SAGES 2018 Annual Meeting
16th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery
Mastering the Art of Surgery

April 11-14, 2018, Washington State Convention Center, Seattle, WA

Hosted by SAGES and CAGS
Endorsed by IESES
Held in conjunction with IPEG

PROGRAM CHAIRS: John Marks, MD & Robert Lim, MD (SAGES) & Liane Feldman, MD (CAGS)

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Early Registration & Hotel Deadline
FEBRUARY 23, 2018
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**Schedule-At-A-Glance**

**“Mastering the Art of Surgery”**

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Oral & Video Sessions will take place throughout the SAGES Scientific Session.

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**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2018**

**SAGES Scientific Sessions**

7:30am - 5:00pm

- Magnets In Surgery: What's The Attraction?
- Tele U: Mentoring, Consultation, and Surgery
- Academic Boot Camp
- Masters Bariatrics: Revision and Reversal
- Post Graduate Course: Total Mesorectal Exision
- Military Surgical Symposium
- Devil's in the Details: Paraesophageal Hernia Repair

**SAGES/ASE Symposium: Building Your State-of-the-Art Simulation Curriculum: Best Strategies**

**SAGES / ISES Session: Learning From Each Other - Hot Topics in GI Surgery From China and America**

**SAGES Foundation Awards Luncheon**

12:00pm - 1:30pm

- Hands-On Course: Total Mesorectal Excision
- Small Bowel Obstruction / Common Bile Duct Exploration / Incarcerated Hernia: Always or Never Lap
- New Gadgets and Gizmos - Advanced Technologies for Surgeons

**IFSES Member Societies Update: Presentation of Each Society's Expertise - A World Congress Extravaganza!**

- Masters Hernia: Recurrent Hernias - Making the Best of a Bad Situation
- The Fundamental Use of Surgical Energy (FUSE) Session
- Reflux After Sleeve Gastrectomy
- Surgical Options in Gastroparesis
- Opening Session - Welcome Ceremony

**Exhibits Opening Welcome Reception**

5:30pm - 7:30pm

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**THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 2018**

**Exhibits/Posters/Learning Center OPEN**

10:00am - 4:00pm

**SAGES Scientific Sessions & Videos**

7:30am - 5:30pm

- Augmented Virtual Reality and Other Cool Things in Surgery
- Expect The Unexpected In The Top 21
- Intestinal Anastomosis: Hand Sown to Intracorporeal - Newest Techniques to Improve Outcomes
- Mesh: Must Avoid Or Must Have?
- # Summit

**KEYNOTE: Karl Storz Lecture – “Training to Competency”**

**POEM Gaming of Age: What Have We Learned and What Are We Still Learning?**

**SAGES / KSEL Session: What Can We Learn From Each Other in MIS of Biliary & Pancreas Disease?**

**SAGES / IPEG Session: Are You Kidding? You Want to be a Pediatric Bariatric Surgeon? Everything You**

**MIS Approaches to Complications of EsophagoGastric Surgery**

**SAGES / KSEL Session: What We Can Learn From Each Other in MIS of Biliary & Pancreas Disease?**

**Free Lunch in the Exhibit Hall for All Attendees**

12:00pm - 1:30pm

**Hand's On Course: Total Mesorectal Excision**

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**FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 2018**

**Exhibits, Posters, Learning Center CLOSED**

8:00am - 3:00pm

**SAGES Scientific Sessions**

**Evidence Based Pathways in Bariatrics: Are You in Step with the Best**

**Single Incision Colon Resection**

**What's Next? New Techniques and Technologies in Bariatric Surgery**

**Masters Acute Care: Perforated Viscus Call - You Never Want It But You're Going to Get It**

**Masters Biliary: Help! Severe Acute Cholecystitis - How to Recognize, And What To Do!**

**SAGES Minis - Medical School Boot Camp & Interactive Experience**

**International Hernia Symposium 2018: 'You Did What'?**

**When Bad Things Happen to Good People: Managing Bariatric Mishaps**

**Main Event & International Sing-Off**

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**SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 2018**

**Exhibits, Posters, Learning Center OPEN**

8:00am - 3:00pm

**SAGES Scientific Sessions**

**We R SAGES - Celebrating Diversity**

**Refreshment Break/Morning Mimosas in Exhibit Hall**

10:00am - 10:30am

**Devil's in the Details: Laparoscopic Liver Resection**

**Robotic Colorectal Surgery Tips and Tricks: How to Safely Incorporate Robotics Into Your Practice and**

**What's With All These New Robots? We B SAGES - Celebrating Diversity**

**Free Lunch in the Exhibit Hall for All Attendees**

12:00pm - 1:30pm

**CAGS Keynote Lecture**

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