

2018 Annual Meeting

August 5-7, 2018 | Mackinac Island, MI
Grand Hotel



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Dear Members and Guests:

This year marks Midwest Surgical Association's 61st Annual Meeting, and 24th visit to the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island in Michigan on August 5-7, 2018. The Grand Hotel, family owned for three generations, is rich in history, abundant in tradition and family fun, and the most loved venue for our annual meeting.

True to tradition, the meeting will kick off on Sunday evening with the New Member and Welcome Reception. Following dinner, the "Spectacular Problems in Surgery" session will spotlight 8 challenging cases. The Monday and Tuesday Scientific Programs will feature 28 exceptional papers from our members, including the Surgeon in Training paper competition, a prize for the Best New Member presentation, and 25 Posters. These have been carefully selected by the Program Committee under the expert direction of Dr. Theodor Asgeirsson. We anticipate that all presented papers will be published in the American Journal of Surgery.

We look forward to the Woods and Harridge lectures, and I am honored to give the Presidential Address "Celebrating 60 years of the MSA: Reflections on Fellowship, Football and Famiglia."

Also serving as Local Arrangements Chair, I'm happy to include we have arranged an exciting social program featuring the beloved 5K Run on Monday morning, golf and tennis on Monday afternoon, and the Nonie Lowry Dinner Dance on Monday evening. On Tuesday evening, we will gather for a reception at Fort Mackinac. In addition, special events have been organized for spouses, and as usual the hotel offers a variety of activities for children, as well as a spectacular pool. The island remains an exciting, but tranquil, place to explore.

New MSA members are invited Sunday evening for a special reception, and official membership certificates will be presented at the Annual Banquet on Monday evening. I encourage all existing members to extend an invitation to fellow surgical colleagues, new surgeons in practice, surgery residents, and medical students. It is only by expanding our current membership that we can continue to grow as an organization, and, in addition, bring all of the extraordinary benefits of the Midwest Surgical Association to our colleagues.

Sincerely,

William C. Cirocco, MD
President, MSA



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SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

AUGUST 5, 2018

12Noon – 6:00pm **MSA Registration Open**, Garden Terrace
2:00pm – 4:00pm **MSA Executive Council Meeting**,
Frank J. Kelley Conference Room
5:30pm – 6:00pm **New Member Reception**, West Front Porch
6:00pm – 7:00pm **Welcome Reception**, West Front Porch
8:00pm – 10:00pm **Children's Movie Presentation**,
Headquarters of the Capitol Club
9:00pm – 11:00pm **Spectacular Problems in Surgery**, Theatre
11:00pm **President's Nightcap**, Theatre

AUGUST 6, 2018

7:00am – 8:00am **Annual 5k Fun Run**, Tennis Courts
7:00am – 1:00pm **MSA Registration Open**, Theatre Foyer
7:30am – 7:50am **Poster Viewing**, Theatre
7:55am – 8:00am **Welcome & Introductions**, Theatre
8:00am – 9:15am **Scientific Session I**, Theatre
9:15am – 9:45am **Scott Woods Memorial Lecture**, Theatre
9:45am – 10:00am **Break, Poster & Exhibit Viewing**,
Theatre Foyer and Gerald Ford Conference Room
10:00am – 10:15am **ACS Update**, Theatre
10:15am – 12:30pm **Scientific Session II**, Theatre
10:00am – 11:00am **MSA Spouse Program: Grand Hotel**
Cooking Demonstration, Cottage Restaurant
12:30pm – 1:00pm **William H. Harridge Memorial Lecture**,
Theatre
1:30pm **MSA Golf & Tennis Tournaments**
6:00pm – 7:00pm **Cocktail Reception**, West Front Porch
6:45pm **Past Presidents Photo**, West Front Porch Steps
7:00pm – 10:30pm **MSA Nonie Lowry Dinner Dance**, Theatre

AUGUST 7, 2018

7:00am – 1:00pm **MSA Registration Open**, Theatre Foyer
8:00am – 1:30pm **Exhibitor & Poster Displays Open**,
Theatre Foyer and Gerald Ford Conference Room
8:05am – 8:15am **Morning Announcements**, Theatre
8:15am – 10:15am **Scientific Session III**, Theatre
10:00am – 12Noon **Spouse Program: Walking Tour presented**
by the Michigan State Historic Parks,
Front Porch – West End
10:15am – 10:30am **Break, Posters & Exhibit Viewing**,
Theatre Foyer and Gerald Ford Conference Room
10:30am – 12:15pm **Scientific Session IV**, Theatre
12:15pm – 1:00pm **MSA Presidential Address**, Theatre
1:00pm – 1:30pm **MSA Annual Business Meeting**, Theatre
2:00pm – 3:00pm **Optional Stable Tour**
5:00pm – 6:45pm **Dinner Seating (on own)**, Grand Pavilion
6:45pm **Coaches to Fort Mackinac**
7:00pm – 10:00pm **Fort Mackinac Reception**
10:00pm **Coaches Return to the Grand Hotel**

AUGUST 8, 2018

9:30am – 11:30am **Governor's Mansion Tours - Open to Public**
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CME CREDIT

Continuing medical education credits will be provided for this activity.



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HOTEL INFORMATION

The Midwest Surgical Association's 61st Annual Meeting will be held August 5-8, 2018 at The Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, MI. Family owned for three generations the Grand Hotel is a National Historic Landmark and a classic American summer destination for over 125 years. Perhaps the most noticeable first impression of Mackinac Island is the absence of automobiles. Mackinac Island is accessible only by boat or plane. Visitors and residents travel by foot, bicycle or horse-drawn carriage. This fine hotel has been central to the MSA meeting tradition for many years and the annual event draws surgeons and their families for both cutting edge academic programs and the traditional family programs.

Reservations Department Grand Hotel

PO Box 286

Mackinac Island, Michigan 49757

Telephone: (906) 847-3331

Fax: (906) 847-0945

email: groupforms@grandhotel.com

You may choose one of the following MSA negotiated rates:
(Daily, per person based on double occupancy)

CATEGORY I

Smaller, interior-view rooms, \$249 per person

CATEGORY II

Larger, interior-view and smaller, lake-view rooms,
\$309 per person

CATEGORY III

Special, deluxe lake-view guest rooms, some with balcony
\$399 per person

Single occupant daily rates are \$423, \$543, \$723 in category order.

MODIFIED AMERICAN PLAN

The Grand Hotel operates on the Modified American Plan. This means that your daily rate includes breakfast and dinner. In addition to the Grand Luncheon Buffet, other facilities are available at the Grand Hotel for lunch.

TIPPING POLICY

Tipping to any employee within the Grand Hotel is not required or permitted. Tips however, are gratefully accepted at offsite restaurants on the island. There is a onetime charge of \$8.50 per person for transfer of luggage from the dock to the Hotel and return.

DEPOSIT POLICY

A deposit of either one night's stay or the full stays room charge must accompany the housing reservation form in order to hold your room.



**Please use the enclosed
HOTEL RESERVATION FORM**

Return via mail, fax or email.

**Reservations should be made by Friday,
July 6 to receive the group rates.**



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TRANSPORTATION

For those driving from around the Midwest, the ferry docks are located in Mackinaw City, MI. There are also commuter flights available into Pellston, Michigan, which is primarily serviced by Delta Airlines. Ground transportation is available from the Pellston Airport to the ferry docks in Mackinaw City by Mackinaw Shuttle.

Mackinaw Shuttle

Reservation by phone: 231-539-7005

Reservation by email: reservations@mackinawshuttle.com

Discount Code: Midwestern Surgical Association

Group Rate: \$45 for adults, children ages 6-10 half price, children 5 and under free

website: <http://mackinawshuttle.com/>

Mackinaw Shuttle has provided MSA with discounted ground transportation from Pellston airport to the Ferry lines. If you would like to use them for transportation to the ferry, it is recommended to make a reservation **in advance** of your arrival to Pellston airport. Mackinaw Shuttles has a booth located at the Pellston airport to the left of the luggage carousel when arriving at the airport. They will tag your luggage for Grand Hotel at the airport so it can go to your room directly from the shuttle and ferry.

Ferry Service to Mackinac Island is provided by several ferryboat lines, The Grand Hotel recommends Shepler's Ferry. Boats operate from early morning until early evening, with frequent crossings throughout the day. Schedules are available online. All ferryboat lines operate from Mackinaw City and St. Ignace, MI.

Shepler's Ferry

Telephone: 800-828-6157

Web: www.sheplersferry.com

Discount Code: MSA18

It is recommended you make reservations for Shepler's Ferry **in advance** online. Shepler has given MSA a group discount rate. The MSA rate is \$7 off the adult rate and \$4 off the children's rate.

Luggage transfer is simple and convenient, with assistance provided on both the mainland and on Mackinac Island.

Mackinaw City: All options are self parking.

Day Parking: FREE

Standard Parking: \$5.00/night (off-site)

Premium Parking: \$25.00/night onsite at the dock

(For all off-site lots they offer free ground transportation to bring you to and from the dock, need to arrive at least 45 minutes before departure time to ensure loading onto dock and off-site parking.)

St. Ignace: All options are self parking.

Day Parking: FREE

Standard Parking: \$5.00/night onsite at the dock

TIME ZONE

North American Eastern Time Zone

WEATHER/ATTIRE INFORMATION

Mackinac became one of the nation's favored summer resort destinations during the Victorian era. Vacationers arrived in large lake excursion boats from Buffalo, Cleveland, Chicago and Detroit seeking the cooler weather on Mackinac Island. In August the temperature ranges from 60 - 74 degrees Fahrenheit which is the perfect temperature to enjoy the 660 foot long Grand Hotel's Front Porch which is the world's largest! Guests should pack resort wear for daytime, and business casual attire for the scientific session. In the evenings, the Grand Hotel requires gentlemen to be in coat and tie, no jeans, and ladies in a dress, dressy pant suit or skirt and blouse.

MSA SPONSORED EVENTS

The following events are included in your Physician and Spouse registration and housing fees and are of no additional charge:

- Sunday Cocktail Reception & Dinner
- Monday Cocktail Reception and Annual Banquet
- Monday and Tuesday Spouse Program
- Tuesday Fort Mackinac

Nominal Registration Fees are charged for the following activities:

- Monday Golf, Tennis and Fun Run



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RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

The Grand Hotel offers a variety of activities for guests including golf on the 18-hole course, The Jewel, which is made up of the Grand nine and Woods nine. Additional activities at the hotel include tennis, croquet, bocci ball, swimming, bicycling, an exercise facility, vita course, saddle horses, carriage tours, and duck pin bowling just to name a few.

CARRIAGE TOURS

<http://www.mict.com/carriage-tours.html>

The office is located downtown across from Arnold Transit dock. Reservations should be requested at least 48 hours in advance by calling 906.847.3307, or walking to the ticket booth downtown.

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Music enthusiasts are right at home at the Grand Hotel, enjoying a range of free, live entertainment nightly. Highlights include dancing to the sounds of The Grand Hotel Orchestra in the Terrace Room, live bands at The Gate House and live entertainment at the Cupola Bar and the Woods. In Grand Hotel's Parlor, music recitals accompany Afternoon Tea and evening Demitasse.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

The magic of Mackinac Island and the Grand Hotel is the perfect setting for children. The Grand Hotel offers special children's activities including both an afternoon and evening program, at no charge to hotel guests, offering a variety of activities unique to Mackinac Island. Amenities include: game room, lawn games, biking, swimming, tennis and movies. Please see the enclosed flyer for additional details. Please make sure to sign up in advance for the Grand Hotel children's program to ensure space availability for your children. For the daytime programs be sure to sign up by 9:00 p.m. the evening before the event. For the evening programs your child must be registered by 2:30 p.m. on the day of the event. The children's programs are available to Grand Hotel guests during the lunch hour from 11:30 to 2:30pm and during dinner from 6 to 9 pm.

CHILDCARE

Childcare is available on a first come first serve basis. Babysitters are available through the Housekeeping Department. This babysitting service is specially provided for children 5 years and younger. Unfortunately, Grand Hotel is not staffed to accommodate special needs by way of allergies, medications, or one-on-one supervision. To coordinate child care please call 906-847-3331 and request the Housekeeping Department.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

We encourage you to consider sponsoring a new member in the MSA. The online application may be found at www.midwestsurg.org. Application materials and sponsorship letters should be forwarded to msa@lp-etc.com.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you have any questions or need additional information about MSA's Annual Meeting, please call 913-402-7102 or email: msa@lp-etc.com.

Direct all registration forms with check payments to:

MSA Headquarters

PO Box 414829
Kansas City, MO 64141

Telephone: 913-402-7102
msa@lp-etc.com
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FAMILY PROGRAM

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12:00pm - 6:00pm	Registration
5:30pm - 6:00pm	New Member Reception
6:00pm - 7:00pm	Welcome Reception
7:00pm - 8:45pm	Dinner (<i>seating</i>)
8:00pm - 10:00pm	Children's Movie Night

AUGUST 6, 2018

7:00am - 8:00am	Optional Annual 5k Fun Run
7:00am - 1:00pm	Registration Open
10:00am - 11:00am	Spouse Program: Grand Hotel Cooking Demonstration
1:30pm	Optional: Golf or Tennis Tournament
6:00pm - 7:00pm	Cocktail Reception
7:00pm - 10:30pm	Nonie Lowry Dinner Dance

AUGUST 7, 2018

7:00am - 1:00pm	Registration Open
10:00am - 11:00am	Spouse Program: Walking Tour presented by the Michigan State Historic Parks
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Optional Stable Tour
5:00pm - 6:45pm	Dinner on Own (<i>seating</i>) in Grand Pavilion of Main Grand Dining Room
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Optional Stable Tour
5:00pm - 6:45pm	Dinner Seating (<i>on own</i>) Grand Pavilion
6:45pm	Coaches to Fort Mackinac
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REGISTRATION FORM

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Registrant Category

Check one category below.

- ☐ Member ☐ New Member ☐ Non Member ☐ Resident / Medical Student ☐ Allied Health
(receiving certificate at 2018 meeting)

Registrant Information

Please print your name as you would like it to appear on your name badge.

FIRST NAME LAST NAME

INSTITUTION

WORK ADDRESS CITY, STATE, ZIP

OFFICE PHONE MOBILE

EMAIL ADDRESS

SPOUSE NAME (AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR ON BADGE)

FAMILY / GUEST NAMES (PLEASE INCLUDE AGE OF CHILDREN)

Registration Fees

By July 6

After July 6

Member	\$450	\$500	\$ _____
New Member (eligible if receiving certificate at the 2018 meeting)	\$0	\$0	\$ _____ 0
Non Member Physician	\$595	\$645	\$ _____
Resident / Medical Student	\$250	\$300	\$ _____
Allied Health	\$125	\$175	\$ _____
Spouse & Family Fee	\$150	\$200	\$ _____

NOTE: The Family Fee includes the Sunday Welcome Reception, Monday Banquet, Tuesday Dinner event and Monday & Tuesday Spouse events for up to 4 family members.

Optional Activities

*Children's programs are limited to children ages 4-12 years

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

Welcome Reception	NC	_____	_____
Kid's Movie Night	NC	_____	_____

MONDAY, AUGUST 6

5K Fun Run	\$10	_____	_____
Tennis Tournament	\$20	_____	_____
Spouse Program: Grand Hotel Cooking Demonstration	NC	_____	_____
Golf Tournament	\$30	_____	_____
Boxed lunch for golf tournament	\$20	_____	_____
Annual Banquet & Dinner	NC	_____	_____

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7

Spouse Program: Walking Tour by Michigan State Historic Parks	NC	_____	_____
Tuesday Fort Mackinac	NC	_____	_____

Additional Meal Fees

Are you staying at the Grand Hotel? ☐ Yes ☐ No

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED \$ _____

NOTE: If NO, additional fees will apply for Sunday, Monday & Tuesday Evening Events.

Payment Information

Full payment must be received with the registration form via a check, payable to MSA, or by credit card by filling out the information below. NO BALANCE DUES ARE PERMITTED.

- ☐ American Express ☐ MasterCard ☐ VISA ☐ Discover ☐ Check

If paying by credit card, please provide the following:

NAME AS IT APPEARS ON CARD

CARD NUMBER EXPIRATION DATE

SIGNATURE

MAILING ADDRESS FOR CREDIT CARD CITY, STATE, ZIP

**Register prior
to July 6
and SAVE**

PAYMENT INFORMATION

If paying by **credit card**,
please scan and email to
msa@lp-etc.com

If Paying by **Check**, make
check payable to

**Midwest Surgical
Association** and mail to:

Midwest Surgical
Association
PO Box 219191
Kansas City, MO 64121-9191

CANCELLATION POLICY

Registration cancellations must
be received in writing by mail,
email or fax by July 6.
Cancellations received by this date
will be refunded, less an
administrative fee. All refunds will
be processed immediately following
the conference. No refunds for
cancellations received after
July 6. Meeting Confirmations will
be e-mailed to the e-mail address
provided in the "Registration
Information" section above.

REGISTRATION QUESTIONS

MSA Headquarters

PHONE
913.402.7102

EMAIL
msa@lp-etc.com



**Register
Online at**

www.midwestsurg.org

Midwest Surgical Association

ARRIVE: Sunday, August 5, 2018

DEPART: Wednesday, August 8, 2018

ACCOMMODATIONS MAY BE AVAILABLE PRIOR TO AND FOLLOWING THE ABOVE DATES

Return this form by: Friday, July 6, 2018

To: Reservations Department
Grand Hotel
PO Box 286
Mackinac Island, Michigan 49757
Telephone: (906) 847-3331
Fax: (906) 847-0945
groupforms@grandhotel.com



(please print or type)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Cell Phone (____) _____

If sharing a room, name(s) of person(s) sharing with you: _____ Business Telephone (____) _____

E-mail _____ Conference Registration Number (optional) _____

Grand Hotel offers a variety of room types for group attendees. Guests sometimes ask to arrive earlier or remain later than the groups' official dates. We welcome your request for a specific room, room type, or room dates either prior to or following the conference. While your request will receive careful attention, please understand that it cannot be guaranteed.

ARRIVAL DATE: _____ DEPARTURE DATE: _____

PLEASE RESERVE THE FOLLOWING ACCOMMODATIONS:

	DOUBLE Daily, Per Person, Based on Double Occupancy	SINGLE Daily
CATEGORY I - Smaller, interior-view rooms	_____ \$249.00	_____ \$423.00
CATEGORY II - Larger, interior-view and smaller, lake-view rooms	_____ \$309.00	_____ \$543.00
CATEGORY III - Special, deluxe lake-view guest rooms, some with balcony	_____ \$399.00	_____ \$723.00

Grand Hotel operates on the **Modified American Plan**. This means that your daily rate *includes* breakfast and dinner. In addition to our Grand Luncheon Buffet, other facilities are available at Grand Hotel for lunch.

RESERVATIONS FOR ADDITIONAL PERSONS

_____ 9 years of age and under, no charge, except for luggage charge _____ 10 through 17 years of age, \$65.00 daily, per person
_____ 18 years of age and over, \$149.00 daily, per person

For an adult staying in a guest room with one or more children, the adult will pay the single convention rate; the children will be at the appropriate children's rates listed above. For two or more children staying in a guest room without an adult, the oldest child will be charged the single convention rate based on the category of room they are in and the remaining children will be at the additional persons rates listed above.

PLEASE NOTE THAT A LIMITED NUMBER OF ROOMS ARE AVAILABLE FOR EACH RATE CATEGORY. IF THE RATE REQUESTED IS NOT AVAILABLE, THE CLOSEST AVAILABLE RATE WILL BE CONFIRMED.

NO TIPPING: Tipping to any employee anywhere within Grand Hotel is not required, expected or permitted. There is tipping at the following offsite restaurant locations: The Jockey Club at the Grand Stand, Woods, The Gate House, the Pool Grill, Sushi Grand and Fort Mackinac Tea Room.

NOTE: Michigan 6% Sales Tax applies to all charges, including a 19.5% added charge on the per person daily room rate. There is also a 2% Mackinac Island Assessment charge on the per person daily room rate. There is a one-time charge of \$8.50 per person for transfer of luggage from the dock to the Hotel and return. Taxi transportation to and from the boat docks and the Hotel is not included in the daily rate.

The block of rooms being held for this meeting is based on estimated attendance. Please make your reservation as promptly as possible. Requests received after the block is filled will be contacted and given an option of being placed on a waitlist. The waitlist is not a guarantee of a room. All rooms in the block which have not been reserved 30 days in advance of the meeting will be released for other guests. Individual group reservations are subject to a 10-day cancellation policy. Reservation deposits will be refunded if cancelled 10 or more days prior to arrival, less a \$45.00 processing fee. Reservations cancelled less than 10 days prior will forfeit the room deposit. Once a guest confirms a departure date upon check-in, should check-out occur earlier than agreed, there will be a \$400.00 charge.

DEPOSIT POLICY: A deposit, including the luggage charge, must accompany this form in order to hold your room.

METHOD OF DEPOSIT:

____ Please charge one full night rate to my credit card ____ Please charge my full stay to my credit card

CREDIT CARD NUMBER: _____ EXPIRATION DATE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ (Not valid without signature)

Grand Hotel accepts VISA, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, traveler's checks, personal checks, and cash payments for bills.

CHECK-IN TIME: After 4:00 p.m.

CHECK-OUT TIME: Before 11:00 a.m.

Visit our Web site at <http://www.grandhotel.com>

Your hotel confirmation will be arriving to you via e-mail. Please check your confirmation to make sure it is correct and print it for your records. Please contact us with any questions or changes. In accordance with Michigan law, all Grand Hotel guest rooms, meeting rooms, restaurants and bars are non-smoking