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SAGES 2023

REGISTER TODAY!

March 29-April 1, 2023 | Montréal, Canada

Program Chair: Rebecca Pawner, MD, FRCPC and Director: Stefania, MD, FRCPC



You won't want to miss attending SAGES 2023 in person March 29-April 1, 2023. Take advantage of early bird registration at <https://cvent.me/bnRaV5>.

This year, SAGES will live stream ONLY the main session room highlights on Thursday and Friday. This includes the two keynotes, the presidential address, and the presidential plenary and regular plenary sessions. The rest of the meeting content will be captured and posted online for the virtual meeting 8 weeks following the Montreal meeting. Virtual meeting attendees will have access to the very limited live streamed sessions, and all attendees will have access to the entire meeting content after the fact.

A reminder that passport renewals should be wrapped up by now.

IMPORTANT DATES/DEADLINES

SAGES Virtual 2022-CME Credits Available Through December 31, 2022

Annual General Surgery Review
Part 2 Jan 10, 2023

SAGES NBT Innovation Weekend
Feb 2-4, 2023

Margrét Oddsdóttir, MD, Traveling Fellowship Award Applications Due Feb 13, 2023

SAGES 2023 - Montreal
March 29-April 1, 2023

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SAGES 2023 Program Highlights

Below are just some of the session highlights at SAGES 2023, March 29-April 1 in Montreal:

- Mystery Science Theatre 3000-Surgeons Watching Surgeons on Video
- Minimally Invasive Approaches and Acute Care Surgery
- Innovation in Surgical Education
- First-Ever SAGES Family Feud
- Using Innovative Technology to Build Surgical Capacity
- Pediatric Surgery Emergencies the Community Surgeon May Encounter
- Bringing Your Performance to the Next Level: Train Like Elite Athletes Do
- Work Hard, Play Hard - Integrating Hobbies into a Busy Surgical Practice
- Take Care of Yourself so You Can Take Care of Your Patients
- SAGES Role in Research and What it Means to Our Membership

- Crafting a Fulfilling Career with Retirement in Mind

This is in addition to the hands-on courses, Masters program, Shark Tank and so much more that we'll be highlighting in the coming weeks.

Congratulations to the SAGES 2023 Award Winners!

Early Career Faculty Researcher Award – Drs. Clayton Petro & Caroline Reinke
Researcher in Training Award – Dr. Harry Wong
Karl Storz IRCAD Award – Dr. Jonathan Delong
Excellence in Medical Leadership Award (SERF) – Dr. Bethany Slater
Brandeis Award (Supported by SERF) – Drs. Caitlin Halbert and Farah Husain
Barbara Berci Scholarship Award (SERF) – Dr. Shaina Eckhouse
Jeff Ponsky Master Educator Award (SERF) – Dr. Mike Ujiki
Excellence in Humanistic Clinical Care Award – Dr. John Linn
Social Justice and Health Equity Award – Dr. Donn Spight
Excellence in Community Surgery Award – Dr. Marian McDonald
International Ambassador Award – Dr. Marcella Bailez
Distinguished Service Award – Dr. Stephen Unger
Pioneer in Surgical Endoscopy Award – Dr. Demetrius Litwin
Berci Lifetime Achievement Award – Dr. Carol Scott-Conner

Annual General Surgery Review Course – Part 2 Tuesday, January 10; 4-6pm PT/ 7-9pm ET

Chaired and moderated by Dr. Michael Awad, expert panelists (below) will cover a number of topics in its second session **webinar** to help residents prepare for ABSITE.

- Welcome and Overview - Michael M. Awad, MD, PhD
- Surgical Critical Care/Trauma - Ivy Haskins, MD
- Breast/Endocrine - Amy Rosenbluth, MD
- Miscellaneous (Transplant, Thoracic, Pediatric, Plastics) - Sara Hennessy, MD
- Vascular - Vipul Khetarpaul, MD

To register, please go [here](#).

SAGES 2023-2024 Slate of Officers

SAGES is happy to introduce its 2023-24 slate of officers:

President – Patricia Sylla, MD (pictured)
President-Elect – Christopher Schlachta, MD
1st Vice President (2 year term) – Brent Matthews, MD
2nd Vice President (2 year term) – Dana Telem, MD (1 more year in this position)
Secretary (3 year term) – Jon Gould, MD (2 more years in this position)
Treasurer (3 year terms) – Robert Lim, MD (2 more years in this position)
New Board Members – Maria Altieri, MD; Marylise Boutros, MD; Kevin El-Hayek, MD; Matthew Kroh, MD; Ankit Patel, MD; Carla Pugh, MD; Matthew Ritter, MD; Bethany Slater, MD.



These changes will be effective in early-April, at the conclusion of the SAGES meeting in Montreal.

SAGES Announces 2024 Meeting Program Chairs



Dr. Marylise Boutros



Dr. Eric Pauli



Dr. Caitlin Halbert

In case you're looking ahead, SAGES will have three program co-chairs at the 2024 meeting April 17-20 at the Huntington Convention Center in Cleveland!

NBT Innovation Weekend in LA- Register Today!

SAGES 4th NBT Innovation Weekend is moving to the Los Angeles area! Join us February 2-4, 2023 at the Torrance Marriott Redondo Beach in Torrance, CA. For those who've attended in the past, participants know that the NBT is designed to be a different type of surgical meeting + a place where industry and providers can have an open dialogue about innovations in surgical technology and surgical practice. For meeting highlights and to register go [here](#).



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