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**58th ANNUAL
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2009 ANNUAL MEETING
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9:00 am - 12:00 noon

**ACS CANCER COMMISSION
Arnold Baskies, M.D.
Annual Educational Meeting**

"Liaison Physicians to the Colleges' Commission on Cancer"

BARIATRIC SURGERY

Moderator: Michael Nussbaum, M.D.

Section Chief of Bariatric Surgery, Saint Barnabas Medical Center and Morristown Memorial Hospital

George Fielding, M.D.

Associate Professor of Surgery, New York University School of Medicine

"SSL and Band over Bypass"

Michael Rothkopf, M.D.

Director, Center for Metabolic Medicine, Morristown Memorial Hospital

"Metabolic Therapy in Gastric Band Patients Experiencing Weight Loss Plateau"

Ashatoush Kaul, M.D.

Director of Minimally Invasive and Robotic Surgery, New York Medical College, Valhalla; Director of Bariatric Surgery, New York Valhalla Medical Center

"Laparoscopic Sleeve Gastrectomy"

NEUROSURGERY/ ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY

Moderator: Luis Cervantes, M.D.

Head, Neurosurgery Section, Dept. of Surgery, Virtua Memorial Hospital

Warren Goldman, M.D.

Chief of Neurosurgery, Dept. of Surgery, Cooper Hospital University Medical Center

"Gamma Knife Radiosurgery, Current Indications and Outcomes"

Erol Veznerdaglou, M.D.

Chief of Neurosurgery, Capital Health Systems

"Contemporary Management of Subarachnoid Hemorrhage"

OTOLARYNGOLOGY

Moderator: Garbiel Wong, M.D.

Vice-President, New Jersey Academy of Otolaryngology and Facial Plastic Surgery

Terrance Davis, M.D.

Chairperson, Medical College of Gerogia Department of Otolaryngology

"Robotic and Endoscopic Thyroid Surgery: Emerging Techniques"

Peak Woo, M.D.

Clinical Professor, Mount Sinai Hospital of Otolaryngology

"Surgical Treatment of Dysphagia"

Diego Saporta, M.D.

Fellow, American Academy of Otolaryngology and Allergy

"Sublingual Immunotherapy for the Treatment of Allergic Rhinitis"

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PLASTIC SURGERY

Moderator: Gary Smotrich, M.D.

*President-elect Plastic Surgery Society of New Jersey; Associate
Clinical Professor UMDNJ*

Barry Dibernardo, M.D.

Attending, Clara Maas Hospital

“Comprehensive Fat Reducing Technology: State of the Art”

Joseph Capella, M.D.

Attending, Valley Hospital and Hackensack Medical Center

“Post-Bariatric Body Contouring”

Joseph Disa, M.D.

*Assistant Attending Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center;
Assistant Professor Weill Cornell Medical School*

“Perforator Flap Breast Reconstruction”

Allen Rosen, MD

Attending Physician, St. Barnabas Medical Center

**“Abdominoplasty Using Bidirectional Barbed
Progressive Tension Sutures”**

RESIDENTS/YOUNG PHYSICIANS

Moderator: Ronald Chamberlain, M.D.

*Chairman, Department of Surgery, Saint Barnabas
Medical Center*

RESIDENTS & YOUNG SURGEONS MEETING

Moderator: Harry Agis, M.D.

“DeGroot Surgical Manuscript Awards”

UROLOGIC SURGERY

Moderator: Louis Galdieri, M.D.

Attending Physician, St. Barnabas Medical Center

Yitzhak Berger, M.D.

*Attending Physician Departments of Surgery and OB/GYN, St.
Barnabas Medical Center*

“TVT: Ten Year Experience”

Eric Klein, M.D.

*Attending Physician Cleveland Clinic; Department Chair,
Gleckman Urologic and Kidney Institute; National Medical Study
Coordinator for National Cancer Institute*

“Prostate Cancer”

Ihor Sawczuk, M.D.

*Attending Physician Chairman, Department of Urology,
Hackensack University Medical Center*

“Bladder and Prostate Biomarkers”

VASCULAR SURGERY

Moderator: Mark Moritz, M.D.

Clinical Professor of Surgery, UMDNJ

Todd R. Vogel, M.D.

*Assistant Professor of Surgery, Robert Wood Johnson Medical
Center, New Brunswick; 2009 E.J. Wylie Traveling Fellow,
Society of Vascular Surgery*

**“Fenestrated and Branched Thoracoabdominal Endografts:
Ongoing Clinical Trials, New Technology and International
Developments”**

Hasan Dosluoglu, M.D.

Assistant Professor of Surgery, S.U.N.Y., Buffalo

**“Advanced Infringuinal and Tibial Interventions: Our Final
Frontier?”**

Joseph Lombardi, M.D.

*Director of the Aortic Center, Head of the Division of Vascular
Surgery, Cooper University Hospital*

**“Aortic Dissections and Their Complications, the Role of the
Vascular Surgeon”**

12:00 noon - 2:00 pm

SHEEN AWARD

Moderator: James Alexander, M.D.

*Associate Professor of Surgery, UMDNJ, Robert Wood Johnson
Medical School; Vice Chief of Education, Cooper University
Hospital; Past President, New Jersey Chapter, ACS; Committee
on The Sheen Award*

J. Larry Jameson, M.D., PhD

*Vice President for Medical Affairs and Lewis Lansberg Dean,
Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine*

“Genetics in Clinical Medicine Hype vs Reality”

BUSINESS MEETING

Moderator: Lewis Wetstein, M.D.

President, New Jersey Chapter, ACS

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

CARDIOTHORACIC

Moderator: Mark Widmann, M.D.

*Chief of Thoracic Surgery, Morristown Memorial Hospital; Chair,
Thoracic Tumor Panel, Morristown Memorial Hospital*

Steve Xydas, M.D.

*Attending Cardiothoracic Surgeon, Morristown
Memorial Hospital*

“Hybrid Approaches to Total Arch Reconstructions”

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm
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Juan Grau, M.D.

*Assistant Professor of Surgery, University of Pennsylvania
School of Medicine*

**“Evolution of Minimally Invasive Mitral Value Surgery in the
Past Fifteen Years: From Heart Port to Robotic Platforms”**

Lyall Gorenstein, M.D.

*Assistant Professor of Surgery, Director of Minimally Invasive
Thoracic Surgery, New York Presbyterian Hospital*

“Diagnosis and Management of Palmar Hyperhidrosis”

COLORECTAL SURGERY

Moderator: Michael Arvanitis, M.D.

*Section Chief, Division of Colorectal Surgery at Monmouth
Medical Center*

Howard M. Ross, M.D.

*Chief, Division of Colon and Rectal Surgery, Riverview
Medical Center*

**“Laparoscopic Single Incision Colectomy: Early Findings
from a Multi-Institutional Registry”**

Bertram T. Chinn, M.D.

*Clinical Associate Professor, Program Director, Colon & Rectal
Surgery Fellowship, UMDNJ, Robert Wood Johnson
Medical School*

**“Lymph Node Sampling for Colo-Rectal Cancer: Is it a
Surrogate for Surgeon Quality”**

Jeffrey W. Milsom, M.D.

*Chief, Colon and Rectal Surgery, The Jerome J. DeCosse Professor,
Weill Cornell Medical College*

“New Frontiers in Laparoscopic Colorectal Surgery”

JOB FAIR

Moderator: Michael Goldfarb, M.D.

*Chairman and Program Director, Department of Surgery,
Monmouth Medical Center, Professor of Surgery Drexel
University School of Medicine*

ONCOLOGY/BREAST SURGERY

Moderator: Aaron Chevinsky, M.D.

*Chief, Surgical Oncology at Carol G. Simon Cancer Center,
Morristown Memorial Hospital; Clinical Chief of Surgery,
UMDNJ; Attending Surgical Oncologist, Morristown Memorial
Hospital; Clinical Professor of Surgery, UMDNJ, New Jersey
Medical School, Clinical Adjunct Professor of Surgery, Mount
Sinai School of Medicine*

Aaron H. Chevinsky, M.D.

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**“Update on Surgical Oncology and Breast Surgery
Breast Surgery 2009”**

David A. Geller, M.D.

*Co-Director, UPMC Liver Cancer Center Richard L. Simmons
Professor of Surgery, University of Pittsburgh*

**“Management of Liver Metastases: Resection, Laparoscopy
and Beyond”**

Andrew Della Torre, M.D.

*Associate Professor Department of Surgery; Director of Laparo-
scopic and Minimally Invasive Liver Surgery; Clinical Director
Hepatobiliary Immunotherapy Research Team, UMDNJ*

**“The Management of Hepatocellular Carcinoma,
Cholangiocarcinoma and Gall Bladder Cancer: From
Resection To Transplant”**

Aaron H. Chevinsky, M.D.

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**“Current Management of Solid and Cystic Tumors
of the Pancreas”**

OPHTHALMOLOGY

Moderator: Michael Spedick, M.D.

*Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Ophthalmology,
UMDNJ, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, New Brunswick*

Jonathan Myers, M.D.

*Associate Attending Glaucoma Service, Wills Eye Institute; Assis-
tant Professor Ophthalmology Jefferson Medical College; Director
Glaucoma Service Diagnostic Laboratory*

**“A Review of New Glaucoma Surgeries in Trials (e.g.
Canaloplasty, Istent, etc.)”**

Howard Fine, M.D.

*Clinical Assistant Professor, Robert Wood Johnson Medical
School, UMDNJ, New Brunswick*

“Update on Age-Related Macular Degeneration”

Brandon Ayres, M.D.

*Corneal Service, Wills Eye Institute; Associate Medical Staff
Lankenau Hospital; Associate with Admitting, Thomas Jefferson
University Hospital*

“Complex Cases in Cornea and External Disease”

TRAUMA SURGERY

Moderator: Felix Garcia, M.D.

*Director of Trauma, Jersey Shore University Medical Center;
Chairman New Jersey, Council on Trauma*

Jeffrey S. Hammond, M.D.

Medical Director, Ethicon, J&J Wound Management

“Disaster Management Preparedness, Is New Jersey Ready?”

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm
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Louis T. DiFazio, M.D.

Director of Trauma, Morristown Memorial Hospital
“NJ-COT Resident Trauma Papers”

David Livingston, M.D.

Wesley J. Howe Professor of Trauma Surgery, UMDNJ;
Professor of Surgery, UMDNJ; Chief, Division of Trauma Surgery,
UMDNJ; Director New Jersey Trauma Center, Newark; Medical
Director North Star Aeromedical Program, University Hospital,
Newark; Surgical Attending, University Hospital, Newark;
Surgical Attending, University Hospital, Newark
“The Open Abdomen, When and How To Close It”

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

RECEPTION

Host: Lewis Wetstein, M.D.
President, New Jersey Chapter, ACS

Open to Speakers, Fellows and Guests
Cost of Reception Included in Registration

All are welcome.

EXHIBITORS

- Advanced Micro-Clinical Solutions, Inc
- Argent Professional Insurance Agency, Inc.
 - Biotronics
- Corridor Medical Answering (TAS Corridor)
 - Conventus Inter-Insurance Exchange
 - Covidien
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- Kern Augustine Conroy Schoppmann, P.C.
 - LifeCell Corporation
 - Medical Society of New Jersey
- NJ Pure (Physicians United Reciprocal Exchange)
 - Pfizer
- Smith & Nephew Wound Management
 - St. Jude Medical
- The Kirwan Companies, Ltd.

ROME PILGRIMAGE

2010

APRIL 20, 2010 – APRIL 27, 2010

Per person in double room package: \$2639
Single Supplement: \$659

Price Includes:

- Round trip airfare from Newark to Rome with Continental Airlines. Fuel surcharges are included. (Valid at the date of the proposal)
- 6 nights accommodation at the Ambasciatori Palace Hotel. Hotel taxes and service charges are included.
- Daily breakfast, 2 Lunches and 2 Dinners. Wine and bottled water included with lunch and dinners.
- Round trip airport / hotel transfers with English speaking assistant and private motor coach
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- Full Day Pompeii & Capri tour with English speaking tour guide and private motor coach.
- Half day walking tour with English speaking tour guide.
- Half day tour of Tivoli with English speaking tour guide and private motor coach.
- Porterage—one bag per person

Not included:

- Airport taxes—\$85 / per person (current rate)
- Tips
- Travel Insurance

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From the East:

Proceed north or south on Route 287 and take the Route 1 North Exit. Proceed on Route 1 North for approximately 3 miles to the Gill Lane Exit. Follow Jug Handle to Route 1 South. The hotel is immediately on the right.

From North:

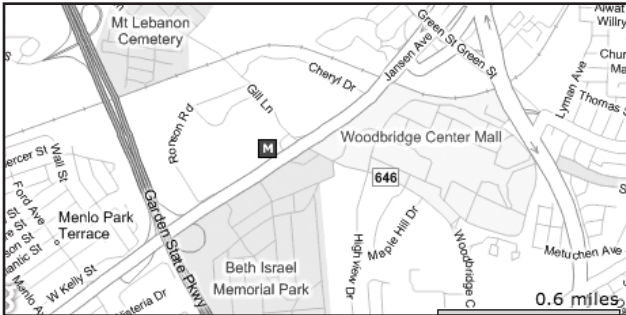
Take the Garden State Parkway to Exit 131-A. At the fourth light turn right, and pass Metropark Train Station on the left. After the third light, turn right onto Gill Lane. The hotel is 1.5 miles further on the right.

From Newark International Airport:

Take Routes 1 and 9 South to Woodbridge. Follow Route 1 South for approximately 12 miles to the hotel.

From South:

Take the Garden State Parkway to Exit 131-A. Follow the road to the fourth traffic light and turn right onto the Middlesex Essex Turnpike. Continue for 3 more lights and at the third light, turn right onto Gill Lane. The hotel is 1.5 miles further on the right.



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Beef Fish

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