

2018 ANNUAL MEETING

ADVANCE
PROGRAM



AHPBA

Americas Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association

March 7-11, 2018

**Loews Miami Beach Hotel
IN Miami Beach, Florida**

"Elevating Quality and Safety for our Patients"



Rebecca M. Minter, MD

AHPBA Presidential Address



Clifford Ko, MD

Betty & Henry Pitt Quality Oration



David B. Adams, MD

Leslie H. Blumgart Historical Lecture



Scott Page

Presidential Invited Lecture

OTHER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

DORRY SEGEV, MD | Advancing Surgical Policy and Practice Through Big Data

First AHPBA-SAGES Joint Symposium on Lap Liver Resections

First ASTS-AHPBA Joint Symposium

Meet the Professor Rounds

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WELCOME MESSAGE FROM OUR PROGRAM CHAIR



Shimul A. Shah, MD
Program Committee Chair 2018

The Program Committee has been hard at work preparing for the 2018 AHPBA Annual Meeting which will take place at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel, in the heart of South Beach. The immediate past Program Chair, Shishir Maithel, did a fantastic job last year with record attendance of 1,021 participants which also led to a record number of 441 abstract submissions.

The theme for the 2018 meeting will be "Elevating Quality and Safety for Our Patients." We will focus on the impact of quality, innovative therapies and consensus guidelines as it pertains to HPB surgery both at the bench, operating room and bedside. We will focus on the next generation of HPB surgeons and leaders to promote dialogue, highlight research and compare therapies both old and new. From a review of therapeutic challenges in metastatic colon cancer to learning about the merits of ALPPS for cancer specifically or new paradigms in advanced pancreatic cancer, the focus will be on providing the optimal care with understanding quality and safety for our patients.

We are making a concerted effort to increase participation across the world, multiple disciplines and diverse expertise in our meeting and our organization. In concert with the theme of the meeting, we will have a special symposium analyzing evidence for support of aggressive surgical and medical therapy in HPB malignancies. The meeting will also feature a multidisciplinary session on enhanced recovery pathways in HPB surgery and a debate to determine what margins are necessary in the cancers we operate on. We will be having the first ever AHPBA-ASTS Joint Symposium on the Multidisciplinary Management of HCC and also have the first AHPBA - SAGES Joint Symposium on Lap Liver Resections, which will showcase leading minimally invasive liver surgeons across the world. The Betty and Henry Pitt Quality Oration will feature Clifford Ko and Dorry Segev will give a State of the Art Lecture on "Of Math and Medicine: Advancing Surgical Policy and Practice Through Big Data." Beyond clinical medicine, the meeting will highlight special symposiums on the "Business of HPB Surgery" and "New Paradigms of Academic HPB Careers."

Lastly, we always leave room for fun. Make plans to join us for the 5K Run on Friday, March 9th, and the AHPBA Congress Banquet to be held on Saturday, March 10th.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel from March 7-11, 2018 to come together in friendship, collaboration, and our mission to improve the care of our HPB patients.

My best,

Shimul A. Shah, MD
Program Committee Chair

MEETING AT A GLANCE

Meeting Location

Loews Miami Beach Hotel
1601 Collins Avenue
Miami Beach, Florida 33139 USA
Reservations: 1-888-879-0462
Web: www.loewshotels.com/miamibeach

Housing Cutoff Date Friday, February 2, 2018

Room Rate \$345

Meeting Dates

March 7-11, 2018

Early Registration Deadline - Friday, February 2nd

Please register prior to the early registration deadline of Friday, February 2, 2018 online at www.aphba.org or by completing and mailing the registration form.

REGISTRATION RATES & FEES

REGISTER BY FEBRUARY 2nd & SAVE

AHPBA Member Fees

\$550	Physician Member
\$440	Physician Member - Latin America
\$200	Candidate Member
\$200	Allied Health Member
\$550	IHPBA/A-PHPBA or IHPBA/E-AHPBA Combined Member

Non Member Fees

\$850	Non Member Physician
\$300	Trainee (Resident, Fellow)
\$200	Medical Student
\$300	Allied Health
\$175	Spouse / Companion



Who Should Attend?

- HPB Surgeons
- Surgical Oncologists
- Transplant Surgeons
- Laparoscopic Surgeons
- General Surgeons
- Gastroenterologists
- Hepatologists
- Radiologists
- Endoscopists
- Scientists
- Pathologists
- Surgical trainees
- Nurses involved in HPB surgery, gastroenterology, hepatology and transplantation

Program Highlights

- Plenary sessions
- Oral papers
- Poster presentations
- Keynote lectures
- Update lectures
- Educational Symposia
- Face-to-face debates
- Trade exhibition
- Video symposia
- Social events

EXHIBIT DATES & TIMES

Thursday	5:30pm - 7:00pm
Friday	7:00am - 7:30pm
Saturday	7:00am - 1:00pm

REGISTRATION QUESTIONS?

Americas Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association

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ACCOMMODATIONS



Hotel Reservations

Loews Miami Beach Hotel

1601 Collins Avenue Miami Beach, Florida, 33139

Phone: 305-604-1601

Reservations: 1-888-879-0462

Web: <https://www.loewshotels.com/miami-beach/>

The Loews Miami Beach Hotel is located in the heart of South Beach, offering direct access to the ocean and all the city has to offer. The Loews Miami beach hotel offers a freeform pool with sloped entry for children, a waterfall focal point, lounge chairs on a sundeck, cabanas, poolside service, and 2 spa tubs.

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel at special AHPBA room rates of \$345 US Single or Double occupancy. The rates are per night and are subject to state and local taxes. These rates are available 3 days before and after the official meeting dates, based on availability. For reservations, please call 888-879-0462 or 615-340- 5778 and request the AHPBA room rate. **The room reservation cut-off date is Friday, February 2, 2018.**

Hotel Deposits and Cancellation Fees

All reservations must be accompanied by a first night room deposit with a major credit card. Reservations must be cancelled at least 72 hours prior to arrival in order to avoid a cancellation fee.

Hotel Check-in and out

Check-in time starts at 4:00pm and Check-out time is 11:00am.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Loews Miami Beach hotel is 20 minutes from Miami International Airport and 35 minutes from Ft.Lauderdale/Hollywood International Airport.

Ground Transportation

The average cost of round-trip transportation per person from Miami International Airport ranges from \$30-\$50 per person depending upon the mode of transportation. Taxis are readily available at both airports outside of the baggage claim area.

Taxi Services

- Yellow Cab: 305-444-4444
- Super Taxi: 305-888-7777

Airport Shuttle Services

Airport Super Shuttle service available at Miami International Airport. They offer rides from shared rides vans to car services. Phone: 305-871-2000

Website: <http://www.supershuttle.com/locations/miamimia>

Car Rentals

Loews has a partnership with Hertz Rental Car. Cars are available on-site. Please see the link for discounted rental from Hertz: <https://offer.hertz.com/offers/index.jsp?targetPage=loewshotels.jsp>

Hotel Parking

Parking is available for \$41US+tax for overnight/ \$31US+tax for daytime. Self -parking is available in the parking garage across the street from the hotel.

International Visas

The United States of America requires visas to be issued to those visiting the U.S. for business or pleasure purposes. APPLY EARLY for a VISA, as the processing time has increased. For information about obtaining a VISA, please visit the following website: <http://travel.state.gov/visa>.

If you need a formal written invitation to assist you with your VISA, please email AHPBA Headquarters at ahpba@lp-etc.com with your request, name and address.

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CME ACCREDITATION

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint providership of PESI, Inc. and The Americas Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association (AHPBA). PESI, Inc. is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

OVERALL EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

The AHPBA Annual Meeting has been structured around various tracks, representing the liver, pancreas, biliary system and transplant. At the conclusion of the Annual Meeting of the AHPBA, the Association expects its attendees to have gained knowledge and skills that will lead to changes or enhancements in their own practices and improve physician training. The AHPBA expects that the Scientific Program's educational interventions will result in measurable improvements in patient care. The specific focus of the meeting will be on "Elevating Quality and Safety for Our Patients". Following the meeting attendees should have a better understanding of:

- Discuss the role for new surgical approaches to cancer involving vascular and aggressive resection and medical therapies
- Explain new roles in the management of acute pancreatitis
- Describe the role of advanced imaging, molecular testing, and new therapies for complex HPB problems
- Develop the design and implementation of clinical trials in HPB surgery
- Discuss the state of the art care for metastatic colon cancer, including the role of chemotherapy, radiation, and surgery
- Identify the role of technology and research to optimize the safety, quality, and outcomes in HPB Surgery
- Review and develop the next frontier in application and techniques of management of hepatocellular carcinoma

ADVANCED ABDOMINAL ULTRASOUND COURSE

Wednesday, March 7, 2018

7:30am – 5:30pm

ATTENDANCE IS LIMITED!

Registration to open in December!



Didactic Session

The goal of this post-graduate course is to provide the practicing Surgeon and Surgical GI Fellow (HPB, Advanced GI, Minimally Invasive, Surgical Oncology, Transplant) with advanced education and training in HPB ultrasound.

The course will review the basic principles of ultrasound and will provide in-depth instruction on the techniques of ultrasound in HPB surgery. Centering on intraoperative and laparoscopic abdominal ultrasound, the course will provide a comprehensive understanding of the anatomy of the HBP system in addition to ultrasound techniques, methods, and ultrasound guidance.

Hands-on Session

The goal of the hands-on session is to continue ultrasound instruction from the didactic session to hands-on practice in HPB ultrasound. Participants will practice techniques in transabdominal, intraoperative, and laparoscopic ultrasound while gaining a comprehensive understanding of HPB ultrasound anatomy and performing ultrasound guidance procedures. A variety of models will be utilized including human and phantom models for instruction in technique and HPB anatomy in addition ex-vivo organs (eg., bovine organs) for practice in tumor targeting, ultrasound guidance, and tumor ablation/resection.

Suggested Prerequisite

Participants are strongly encouraged to complete one of the following:

1. The previously offered ACS postgraduate course "Ultrasound for Surgeons"
2. The currently offered ACS postgraduate CD-ROM course "Ultrasound for Surgeons: The Basic Course"

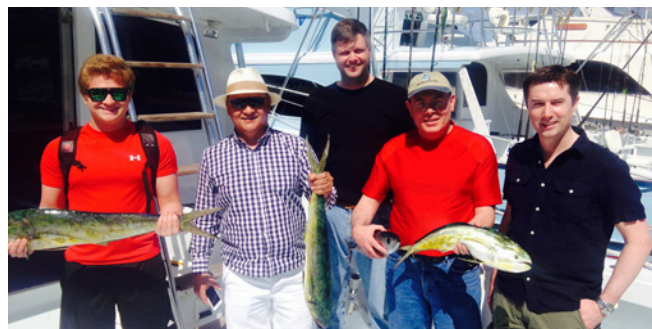
Documented Learning

1. Written pre-test given prior to start of course
2. Written post-test given at the completion of the course
3. Satisfactory completion of Hands-On Learning

Objectives—Certificate of Completion

Through AHPBA for completion of didactic and hands-on sessions in addition to satisfactory completion of post-test (score >80%) and Hands-On Session Learning Objectives.

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NOW!**



APPLY ONLINE: www.ahpba.org

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

The **Americas Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association** (AHPBA), an incorporated, nonprofit organization, was created with a vision of devoting itself to relieving the human suffering caused by HPB disorders throughout the world, by improving education, training, innovation, research and patient care. The AHPBA serves as the American Chapter of the International Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Association (IHPBA). Today, more than 1,000 multidisciplinary active members create the energy of our society. Together with surgeons, residents and fellows, allied health, interventional/diagnostic radiologists, gastroenterologists, medical and radiation oncologists, pathologists, transplantation physicians and scientists we meet, have fun and learn and collaborate. The AHPBA fosters an atmosphere of alliance among clinicians and scientists to advance both learning and patient care.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the AHPBA will provide you with an opportunity to belong to one of the most recognized organizations in the HPB field.

Active member benefits include:

- Discounted registration rates at the annual meeting.
- Hard-copy and e-access to subscriptions to the premier journal of our specialty, HPB.
- State-of-the-art consensus conferences and chapter meetings that keep you on the cutting edge of clinical care and research.
- Eligibility to apply for research grants, travel fellowships and awards.
- Opportunities to develop professional and social relationships with leaders in the field of gastrointestinal and HPB surgery.

For more information on application guidelines or to apply, please visit www.ahpba.org/join



LOEWS MIAMI BEACH HOTEL

Miami is one of the most exciting travel destinations in the world. People come here for the sun, the beaches, the nightlife, the Art Deco architecture and to experience a unique blend of American, Caribbean and South American cultures. The knowledgeable concierge and hotel staff at Loews will ensure you have all you need to enjoy the sights and sounds of the wonderful South Beach area.

Exhale Spa

Escape is located at Loews Miami Beach hotel and is a relaxing sanctuary designed to balance and restore the mind and body, Exhale's complete menu of spa therapies and fitness classes. Please note there is a \$10 daily access fee for the fitness center facilities, however AHPBA attendees will receive a discount for the fitness center of \$5 daily access fee. For additional information or to reserve a spa appointment, please go to: <https://www.loewshotels.com/miami-beach/services-amenities/exhale-spa>

Kids Activities

Loews loves kids, teens and grown up kids, too! Named one of the Top 10 Beach Resorts for Families by Parents Magazine, Loews Miami Beach Hotel is the only true family-friendly hotel located in the heart of South Beach.

SoBe Kids Camp at Loews offers full and half-day programs every day and evening programs on Friday and Saturday nights. The programs are packed with high-energy activities like Arts & Crafts, Shell Finding, Sand Castle Contests, Beach Sports, Water Balloon Madness, Wii competitions, our very own SoBe Scavenger Hunt and more.

SoBe Kids Camp is located in the lobby of the St. Moritz Tower at the Loews, for children 4 to 12 years old. For more information, please call 305-604-5421.

Loews Hotel Blog

Please go to the Loews Hotel Blog for some ide current ideas for your time at Miami Beach: <http://blog.loewshotels.com/locations/miami-beach/>



TOP MIAMI AREA ATTRACTIONS

1. South Beach

No visit to Miami can be considered complete without a stop at South Beach -- the quintessential Miami hot spot. From shopping to partying, this area of Miami Beach is well-known for being a trendy locale.

www.miamiandbeaches.com

2. Everglades

With 1.5 million acres of swamps, saw-grass prairies and subtropical jungles, Everglades National Park is one of the most unusual public parks in the United States. Located on the southern tip of Florida, the park is home to 14 rare and endangered species, including the American Crocodile, the Florida Panther and the West Indian Manatee. A large portion of the park is primitive, explored only by adventurers and researchers – but visitors have ample opportunity to walk, camp and canoe. www.nps.gov/ever/index.htm

3. Miami Seaquarium

Miami Seaquarium is 38 acres of tropical paradise, featuring dolphins, killer whales and more. Founded in 1955, it is one of the oldest oceanariums in the United States. In addition to marine mammals, the Miami Seaquarium houses fish, sharks, sea turtles, birds, reptiles, and manatees. From eight different marine animal shows, astonishing daily presentations, and a variety of educational tidbits along the way, Miami Seaquarium is a place of inspiration, education - and fun!

<http://www.miamiseaquarium.com/>

4. Jungle Island

Jungle Island, Miami's premier entertainment destination, combines the beauty of Miami's tropical landscape with a jungle full of extraordinary animals from around the globe. Building upon its rich 75-year history, today's Jungle Island is a contemporary theme park, featuring extremely rare twin orangutans and over 300 vibrant birds, including the world's only trained Cassowary <https://www.jungleisland.com/>

SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

7:00am - 8:00am	Ultrasound & Advanced Technology Course Registration and Breakfast
8:00am - 5:30pm	Ultrasound Course
12Noon - 6:00pm	Committee Meetings
6:00pm - 8:00pm	Registration Open
6:00pm - 9:30pm	Executive Council Meeting

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

7:00am - 6:30pm	Registration Open
8:00am - 2:00pm	Ultrasound Course Fellows Practicum
8:00am - 4:30pm	Pre Congress Symposium
12:30pm - 1:30pm	Pre Congress Symposium Lunch Break
12:30pm - 1:30pm	AHPBA New Members Lunch with Leadership
4:30pm - 5:30pm	HPB Collaborative Meeting
5:00pm - 6:30pm	AHPBA Welcome Reception
5:30pm - 7:30pm	Bernard Langer Fellows and Residents Symposium
9:30pm	Cocktails with AHPBA Leadership



FRIDAY, MARCH 9

6:15am - 7:15am	AHPBF Fund Run
7:00am - 6:00pm	Registration Open
7:00am - 8:00am	Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
8:00am - 10:30am	Presidential Plenary Session and Address
10:30am - 11:00am	Morning Beverage Break, Exhibit & ePoster Viewing
11:00am - 12:30pm	AHPBA-SAGES Joint Symposium: Lap Liver
11:00am - 12:30pm	Enhanced Recovery After HPB Surgery
11:00am - 12:30pm	Oral Presentations (Hepatobiliary)
11:00am - 12:30pm	Oral Presentations (Pancreas)
11:00am - 12:30pm	Oral Presentations (Transplant / Biliary)
12:30pm - 1:00pm	Lunch in Exhibit Hall
1:00pm - 2:30pm	Vascular Resections in HPB Cancer - When, Where, How?
1:00pm - 2:30pm	Does the Evidence Truly Support Aggressive Surgical or Medical Treatment in HPB Surgery?
1:00pm - 2:30pm	Mini Oral Sessions
2:30pm - 3:30pm	Basic / Translational Science
2:30pm - 3:30pm	Clinical Trials in Progress: Barriers to Prospective Trials in HPB Surgery
2:30pm - 3:30pm	State of the Art Lecture: Of Math & Medicine
3:30pm - 4:00pm	Afternoon Beverage Break, Exhibit & ePoster Viewing
4:00pm - 5:00pm	Leslie H. Blumgart Historical Lecture David Adams, MD
5:00pm - 6:30pm	Video Session
5:00pm - 6:30pm	State of the Art Symposium - Current Management of Colorectal Liver Metastases
5:00pm - 6:30pm	Women in Surgery Symposium
6:30pm - 7:30pm	Women in Surgery Reception
6:30pm - 7:00pm	AHPBA Cocktail Reception in Exhibit Hall
7:30pm - 10:30pm	AHPBA Congress Banquet

SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

SATURDAY, MARCH 10

6:45am - 6:00pm	Registration Open
7:00am - 8:00am	Professor Rounds: The Difficult Bile Duct
7:00am - 8:00am	Professor Rounds: Assessing Marginal Livers and How to Transplant Them
7:00am - 8:00am	Professor Rounds: Career in HPB Surgery? Chair's Perspective
7:00am - 8:00am	Professor Rounds: Technical Tricks of the Trade: The Whipple Operation
7:00am - 8:00am	Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
8:00am - 9:00am	State of the Art International Symposium: ALPPS for Cancer
8:00am - 9:00am	Oral Presentations (Pancreas)
8:00am - 9:00am	Mini Oral Sessions
9:00am - 10:00am	Betty and Henry Pitt Quality Oration Clifford Ko, MD
10:00am - 10:30am	Morning Beverage Break, Exhibit & ePoster Viewing
10:30am - 12Noon	Oral Presentations (Large Databases)
10:30am - 12Noon	Video Session
10:30am - 12Noon	ASTS/AHPBA Joint Symposium: Multidisciplinary Management of HCC
10:30am - 12Noon	Locally Advanced Pancreatic Cancer
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Lunch in Exhibit Hall
12:30pm - 2:00pm	Fellows Jeopardy
12:30pm - 2:00pm	Consensus Conference Symposium
12:30pm - 2:00pm	Optimal Margins in HPB Surgery
12:30pm - 5:00pm	APP Symposium
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Presidential Invited Lecture Scott Page
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Afternoon Beverage Break
3:30pm - 5:00pm	Business of HPB Surgery - Why It's Worth It
3:30pm - 5:00pm	Changing Paradigm of Necrotizing Pancreatitis
5:00pm - 6:00pm	AHPBA Business Meeting (Members Only)
6:00pm - 8:00pm	Toronto AHPBA Reception



SUNDAY, MARCH 11

7:30am - 8:30am	Continental Breakfast
7:30am - 11:30am	Registration Open
8:00am - 9:30am	Oral Presentations (Transplant)
8:00am - 9:30am	Oral Presentations (Pancreas)
8:00am - 9:30am	Oral Presentations (Hepatobiliary)
10:00am - 11:30am	Video Session
10:00am - 11:30am	New Paradigms in Academic HPB Surgery
10:00am - 11:30am	IRC: AHPBA Gone Global
11:30am - 12:00noon	Closing Address and Raffle