

SYMPOSIUM PREVIEW

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> SSO Society of Surgical Oncology.



In 2018, the SSO Executive Council appointed an Annual Meeting Reimagination Task Force to explore all components of the event with the purpose of increasing member engagement and meeting the educational needs of the membership. To this end, the SSO 2019 program has been purposely designed to provide practice-changing insight through short, yet efficient, 90-minute sessions. To ensure that the total amount of education has not been reduced, we have created parallel programming that allows a participant to maximize their educational experience. We hope that this new structure will allow for greater networking opportunities.

SSO 2019 sessions cover a broad array of topics – I am particularly excited to see the *Practice Change Studies of 2018* symposiums and *Integrating Genomics into a Surgical Oncologist's Practice: From Promise to Reality.* The Great Debates are always a draw, and this year should be no different. The debate *Should We Stop Offering HIPEC for Colorectal Cancer?* features two of the biggest authorities (Paul H. Sugarbaker, MD and Francois Quenet, MD) and will be interesting to attend even if colorectal cancer is not your specialty. And finally, hearing the featured lecturers, Armando E. Giuliano, MD, Monica Morrow, MD and Lieping Chen, MD, PhD is essential.

I look forward to seeing you in San Diego.

Respectfully,
Sanjay P. Bagaria, MD
SSO 2019 Scientific Program Chair



16 SYMPOSIA SESSIONS

Throughout the program, strategically designed by disease-site track, are a wide range of symposia sessions covering current controversies, new developments and pivotal scientific updates.

8 MEET THE PROFESSOR SESSIONS

Featuring speakers of international prominence, Meet the Professor breakfast sessions are small-group discussions that explore challenging issues and provocative topics in surgical oncology.

151 ORAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS

Selected from the best of the best, over 150 thought-provoking abstracts covering leading-edge science and clinical trials have been accepted for oral presentation.

398 POSTERS

This year's poster program will transition to an ePoster format, with the top 25% of posters highlighted with poster boards in the exhibit hall.

GREAT DEBATES

Leading surgeons engage in spirited debate around four controversial and impactful topics:

- BREAST—Should a Patient with a 2cm HER2+/TNBC Clinically Node Negative Receive Neoadiuvant Therapy?
- COLORECTAL—Should We Stop Offering HIPEC for Colorectal Cancer?
- **SARCOMA**—Primary Approach to Resectable Desmoid Tumor: Operate or Not Operate?
- HPB—Small (<2cm) Neuroendocrine Tumors of the Pancreas: Resect or Observe?

MAXIMIZE THE SSO 2019 EXPERIENCE VIA THE VIRTUAL MEETING

Concurrent sessions, The Great Debates, featured lectures so much delivered, so little time. View missed sessions and lectures and hear notable speakers a second time around via the SSO 2019 Virtual Meeting, accessible through ExpertED@SSO. To conveniently access the recordings post-event, be sure to add the Virtual Meeting during your SSO 2019 registration process for the discounted attendee rate of \$25.



The American Cancer Society/SSO Basic Science Lecturer will be announced soon.

PRE-MEETING COURSES

These optional courses are designed to benefit participants with an emphasis on practical information for the practicing surgeon. Registration is limited, so sign up early! View full course details and pricing at SSO2019.ORG.



7 TIPS AND TRICKS TO ENHANCE THE SURGICAL ONCOLOGIST'S PRACTICE WEDNESDAY | MARCH 27, 2019 | 1-5 PM

This engaging session will cover practical topics designed to target challenging areas encountered in a cancer surgeon's clinic, including insights you're supposed to learn as you go. This session is open to all, including general surgical oncologists who work in the community.

FELLOWS INSTITUTE II: PRACTICAL ASPECTS OF STARTING A SURGICAL ONCOLOGY CAREER WEDNESDAY | MARCH 27, 2019 | 1-5 PM

The SSO Training Committee organized this workshop to complement the topics covered at Fellows Institute in November. Faculty will speak to personal experiences of building your CV, advanced degrees, coding and reimbursement, finances, partnering with industry, global opportunities, and more. *Open to all fellows*.



BREAST

- O Breast Cancer: Genetic Testing and Management
- O Breast Cancer Treatments in the Young and Elderly

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- O Young Adult Onset Colorectal Cancer: What is Going On?
- O New Developments in Treatments for Peritoneal Metastases from Colorectal and Appendiceal Cancer
- O Evidence to Determine Optimal Management of Small Gastric Tumors: Surgery, Endoscopy or Observation?
- Multimodality Management of HCC
- Management of Locally Advanced Pancreatic Ductal Adenocarcinoma

CROSS DISCIPLINARY

- O Case Presentations with Fellows and Professors
- O Integrating Genomics into a Surgical Oncologist's Practice: From Promise to Reality
- O Surviving Payment Reform: From Revenue Generators to Cost Centers
- O Practice Changing Studies of 2018 (Breast, Melanoma, Sarcoma and Endocrine)
- O Practice Changing Studies of 2018 (HPB, GI, Colorectal)

MELANOMA

- O Controversies in the Treatment of Stage III Melanoma
- Multi-Modality Management of Stage IV Melanoma in the Era of Immunotherapy

SARCOMA

O Is There a Role for Neoadjuvant Therapy for Retroperitoneal Sarcoma?

THYROID

O Thyroid Cancer: An Over-Treated Malignancy









CONNECT WITH THE SSO 2019 COMMUNITY

With more free time between sessions and in the evening, and events that facilitate casual and convenient networking, SSO 2019 will offer plenty of opportunities for attendees to come together and be inspired by friends, colleagues and future collaborators.

WELCOME RECEPTION

WEDNESDAY | 5:30-6:30 PM | HILTON SAN DIEGO BAYFRONT

Kick off three days of leading-edge research and education, community and collaboration, and discussion and debate at the SSO 2019 Welcome Reception.

HAPPY HOUR

THURSDAY | 5-6 PM | EXHIBIT HALL

Meet up with colleagues and dive into some friendly discussion during this happy hour before heading out to other alumni events and dinner.

FELLOWS & RESIDENTS LOUNGE THURSDAY | FRIDAY | EXHIBIT HALL

Fellow and resident SSO members enjoy open access to the lounge, a private area within the Exhibit Hall that facilitates sharing, discussion and engagement between fellows, residents and surgical oncology thought leaders.

ePOSTERS

New to SSO 2019, ePosters will be grouped by disease site in designated areas that include tables and chairs for poster discussions.

HUMAN LIBRARY — New for SSO 2019

Meet with experts in the field for a 10-minute, one-on-one conversation related to a specific disease-site topic. Discussions will take place in designated disease-specific poster areas. Space is limited and sign-up is required. Visit **\$\$SO2019.ORG** to learn more.



EXHIBIT HALL

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THURSDAY | MARCH 28 | 9:30 AM-3:30 PM AND 5-6 PM FRIDAY | MARCH 29 | 9:30 AM-4 PM

EXHIBIT HALL THEATER

Programming will include SSO late breaking videos, highlighted poster abstract presentations and exhibitor presentations/product demonstrations.

INDUSTRY FORUMS

Select exhibitors will address current issues in health care during one-hour non-CME informative and educational presentations.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

DEADLINE: MARCH 1

Located just steps from the San Diego Convention Center, the Hilton San Diego Bayfront is at the heart of SSO 2019 and will be the site of the Wednesday evening Welcome Reception. Book your room by Friday, March 1 for discounted rates.

VISIT SSO2019.ORG TO REGISTER AND BOOK YOUR ROOM.



SSO 2019 DIVERSITY OF BE PART OF IT. **EXPERTISE CAMPAIGN**

SSO is a dynamic, global community of cancer surgeons and oncology professionals from across all practice settings, as represented in the SSO 2019 theme, "A Diversity of Expertise. Delivered."

Be part of the SSO 2019 Diversity of Expertise Campaign and submit your own profile picture. We will showcase SSO members as part of this year's campaign.

Go to SSO2019.ORG for details and to submit your photo.

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CANCER CARE TAKES A TEAM OF MANY TALENTS. CONNECT AND COLLABORATE AT SSO 2019.

Join 1,800+ of your cancer care colleagues from around the world at SSO 2019 to gain advanced knowledge, new perspectives and innovative ideas, many of which can immediately be integrated into your own practice. SSO 2019 will deliver on the promise of a multidisciplinary focus when it brings the global surgical cancer community together in San Diego, CA from March 27-30, 2019.

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