

CTACSPA/CtSQC Annual Meeting Agenda

Friday, October 8, 2021
Trumbull Marriott

7:30 Meeting Registration, Continental Breakfast, Exhibits Open

8:00 Committee Meetings

Committee on Trauma
Commission on Cancer

8:45 Opening Remarks

Felix Lui, MD, FACS, Chapter President
Roselle Crombie, MD, FACS, VP, Program

9:00 Resident Paper Competitions

Categories

- Sultan Ahamed, MD, FACS General Surgery
- John D. MacArthur, MD, FACS Trauma
- Specialty and Plastic & Reconstructive
- Surgical Quality, NSQIP and ERAS
- Bariatric & Metabolic Surgery
- Medical Students

This session will present research updating participants on clinical care.

10:30 Refreshment Break with Exhibitors

11:00 Distinguished Guest Lecture

Addressing Disparities in Bariatric Care Scott Shikora, MD, FACS

Director of the Center for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Brigham and Women's Hospital, and Professor of Surgery, Harvard Medical School

Moderated by: Felix Lui, MD, FACS
President, CTACSPA, Associate Professor of Surgery (Trauma); Director, Surgery Clerkship Program, Yale School of Medicine

Join us for a discussion focused on the challenges surgeons face when providing care for bariatric patients.

This session will help identify social, economic, and political factors in the delivery of care for bariatric patients in the United States

11:45 Chapter Business Meeting & Awards Distinguished Service Award

Presented to all Connecticut Fellows who Have Served in the US Armed Forces
Scott Kurtzman, Chair, CTACSPA Awards Committee

**CTACSPA Business Meeting
Legislative Update**

Christopher Johnson, Manager of State Affairs, ACS

12:30 Fellowship Luncheon (with exhibitors)

1:30 James Foster Memorial Lecture

Access Denied: Addressing Structural Barriers to Care and Recovery After Bullet Related Injury LJ Punch, MD, FACS

Trauma Surgeon, Founder, The T STL, St. Louis MO

Moderated by: Felix Lui, MD, FACS

This session will Describe the presentation and natural history of Bullet Related Injury, describe the structural and historical components of trauma care that have created obstacles to healing after injury, and explore possibilities to address structural racism within trauma care and delivery

2:30 Surgical Quality Lecture

Ethnicity-related Variation in Breast Cancer Risk and Outcome

Lisa Newman, MD, MPH, FACS

Chief of the Section of Breast Surgery, New York-Presbyterian/Weill Cornell Medical Center, and Second Vice-President, American College of Surgeons

Moderated by: Scott Kurtzman, MD, FACS
Program Director, General Surgery Residency Program / Chairman, Department of Surgery
This session will help identify social, economic,

and political factors in the delivery of breast cancer treatment to patients in underserved populations in the United States

3:15 Concurrent Lectures

Women in Surgery Lecture

Building Your Personal Brand

Deb Pappas, Vice President, Chief Marketing & Communications Officer, Connecticut Children's Hospital

Learners will be taught how to define their personal brand and how to identify ways to build it. They will also be able to integrate their own areas of expertise into a thought leadership platform.

Resident & Medical Student Lecture

Effectively Engaging in State Advocacy

Christopher Johnson, Manager of State Affairs, American College of Surgeons

This session will teach participants how to understand issues impacting surgery and actively engage in the political process at the state level.

Cultural Competence, Morality, and the Concept of Stigma

Chuck Herrick, MD, Nuvance Health

This session will define cultural competence and stigma and how they relate to morality. Learners will leave being able to distinguish between group and individual identity in the ways the bind and blind us to others.

4:15 13th Annual

Surgical Skills Competition

Hosted by David Shapiro, MD, FACS

Participants will improve their surgical skills by participating and observing hand-on exercises designed to test skills learned in training.

6:45 Resident Awards

Presentation of the awards for best research papers and the 2021 Skills Competition Championship!

7:00 Meeting Concludes - Thank You!