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TENTH ANNUAL
ADVANCED WORKSHOP ON
GYNECOLOGIC LAPAROSCOPIC ANATOMY
& MINIMALLY INVASIVE SURGERY
INCLUDING TVT AND TOT



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May 16-17, 2008 University of Louisville Louisville, Kentucky

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Overview

This postgraduate workshop has been designed for gynecologists with advanced laparoscopic skills who desire to master retroperitoneal and Space of Retzius anatomy and the various surgeries performed therein, including the performance of TVT/TOT surgery and cystoscopy.

These goals are achieved using unembalmed female cadavers in an extensive two-day course of lectures and hands on laparoscopic experience. No more than three participants are assigned to each cadaver and are closely supervised by experienced faculty instructors, including some of the most outstanding physicians in this field. The faculty members are selected based on surgical experience as well as expertise in teaching in this setting.

During each hour of hands on experience with the cadaver, each participant will operate, assist and observe. With this rotational format, participants learn pelvic anatomy and laparoscopic suturing skills in a meaningful manner. Faculty members will lead participants through procedures such as pelvic sidewall dissection, preparation for laparoscopic hysterectomy, uterosacral colposuspension, Burch retropubic colposuspension, and paravaginal defect repairs through the laparoscopic approach.

Breakout sessions will highlight the use of TVT/TOT while a separate group works with instructors in laparoscopic suturing.

This workshop is limited to 27 participants, so we encourage you to register today. This is the 10th annual course held at the University of Louisville and it has been highly acclaimed by attendees from around the world.

Objectives

After completion of this two-day course of lectures and hands on dissection of human, fresh frozen cadavers, the participants will:

- Increase their applied knowledge of female pelvic anatomy.
- Improve their surgical skills through hands on dissection of retroperitoneal spaces and pelvic sidewall.
- Improve their anatomic knowledge and laparoscopic skills in performing advanced operative laparoscopic procedures.
- Reinforce their laparoscopic suturing skills and learn new ones.
- Learn how to perform cystoscopy and the TVT/TOT procedure.

DAILY SCHEDULE

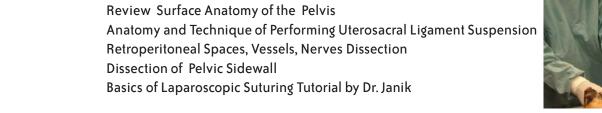
Friday, May 16, 2008

8am	Introduction and Course overview	R.P. Pasic
8:15am	Fundamental Laparoscopic Pelvic Anatomy	A.I. Brill
9:00am	Pelvic Floor Anatomy and Reconstruction	R.M. Rogers, Jr.
9:40am	Question and Answer	
9:50am	Refreshment Break	
10: 00am	Applied Pelvic Anatomy for Management of Endometriosis	
	and Adnexal Disease	G.M. Janik
10:50am	Laparoscopic Suturing	G.M. Janik
11:20am	Energy Modalities in Endoscopic Surgery	A.I. Brill

12:00 noon Working Luncheon

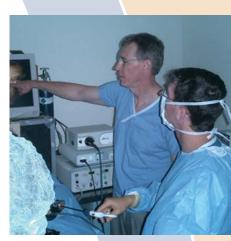
Question and Answer/Discussion All Faculty
Video: Laparoscopic Dissection and Laparoscopic Suturing R.P. Pasic

 $1:00pm-5:00pm\ \ Hands-on\ Cadaver\ Dissection\ \ (three\ participants\ per\ cadaver)$



Saturday, May 17, 2008

8:00am	Pearls of Laparoscopic Hysterectomy	R.P. Pasic
8:40am	Laparoscopic Treatment of Apical Prolapse	D.J. Levine
9:15am	Slings and Things	D.J. Levine
10:00am	Complications of Laparoscopy and How to Avoid Them	R.P. Pasic
10:45am	Question and Answer	
10:50am	Refreshment Break	
11:00am	Hands-on Cadaver Dissection Anatomy and Refined Techniques of Performing Laparoscop Dissection of the Space of Retzius Laparoscopic Suturing	oic Hysterectomy
12:45pm 1:30pm	Luncheon Continue Hands-on Cadaver Dissection Review of Laparoscopic Anatomy, Laparoscopic Bowel Injur TVT, Trans Obturator Slings, TVT Secure	y Repair
4:30pm	Complete Evaluation Forms - Adjourn	









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GENERAL INFORMATION

Location

University of Louisville, Health Sciences Center, Building B Louisville, Kentucky 40202

For emergencies over the dates of the meeting, please contact the cadaver lab at (502) 852-5744.

Target Audience

This educational program is designed for specialists in gynecology and practitioners of women's health care including gynecologists, fellows and residents.

Conflict of Interest

It is the policy of the AAGL to ensure balance, independence, objective, and scientific rigor in all sponsored educational programs. All faculty participating in continuing medical education activities are required to complete a conflict of interest disclosure form. This information will be printed in the syllabi which will be distributed at the workshop. In addition, all participating faculty are required to disclose to the program audience any real or apparent conflict of interest related to the content of their presentations and must also disclose any discussions of unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs or devices.

Registration Fees

Lectures/Hands-on Workshop	AAGL Members	Non-Members			
Physician in Practice:	\$2000	\$2260			
Resident in Training:	\$1500	\$1610			
Lectures/Lab Observation Only	AAGL Members	Non-Members			
Physician in Practice:	\$695	\$955			
Resident in Training:	\$495	\$605			
All registrations must be made through the AAGL office:					

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Website: www@aagl.org • E-mail: generalmail@aagl.org

Cancellation Policy

Cancellations received prior to April 28, 2008 will be refunded minus \$125 for administrative fees. No refunds will be made after April 28, 2008. In the event that this course is canceled for any reason, attendees will be notified of course cancellation no later than two weeks prior to scheduled dates and a full refund will be issued. Attendee will be responsible for canceling their own hotel and airline reservations.

Lodging

Holiday Inn Downtown – Louisville 120 West Broadway Louisville, Kentucky 40202 Ph: (502) 582-2241 or toll free, (800) 626-1558

The AAGL has reserved a block of rooms at the Holiday Inn. The rate is \$75.00 for a single room and \$85.00 for a double room, plus state/local taxes currently at 15.01%. To receive this special rate, make your hotel reservations on or before April 24, 2008 and state that you are an AAGL workshop attendee. Reservations made after this date will be on a space and rate available basis only. A credit card guarantee for the first night's deposit will be required when making reservations.

Daily transportation will be provided from the Holiday Inn to the Health Sciences Center. For those not staying at the Holiday Inn a map will be available upon request.

Accreditation

AAGL is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The AAGL designates this educational activity for a maximum of 16 category 1 credits toward the AMA Physician's Recognition Award (AMA/PRA). Each physician should claim only those credits that he/she actually spent in the activity.

Participants must sign in daily to receive CME credits.

Air Transportation

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Air Reservations

Laguna Travel has been appointed as the official travel agent for this meeting. Attendees are able to make reservations on any airline through this agency and their representatives will assist you in obtaining the lowest fare possible for your travel preference and schedule. To take advantage of this invaluable service, please call:

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EDUCATION CALENDAR

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February 6-9, 2008

Mayo Clinic World Robotics Symposium in affiliation with AAGL

Advancing Minimally Invasive Gynecology Worldwide Scientific Program Chairs: Javier F. Magrina, M.D. and Rosanne M.C. Kho, M.D. Scottsdale Marriott at McDowell Mountains Scottsdale, Arizona Web: www.mayo.edu

April 12-13, 2008

17th Annual Comprehensive Workshop on Minimally Invasive Gynecology for Residents & Fellows

Scientific Program Chair: Grace M. Janik, M.D. Hyatt Harborside • Boston, Massachusetts Web: www.aagl.org

May 16-17, 2008

10th Annual Advanced Workshop on Gynecologic Laparoscopic Anatomy & Surgery on Unembalmed Cadavers

Scientific Program Chair: Resad P. Pasic, M.D., Ph.D. The University of Louisville • Louisville, Kentucky Web: www.aagl.org

June 4-7, 2008

XVII Annual Congress of the International Society of Gynecological Endoscopy (ISGE) World Congress of Gynecological Endoscopy in affiliation with AAGL

Advancing Minimally Invasive Gynecology Worldwide Bari, Italy

Web: www.isge2008bari.com

June 9-13, 2008

Annual XXI International Congress "Advanced Technologies for Diagnosis and Treatment of Gynecologic Diseases in affiliation with AAGL

Advancing Minimally Invasive Gynecology Worldwide Moscow, Russia Email: aleila@mail.ru

August 22-24, 2008

3rd Annual Workshop on Suturing, Operative Hysteroscopy & Advanced Laparoscopic Techniques

Scientific Program Chair: Charles H. Koh, M.D. St. Mary's Hospital • Milwaukee, Wisconsin Web: www.aagl.org

September 11-14, 2008

2nd AAGL International Congress on Minimally Invasive Gynecology In conjunction with SOBENGE

"Endometriosis: Individualized Therapies and Strategies for Prevention" Maksoud Plaza • São Paulo, Brazil Web: www.aagl.org

September 18-20, 2008

VIIIth PAX Meeting in affiliation with AAGL

Advancing Minimally Invasive Gynecology Worldwide Clermont-Ferrand, France Web: www.paxclermont2008.org

September 26-27, 2008

3rd Annual Workshop on Advanced Laparoscopic Techniques for Gynecologic Oncologists Using Unembalmed Female Cadavers

Scientific Program Chair: Javier F. Magrina, M.D. Course Director: Resad P. Pasic, M.D., Ph.D. University of Louisville • Louisville, Kentucky Web: www.aagl.org

October 28-November 1, 2008

Global Congress of Minimally Invasive Gynecology AAGL 37th Annual Meeting

Scientific Program Chair: Resad P. Pasic, M.D., Ph.D. Paris Las Vegas • Las Vegas, Nevada Web: www.aagl.org

May 2009

3rd AAGL International Congress on Minimally Invasive Gynecology In conjunction with the Australian Gynecological Endoscopy Society Brisbane, Australia Web: www.aagl.org

November 15-19, 2009

Global Congress of Minimally Invasive Gynecology AAGL 38th Annual Meeting Gaylord Resort • Orlando, Florida Web: www.aagl.org

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