's structurally sound, can be rebuilt. You will work under the supervision of an intensively-trained AmeriCorps site supervisor who will train and supervise you. The volunteer coordinators will put the optimal number of volunteers at each site for maximum work efficiency and safety. This could be as few as five and as many as 15 volunteers at a site. This means that your group may be split up! Fee includes round-trip shuttle transportation, \$20 donation per person, snacks and beverages.

NOTTOWAY PLANTATION TOUR

Date: Friday, October 25, 2013
Time: Noon – 5 p.m.
Cost: \$80



The World Congress of Endourology guests will be greeted by a NOCCI guide for a short 60-minute drive to Nottoway Plantation.

Built to accommodate its builder's eleven children, the Italianate and Greek Revival mansion is the largest plantation home in the

South. This "American castle" was begun in 1849 by one of New Orleans' most successful architects, and upon its completion, boasted sixty-four rooms with over 54,000 square feet of elegance, supported by twenty-two massive cypress columns. And for all of its size, its restorers did not skimp on the detail. Intricate lacy friezework, hand-painted Dresden doorknobs, and hand-carved marble mantles are today as they were when plantation life was at its height.

Following a tour of the mansion and gardens, the World Congress of Endourology guests will relax and enjoy High Tea. There will be a selection of teas. After tea, guests will be free to visit the Nottoway Gift Shop which offers a wide selection of unique souvenirs, novelty items, handmade collectibles, original works of art and prints, as well as cookbooks, candles, photographs and fascinating books on the architecture, history and culture of South Louisiana and New Orleans.

NOTE: This home is an historic building and cannot provide complete access in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.