

CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal Information

Adrian E. Park, MD, FRCSC, FACS, FCS(ECSA)
Chief Surgical Officer
Clinical Innovation Officer
Meritus Health
Professor of Surgery
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

Professional Education

Doctor of Medicine, Faculty of Health Sciences, McMaster University, Canada	1987
Fellowship - Laparoscopic/Endoscopic Surgery Hôtel Dieu de Montréal, (U. de Montréal) Montréal, Québec	1993
Chief Resident - General Surgery St. Joseph's Hospital Hamilton, Ontario	Jan 92-Jun 92
Chief Resident - General Surgery McMaster University Medical Centre Hamilton, Ontario	Jul 91-Dec 91
General Surgery Residency Department of Surgery McMaster University Affiliated Hospitals Hamilton, Ontario	Jul 88-Jun 91
Senior Registrar - Surgery Colonial War Memorial Hospital Suva, Fiji Islands	Oct 89-Dec 89
Comprehensive Surgical Internship McMaster University Medical Centre Hamilton, Ontario	Jul 87-Jun 88

Board Certification

1992 Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, General Surgery (Canada)
1996 American Board of Surgery (recertified 2005 & 2016)
1997 Fellow of the American College of Surgeons

Hospital Privileges

Meritus Health/Meritus Medical Group

Present Position

2023 – Present **Chief Surgical Officer and Clinical Innovation Officer**
Meritus Health
Hagerstown, MD 21742

2023 – Present **Associate Dean of Research and Innovation**
Meritus School of Osteopathic Medicine
Hagerstown, MD 21742

Previous Positions

2011 – 2023 **Chairman, Department of Surgery**
Luminis Health (Anne Arundel Medical Center)
Annapolis, Maryland

2022 – Present **Clinical Professor of Surgery**
George Washington University School of Medicine and Health
Sciences

2015 – Present **Professor of Surgery**
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

2012 – 2015 **Professor of Surgery, PAR**
Johns Hopkins University

2011 – Present **Adjunct Professor of Computer Science & EE**
University of Maryland (BC)

2011 – 2011 **The Dr. Alex Gillis Professor of Surgery & Chairman**
Department of Surgery
Dalhousie University
Halifax, Nova Scotia

2011 – 2011 **Chief of Surgery**
Capital District Health Authority
Halifax, Nova Scotia

2006 – 2011 **Vice Chair, Department of Surgery**
University of Maryland
Baltimore, Maryland

2003 – 2011 **The Campbell and Jeanette Plugge Professor of Surgery &**

- Head, Division of General Surgery**
University of Maryland
Baltimore, Maryland
- 2005 – 2011 **Adjunct Professor, Bioengineering**
University of Maryland
Baltimore, Maryland
- 2005 – 2011 **Medical Director, Digestive Health Center**
University of Maryland
Baltimore, Maryland
- 2002-2003 **The Commonwealth Professor, Department of Surgery**
University of Kentucky College of Medicine
Lexington, KY
- 1997 -2002 **Associate Professor, Department of Surgery**
University of Kentucky College of Medicine
Lexington, KY
- 1998 – 2003 **Director, Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery**
University of Kentucky
Lexington, KY
- 1998 – 2003 **Head, Surgical Endoscopy**
University of Kentucky
Lexington, KY
- 1999- 2003 **Chief, Section of G.I. Surgery**
University of Kentucky College of Medicine
Lexington, KY
- 1994 - 1997 **Assistant Clinical Professor**
Department of Surgery, Faculty of Health Sciences
McMaster University
Canada
- 1994 - 1997 **Active Staff**
Department of Surgery
St. Joseph's Hospital
Canada

Honors and Awards

- 1985 Selected to represent McMaster Medical School at: Symposium on Research Frontiers of Diabetes Mellitus, sponsored by C.D.A., held in Toronto, Ontario. November 1985.

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- 1986 Symposium on advances in Diabetes Mellitus, sponsored by Juvenile Diabetes Association of America, held in Nashville, Tennessee. March 1986.
- 1986 Symposium on Research Frontiers of Diabetes Mellitus, sponsored by C.D.A., held in Edmonton, Alberta. October 1986.
- 1987 Appointed Clinical Skills Representative MD Class
- 1990 Davis and Geck Surgical Research Award., “Magnetic Resonance Imaging in the assessment of bowel viability after ischemia reperfusion injury.”
- 1991 Davis and Geck Surgical Research Award., “Diagnosis of persistent intestinal ischemia in the rabbit using Magnetic Resonance Imaging.”
- 1992 Exemplary Resident Award, Emergency Associates of St. Joseph’s.
- 1992 Merck Frost Award for Teaching Excellence, Canadian Association of General Surgeons.
- 1995 Golden Scalpel Award., for outstanding contribution to surgical resident education.
- 1999 Alumni Medal of Achievement, University of Guelph.
- 2002 EES Silver Spork Award. Best clinician co-inventor of new medical device.
- 2003 Kentucky Colonel. Commonwealth of Kentucky
- 2005-2006-2007-2008-2009-2010-2011 Best Doctor's in America
- 2007-2008-2009 America’s Top Surgeons Award. Consumers’ Research Council of America.
- 2007 A Top Doctor in Surgery. Baltimore Magazine, November issue.
- 2009 Medal of Achievement. University of Maryland School of Medicine
- 2009 Gore & Associates Outstanding Achievement Award – A SAGES Foundation Award
- 2010 A Top Doctor in Surgery. Baltimore Magazine, November issue.
- 2013 Georgetown University Lifetime Achievement Award in Abdominal Wall Reconstruction
- 2014 Baltimore Top Doctor (including feature article)
- 2016 SAGES Award for Excellence in Humanistic Clinical Care
- 2017 Honorary Member of the British Columbia Surgical Society
- 2018 Golden Telescope Award, Imperial College of London
(Karl Storz Harold Hopkins Lecture)
- 2019 Keynote Speaker, Symmetry Surgical National Sales Meeting, Nashville, Tennessee. January 17-18, 2019.
- 2019 Guest of Honor – 16th International Congress Workshop of “Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS),” Cairo, Egypt
- 2022 Honorary President – 18th International Congress of Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS),” Cairo, Egypt
- 2022 Keynote Speaker, Virtual Session of the Society of Surgical Ergonomics Symposium, September 23, 2022.
- 2023 Honorary President – 19th International Congress of “Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS),” Cairo, Egypt.
- 2023 The Adrian Park Award for Humanism in Surgery. Established at Luminis Health
- 2023 Emeritus Editor of Surgical Innovation

Other Significant Scholarly, Research, or Administrative Experience

2003 – 2004 2008	Editor in Chief – Seminars in Laparoscopic Surgery Program Chair, 2008 Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons
2009 - 2012	Secretary, Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons Board of Governors Executive Committee
2010 - Present	Editor in Chief – Minimally invasive surgery training: theories, methods, outcomes [Internet]. Washington: Department of & Human Services (US), national Institutes of Health, Library of Medicine.
Health National	
2012-present	External Examiner for COSECSA
2017	Associate Examiner for American Board of Surgery Certifying Exam

Editorial Boards

1997 – 2000	Member of the Editorial Board -World Electronic Book of Surgery
1999 – 2006	Member of the Editorial Advisory Panel-Contemporary Surgery
1999 – 2003	Member of the Editorial Board - Surgical Prospectus
2001 - Present	Member of the Editorial Board – Journal of Laparoscopic Surgery
2002 – 2010	Member of the Editorial Board – Journal of Long-Term Effects of Medical Implants
2002 - Present	Member of the Editorial Board – Surgical Endoscopy
2002 - Present	Member of the Editorial Board – Chinese Journal of Current Advances in General Surgery
2005 – Present	Member of the International Advisory Board – Hernia
2007 – Present	Member of the Editorial Board - WeBSurg's Scientific
2010 – 2015	Member of the Editorial Board – Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery
2010 – Present	In Training: The publication for surgical residents and fellows
2004 – 2023	Co-Editor in Chief – Surgical Innovation
2020 – Present	Member of the Advisory Board – Computer Assisted Surgery

Editorial Consultant/Reviewer

Reviewer for Journals:

Annals of Biomedical Engineering
Annals of Surgery
Archives of Surgery
British Journal of Surgery
British Medical Journal (BMJ)
Contemporary Surgery
Hernia

Journal of Laparoendoscopic Surgery
Journal of Surgical Research
Mayo Clinic Proceedings
Surgery
Surgical Endoscopy
Surgical Laparoscopy and Endoscopy
American Journal of Surgery
Journal of the American College of Surgeons
World Journal of Surgery

Patents & Inventions

1. Park A, Knapp C, Charash B, Hua C. An Anastamotic Device for Minimally Invasive Surgery. (Serial # 10/175,159)
2. Park A, Knapp C. A Delivery System for an Anastamotic Device. (Serial # 10/288,577)
3. Charash B, Park A, Shaw M. Multiple Frame Integration and Histogram Modification to Improve Contrast during Minimally Invasive Surgery. (Invention Disclosure #960)
4. Charash B, Park A, Shaw M. Digital Geometric Image Transformation to Correct Perspective Distortion During Minimally Invasive Surgery. (Invention Disclosure #953)
5. Shaw M, Park A. Structure Laser Light System to Achieve Three Dimension Projection of a Two Dimensional Image in Real Time During Laparoscopic Surgery. (Invention Disclosure #1067)
6. Shaw M, Park A. Barrell Distortion Correction to Improve Perspective and Geometry in Laparoscopic Imaging Systems. (Invention Disclosure #1068)
7. Park A. The Park (Laparoscopic) Forceps.
8. Park A, Adrales G, Garrett W. The University of Kentucky Surgical Trainer Box.
9. Park A, Garrett W. The University of Kentucky/Stryker Surgical Training Module.
10. Park A, Knapp C. Adjustable Line Retractor. (APPL NO. 60/850,496)
11. Park A, Knapp C. Adjustable Net Retractor. (APPL NO. 60/850,708)
12. Park A, Knapp C. Endo Frame. (Application No.: 60/922,515 Docket No.:16640.0003)

13. Adrian Edward PARK, et al. Frame Device. Application No.: 2010-503171. Filing Date: April 9, 2008, Country: Japan, Reference: 16640.0003 JP.
14. Park A, Knapp C, Charish W, Cui H. Anastomotic Device. (Mexican Patent Application No. PAa/2003/012055 granted under 246322 on June 8, 2007)
15. Park A, Knapp C, Charish W, Cui H. Anastomotic Device. (Australian Patent No. 2002320117 patent granted Jan 10, 2008)
16. Park A, Knapp C, Charish W, Chu H. Anastomotic Device. (China Patent No. ZL02812275.5 issued September 3, 2008)
17. Park A, Knapp C. Anastomotic Device. (Australia Patent No. 2003261155 issued March 26, 2009)
18. Park A, Knapp C, Charish W, Chu H. Anastomotic Device. (Korean Patent Application No. 10-2003-7016609 registration date March 23, 2009) Patent No. 10-0891045. Patent valid from November 30, 2011 to July 11, 2023.
19. Park Medical, LLC. Anastomotic Device. (Canada patent No. 2,475,124 issued April 14, 2009).
20. Lee G, George I, Park A. An Endoscopic surgical device for measuring hernia defects and other anatomic geometries for clinical planning. (Invention Disclosure # Pending)
21. Park Medical, LLC. Anastomotic Device. India patent No. 227784 issued 20/01/2009.
22. Park A, Knapp C, Gutelius P, Stearns R. Internal Retraction Systems and Devices. (Application No 61/195,793)
23. George I, Seagull F., Park A. Simulated Abdominal Wall. Patent No. 8,297,982 B2, Date of Patent: Oct. 30, 2012.
24. George I, Park A. Endosurgical Wireless Light Source (EWLS). Provisional Patent submitted.
25. Park A, Knapp C. Anastomotic Device, United States Patent No.: 7,780,686 B2. (Date of Patent: August 24, 2010)
26. Park A, Knapp C. Anastomotic Device, Canada Patent No.: 2,450,959. (Granted January 4, 2011)

27. Triplett D, Park A, Shirley B. Adjustable Laparoscopic Instrument Handle. Pending United States Provisional Patent application #61/442510 (filed on Feb 14, 2011) Serial Number: 61/442,510.
28. Park Medical LLC. Anastomotic Device. European Patent number 1401337 Grant Date 15 June 2011.
29. Park A. Internal Retraction Systems and Devices. United States Patent 8,075,481 issued on 12/13/2011.
30. George I, Lee G, Park A. Device and method for measuring anatomic geometries. United States Patent Number No. US-2012-0035507-A1. Application 13/136,086. Filed Jul 22, 2011
31. Park A, Knapp C. Adjustable Line and Net Retractors. Date of Patent Feb. 14, 2012. Patent No. US 8,114,018,B2.
32. Park A, Shirley B, Triplett D, Ewer D. Handle for a surgical instrument. Pending (submitted March 27, 2012)
33. Park, A, George I, Seagull F. Simulated Abdominal Wall. Pending US Non-Provisional Patent Application No. 12/706,022
34. Adrian Park et al., Anastomotic Device, Application No. 05109661.4 Hong Kong (Chinese Patent Application No. 03801968.X issued July 11, 2003).
35. Park A, Knapp, C. Minimally invasive surgery tissue clip (MIST CLIP). Patent Application No. 61/967,981. Filing date: 03/31/2014. Confirmation No. 9151.
36. Adrian Edward Park, et al. Frame Device. Patent Application No. 2010-503171, Filing Date: April 9, 2008, Publication Date: October 8, 2014.
37. Adrian Edward Park, et al. Minimally Invasive Surgery Tissue (MIST) Clip. Patent Application No. PCT/US2015/023647, Filing Date: March 31, 2015.
38. Adrian Park, et al. Minimally Invasive Surgery Tissue (MIST) Clip. Filing date: March 31, 2015, Application No. 14/675,157, Reference: 16640.0004.
39. Adrian Edward Park, Charles Francis Knapp. Minimally Invasive Surgery Tissue (MIST) Clip. Application No. 14/675,157, Filed: March 31, 2015. Patent No: US 10,537,327 B2. Date of Patent: January 21, 2020.

40. Adrian Edward Park, et al. Systems and Methods for Time of Flight Imaging. International Application No.: PCT/US2022/034803; International Filing Date: June 23, 2022; International Publication Number: WO 2022/272002 A1, International Publication Date: December 29, 2022. (Provisional Applications: US, PRO,63/215,303, June 25, 2021; US PRO,63/228,977, August 3, 2021; US, PRO,63/336,088, April 28, 2022.

Visiting Professorships

1. Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy, Visiting Professor Lecture, Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, Pennsylvania, October 31, 1994.
2. Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair, Visiting Professor Lecture, Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, Pennsylvania, October 31, 1994.
3. Laparoscopic Large Incisional Hernia Repair, Visiting Professor Lecture, Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, Pennsylvania, October 31, 1994.
4. Presentation and Demonstration of Laparoscopic Inguinal Herniorrhaphy and Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy as Visiting Professor, Peoples Friendship University Hospital, Moscow, Russia, May 15, 1995.
5. Approach to the Common Bile Duct Stone in the Laparoscopic Era. Surgical Grand Rounds, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, June 26, 1996. (As Visiting Professor, also demonstrated Laparoscopic Splenectomy by the Lateral Approach). November 27, 1995.
6. Incisional herniorrhaphy. Visiting Professor Surgical Grand Rounds. Thomas Jefferson University Philadelphia, PA. March 18, 1999.
7. Visiting Professor, University of Louisville. Demonstrated: 1) Laparoscopy Heller's Cardiomyotomy with Dor fundoplication and 2) Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy Louisville, KY. May 3, 1999.
8. Advances in Solid Organ Laparoscopy. Visiting Professor Surgical Grand Rounds. University of Tennessee, Memphis, TN. May 24, 2000.
9. A New Approach to an Old Problem: Incisional Hernia. Visiting Professor Lecture. Southern Illinois University. Springfield, IL. October 12, 2000.
10. Solid Organ Laparoscopy. Surgical Grand Rounds, Southern Illinois University. Visiting Professor Lecture. Southern Illinois University. Springfield, IL. October 13, 2000.
11. Recent Advances in Solid Organ Laparoscopy. Surgical Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor Lecture. University of Minnesota. Minneapolis, MN. March 20, 2001.

- “Laparoscopic Solid Organ Surgery”. University of Shandong (sister University to U.K.). December 7, 2001; Jinan, China.
12. The Role of Laparoscopy in Surgery of the Pancreas. Visiting Professor Surgical Grand Rounds. Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine. April 18, 2002.
 13. Beyond the Robot: The Challenge of MIS. Robotics in Medicine Symposium. Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine. Richmond, Virginia. April 18, 2002.
 14. Laparoscopy in Surgery of the Pancreas. Surgical Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor. University of Louisville. Louisville, KY. December 6, 2002.
 15. Laparoscopic Repair of Ventral Hernia. Cornell University Grand Rounds Series, Visiting Professor. April 21, 2003; New York, NY.
 16. The Role of Laparoscopy in Surgery of the Pancreas. Visiting Professor Surgical Grand Rounds. State University of New York, Upstate Medical University. April 29, 2003; Syracuse, NY.
 17. Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair. Visiting Professor for the Resident Research Recognition Day. Fairview Hospital. Cleveland Clinic Foundation. June 6, 2003; Cleveland, Ohio.
 18. New Vistas in Surgical Education. Visiting Professor Surgical Grand Rounds. Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center. October 1, 2003; Lebanon, NH.
 19. Frontiers in Surgery: Techniques, Technology & Tendonitis. Radiology Grand Rounds, University of Maryland. March 10, 2004; Baltimore, MD.
 20. Update on Laparoscopic Colon Surgery. Visiting Professor Surgical Grand Rounds. St. Agnes HealthCare. October 27, 2004; Baltimore, MD.
 21. OR of the Future. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. Mercy Hospital. December 8, 2004; Baltimore, MD
 22. Update on Colectomy. Visiting Professor Surgical Grand Rounds. Northwest Hospital. February 2, 2005; Baltimore, MD.
 23. Update in Minimally Invasive G.I. Surgery. Visiting Professor. Chiang Mai University. February 16, 2005; Chiang Mai, Thailand.
 24. GERD – the burning issues. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. Ramathibodi Hospital, Mahidol University. February 18, 2005; Bangkok, Thailand.
 25. Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. Medical College of Georgia. April 25, 2005; Augusta, Georgia.

26. “Skills Training in Surgical Programs – Imperative or a waste of time”. Safe Surgery Sydney06, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. May 16, 2005; Sydney, Australia.
27. Laparoscopic Pancreas Surgery. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. University of Missouri-Columbia. June 15, 2005; Columbia, MO.
28. The Role of Laparoscopy in Surgery of the Pancreas. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. North Shore Long Island Jewish Medical Center. December 15, 2005; New Hyde Park, NY.
29. “Update on treatment of GERD”. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. New York University School of Medicine. May 3, 2006; New York, NY.
30. “The Operating Room of the Future: A Surgeon’s Perspective”. United States Army’s 28th Annual Meeting of Surgeons (keynote address). May 10, 2006; Silver Spring, MD.
31. “Training Surgeon’s for the Operating Room of The Future”. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. University of Ottawa. June 28, 2006; Ottawa, Canada.
32. “Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair”. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. University of Ottawa. June 28, 2006; Ottawa, Canada.
33. “The Operating Room of the Future”. Visiting Professor Grand Rounds. The Montreal General Hospital. September 28, 2006; Montreal, Canada.
34. “The Operating Room of the Future”. Surgical Grand Rounds. University of Maryland. October 26, 2006; Baltimore, Maryland.
35. “The Operating Room of the Future”. Surgical Grand Rounds. Department of Surgery at The George Washington University Hospital. January 31, 2007; Washington, DC.
36. “The Operating Room of the Future”. Surgical Grand Rounds. WellSpan Health at York Hospital. February 9, 2007; York, PA.
37. “Working in and Training for the OR of the Future”. Reinsch Endowed Lectureship Grand Rounds, University of California, Davis. June 29, 2007; Sacramento, CA.
38. “MIS Pancreas Surgery”. Reinsch Endowed Lectureship, University of California, Davis. June 29, 2007; Sacramento, CA.
39. “Where are we with surgical simulation and why should you care?” Surgical Grand Rounds. University of Maryland. May 15, 2008; Baltimore, Maryland.

40. "Is NOTES Nuts?". Visiting Professor, Grand Rounds, University of British Columbia Department of Surgery. June 17, 2009. Vancouver, BC.
41. "Surgery in the 21st Century Demands new Research and practice Focus". Annual Residents' Research Conference 2009. McMaster University, Department of Surgery. November 10-11, 2009; Hamilton Ontario, Canada.
42. "Update on Incisional Hernia Repair". Visiting Professor, University of Nairobi and Kenya Hospital. December 2, 2009; Nairobi, Kenya.
43. "Anatomy and Hernias of the Abdominal Wall". Visiting Professor, Kikuyu Hospital. December 7, 2009; Kikuyu, Kenya.
44. "Update on Treatment of GERD". Visiting Professor, University of Nairobi, Department of Surgery. February 16, 2010, Nairobi, Kenya.
45. "Foregut Hernia Surgery". Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor, Inova Fairfax Hospital. March 3, 2010; Falls Church, VA.
46. "Is the Surgeon Safe?" Visiting Professor, "Zane Cohen Lecture", Mount Sinai Hospital. September 23, 2010. Toronto, Canada.
47. "Surgical Simulation: Are we there yet?!" Visiting Professor," Gerald Ujiki, MD Lectureship" Northwestern University Department of Surgery. October 21, 2010; Chicago, Illinois.
48. "Surgeon Health and Well Being" Visiting Professor, "2011 Lloyd M. Nyhus Memorial Lecture" University of Illinois Chicago. July 20, 2011; Chicago, Illinois.
49. "Is the Surgeon Safe?" Visiting Professor, Banner Good Samaritan Medical Center, December 20, 2012; Phoenix, AZ.
50. "When Surgeons Serve..." Visiting Professor, Rochester Marriot Mayo Clinic, April 28-30, 2013.
51. "The Operating Room of the Future: The Surgeon's Workspace", Children's National Medical Center, January 11, 2013; Washington, DC.
52. "Is the Surgeon Safe?" Visiting Professor, Florida Hospital Orlando, September 27, 2013; Orlando, FL.
53. "Is the Surgeon Safe?" Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor, Abington Memorial Hospital, February 12, 2015, Abington, PA.
54. "Is the Surgeon Safe?" Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor, Oregon Health & Science University, March 16, 2015, Portland, OR.

55. Richard Heitmiller Lectureship in Surgery “Is the Surgeon Safe?” Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor, MedStar Union Memorial Hospital, November 6, 2015, Baltimore, MD.
56. “Is the Surgeon Safe?” Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor, Cleveland Clinic, January 27, 2016, Cleveland, OH.
57. “When Surgeons Serve.” Grand Rounds Visiting Professor, Cleveland Clinic, January 27, 2016, Cleveland, OH.
58. “Is the Surgeon Safe?” Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor, University of Massachusetts Medical School, April 19, 2017, Worcester, MA.
59. “Toward Surgeon Well Being” 37th Annual Shirey MD Memorial Lecture, WellSpan York Hospital, Surgical Services Administration, July 19, 2019, York, PA.
60. “Surgical Visualization – an Evolution” UB RIS2E2 Innovation and Entrepreneurship Lecture Series. Monthly Innovation Lecture Series, University at Buffalo – Department of Surgery, May 9, 2019, Buffalo, NY.
61. “The Healthy Surgeon.” Grand Rounds, Visiting Professor, University of Tennessee Medical Center, November 7, 2019, Knoxville, TN.
62. “Toward Surgeon Well Being.” Grand Rounds, University of Miami, Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine, Miami, FL, February 27, 2020.
63. “Global Surgery” Virtual Grand Rounds. Geisinger Surgery Institute, Danville, PA. December 9, 2020.
64. “Is the Surgeon Safe? – Looking After #1.” Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee (Virtual), November 19, 2021.
65. “When Surgeons Serve” – Grand Rounds, Anne Arundel Medical Center (Luminis Health), Annapolis, Maryland. March 10, 2023.

Invited Lectureships

1. "Laparoscopic Surgery Review". Family Practice Grand Rounds, St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, Ontario, January 21, 1994.
2. "Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair". Advanced Laparoscopic Procedural Symposium, Hamilton, Ontario, June 22, 1994.
3. "Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair". Advanced Laparoscopic Procedural Symposium, Hamilton, Ontario, June 22, 1994.

4. "Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy in Conn's Syndrome". Regional Nephrology Rounds, St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, Ontario, January 13, 1995.
5. "Laparoscopic Splenectomy in the Immunocompromised Patient". Medical Grand Rounds, St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, Ontario, January 18, 1995.
6. "Development and Experience with the Lateral Approach to Laparoscopic Splenectomy". Advanced Laparoscopic Procedural Symposium, Oakville, Ontario, June 13, 1995.
7. "The Technique of Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair". Evening of Clinical Discussion, Baltimore, Maryland, November 6, 1995.
8. "Inguinal Herniorrhaphy in the Laparoscopic Era". Surgical Visions Symposium, Cincinnati, Ohio, November 27, 1995.
9. "Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy". Surgical Visions Symposium, Cincinnati, Ohio, November 27, 1995.
10. "Laparoscopic Splenectomy". Surgical Visions Symposium, Cincinnati, Ohio, November 27, 1995.
11. "Review of Hamilton Experience with Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair". Santa Clara County Surgical Society, San Jose, California, January 12, 1996.
12. "Review of Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair". Surgical Visions Symposium, Cincinnati, Ohio, January 29, 1996.
13. "Technique and Experience with Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy". Surgical Visions Symposium, Cincinnati, Ohio, January 29, 1996.
14. "Review of Experience with Lateral Approach to Laparoscopic Splenectomy". Surgical Visions Symposium, Cincinnati, Ohio, January 29, 1996.
15. "Insulinoma". Surgical Grand Rounds, McMaster University Medical Centre, Hamilton, Ontario, April 3, 1996.
16. "Ventral Hernia Repair: Biomaterials and the Healing Process". Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery Workshop, The Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, Ohio, April 19, 1996.
17. "Techniques of Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair". Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery Workshop, The Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, Ohio, April 19, 1996.
18. "Evaluation of Biomaterials in Hernia Repair. Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery Workshop". The Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, Ohio, September 26, 1996.

19. "Hamilton Experience with Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair". Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery Workshop, The Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, Ohio, September 26, 1996.
20. "Laparoscopic Surgery - Here to Stay?" Second Egyptian International Congress on Laparoscopic Surgery, Cairo, Egypt, November 21, 1996. (keynote address)
21. "Application of the Harmonic Scalpel to Routine and Advanced Laparoscopic Procedures". Surgical Visions Symposium, Cincinnati, Ohio, January 13, 1997.
22. "Laparoscopic Versus Open Incisional Hernia Repair - A Retrospective Study". European Institute for Telesurgery Seminar, Strasbourg, France, March 21-22, 1997.
23. "The Role of Laparoscopy in G.I. Disease", Kentucky Tennessee G.I. Symposium. Lexington, Kentucky. Aug 29-31, 1997.
24. "Open vs. Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair". American College of Surgeons - Kentucky Chapter. Louisville, Kentucky. Sept. 16, 1997.
25. "Laparoscopic Solid Organ Surgery". American College of Surgeons - Kentucky Chapter. Louisville, Kentucky. Sept. 16, 1997.
26. "Laparoscopic Surgery-Past Present and Future" University of Kentucky Medical Grand Rounds. Nov 26, 1997
27. "Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy - A Comparison Study". American College of Surgeons - Kentucky Chapter. Lexington, Kentucky March 12-14, 1998.
28. "Indications for a Retrograde Approach to the Common Bile Duct". Symposium - Common Bile Duct Stones: Detection and Treatment in the Era of Minimally Invasive Surgery. Seattle, Washington. April 4 - 5. 1998.
29. "Laparoscopic vs. Open Incisional herniorrhaphy", Symposium on Laparoscopic Approach to Abdominal Wall Defects. Memphis, TN, May 8, 1998.
30. "MIS in the Elderly", Fifteenth Annual Summer Series on Aging, Lexington, KY, June 29, 1998.
31. "Whither MIS: Laudable Technique or Worthy Discipline"? Current Problems in General Surgery, Louisville, KY Oct. 9, 1998.
32. "Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery". Advanced course in Laparoscopic Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Surgery. IRCAD-EITS, Strasbourg, France Nov. 13-14, 1998.
33. "Minimally Invasive Therapies for Pancreatic Pseudocysts". IRCAD-EITS, Strasbourg, France Nov. 13-14, 1998.

34. “Advances in MIS Technology”. Third Egyptian International and First Arab International Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. Nov. 23-26, 1998, Cairo, Egypt.
35. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy - Series Update”. Third Egyptian International and First Arab International Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. Nov. 23-26, 1998, Cairo, Egypt.
36. “Laparoscopic vs. Open Ventral/Incisional Hernia Repair”. Course on Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair. Carolinas Medical Center. Feb. 5, 1999; Charlotte, NC.
37. “Update on Minimally Invasive Surgery 30th Annual Family Medicine Review”. Feb. 24, 1999, Lexington, KY.
38. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy: The Lateral Approach. Laparoscopic Solid Organ Surgery: How, What, When and Why?” March 24, 1999 (SAGES) San Antonio, TX.
39. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair. Incisional/Ventral Hernia Symposium”. Carolinas Medical Center. April 16, 1999; Charlotte, NC.
40. “Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy”. Laparoscopic Solid Organ Symposium. Carolinas Medical Center. April 17, 1999; Charlotte, NC.
41. “Five Year Experience with Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy”. Invited Lecture. American College of Surgeons - Minnesota Chapter Annual meeting. April 24, 1999; St. Paul, MN.
42. “Laparoscopic Donor Nephrectomy”. Troisieme Congres International de Coelio - Chirurgie. May 19-21, 1999; Tunis, Tunisia.
43. “Update on Laparoscopic Splenectomy”. Troisieme Congres International de Coelio - Chirurgie. May 19-21, 1999; Tunis, Tunisia.
44. “Laparoscopic Surgery of the Pancreas”. Troisieme Congres International de Coelio - Chirurgie. May 19-21, 1999; Tunis, Tunisia.
45. “Update on Minimally Invasive Surgery”. 30th Annual Family Medicine Review. May 26, 1999; Lexington, KY.
46. “Update on G.I. Minimally Invasive Surgery”. American College of Gastroenterology Regional Post Graduate Course. June 12-13, 1999; Louisville, KY.
47. “Minimally Invasive Surgery for GI Disease”. 7th Annual SGNA Multi-Regional Conference. September 24-25, 1999; Lexington, KY.

48. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy and strategies for the Management of the Big Spleen: When Do the Benefits of Laparoscopic Splenectomy Diminish?” Minimal Access Surgery: Difficult Problems. Postgraduate course, American College of Surgeons. Oct. 12-13, 1999; San Francisco, CA.
49. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy: A Round Table Discussion.” Contemporary Surgery Symposium. Oct. 13, 1999; San Francisco, CA.
50. “Advances in Minimally Invasive Surgery”. Annual Family Review, Nov. 10, 1999; Lexington, KY.
51. “Techniques of Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair.” (Course Director) Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Course. Nov. 12, 1999; Lexington, KY.
52. “Minimally Invasive Surgery for Non Colonic GI Cancer”. Symposium on Advances in Minimally Invasive GI Cancer Therapy. Nov. 12, 1999; Lexington, KY.
53. “Biomaterials in Abdominal Wall Reconstruction”. Ventral Hernia Symposium. Nov. 19, 1999; Charlotte, N.C.
54. “Technique and Results of Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair”. Laparoscopic Incisional/Ventral Hernia Symposium. Mt. Sinai Medical Center. Dec. 3, 1999; New York, NY.
55. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy - Surgical Techniques”. Symposium on Splenic Surgery. Carolinas Medical Center. Dec. 9, 1999; Charlotte, NC.
56. “Management of Incisional and Inguinal Hernias”. KENYA 2000: 21st International Conference Continuing Medical and Dental Education. Feb. 10-17, 2000; Nairobi Kenya.
57. “Surgical Approaches to Disorders of the Spleen”. KENYA 2000: 21st International Conference Continuing Medical and Dental Education. Feb. 10-17, 2000; Nairobi Kenya.
58. “Diagnosis and Treatment of Surgical Diseases of the Adrenal Gland”. KENYA 2000: 21st International Conference Continuing Medical and Dental Education. Feb. 10-17, 2000; Nairobi, Kenya.
59. “Management of Gall Bladder and Common Bile Duct Stone”. KENYA 2000: 21st International Conference Continuing Medical and Dental Education. Feb. 10-17, 2000; Nairobi, Kenya.
60. “Minimally Invasive Surgery Education: New Challenges and Technologies”. University of Kentucky Center for Excellence in Medical Education Grand Rounds. March 6, 2000; Lexington, KY.

61. “Applications of Minimally Invasive Surgery: Current and Future”. Minimally Invasive Surgery Nursing - Meeting Perioperative Challenges in the Millennium. March 19-20, 2000; Lexington, KY.
62. “Solid Organ Laparoscopy - An Overview. Innovations in General Surgery”. March 20-25, 2000; Lake Buena Vista, FL.
63. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy - the Technique”. Emory University Ventral Incisional Hernia Symposium. March 28, 2000; Atlanta, GA.
64. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia: Experience to Date”. Hernia: Current Controversies (SAGES) April 1, 2000; Atlanta, GA.
65. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy- The Data”. University of Kentucky Symposium on Ventral Incisional Hernias. April 14, 2000; Lexington, KY.
66. “Current and Future Applications of Minimally Invasive Surgery”. University of Kentucky MIS Nursing Conference. May 19-20, 2000; Lexington, KY.
67. “Indications et resultants des cures d'evantration sous laparoscopie”. Video-Forum de Chirurgie Digestive. May 29-30, 2000; Toulouse, France.
68. Co-Chairman, First Annual MIS Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. September 14-16, 2000; Flagstaff, AZ.
69. “Laparoscopic Ventral/Incisional Hernia Repair - Technique and Results”. First Annual MIS Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. September 14-16, 2000; Flagstaff, AZ.
70. “Team building in MIS”. First Annual MIS Fellowship Fundamental Conference. September 14-16, 2000; Flagstaff, AZ.
71. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Kentucky Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. September 19, 2000; Louisville, KY.
72. “Minimally Invasive Surgery of Solid Organs - an Update”. Hardin Memorial Hospital Grand Rounds - September 23, 2000; Elizabethtown, KY.
73. “Laparoscopic Surgery of the Spleen”. Session Co-Chair, World Congress of High Tech. Medicine. October 18, 2000: Hanover, Germany.
74. “Laparoscopic Nissen Fundoplication” - Chair Telesurgical Session. American College of Surgeons - Exhibition Hall. October 23, 2000; Chicago, IL.
75. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy - Technique and Results”. American College of Surgeons - Exhibition Hall. October 25, 2000; Chicago, IL.

76. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia – Techniques”. UK Center for MIS Symposium on Ventral Hernia. November 3, 2000; Lexington, KY.
77. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia - Technique and Outcomes”. Carolinas Medical Center Ventral Hernia Course. November 10, 2000. Charlotte, NC.
78. “What's New in G.I. Cancer? Minimally Invasive Treatment Options for Invasive Disease”. (Program Chair) November 17, 2000; Lexington, KY.
79. “Indications and Limitations of Laparoscopic Splenectomy”. CMAS Solid Organ Symposium. December 1, 2000; Hamilton, ON.
80. “Laparoscopic Distal Pancreatectomy”. CMAS Solid Organ Symposium. December 1, 2000; Hamilton, ON.
81. “Incisional Herniorrhaphy - The Laparoscopic Option “. Annual Controversies in Surgery (Montefiore) conference. December 8, 2000; New York, NY.
82. “Technique of Laparoscopic Ventral Herniorrhaphy”. Mt. Sinai Hernia symposium (via telemedicine) December 15, 2000; New York, NY.
83. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy – Techniques”. Carolinas Medical Center. Ventral Hernia Symposium. January 19, 2001; Charlotte, NC.
84. “Minimally Invasive Approaches to Esophogastric Cancer”. The Ohio State University Advances in General Surgery 2001 Conference. Feb 2-4, 2001; Captiva Island, FL.
85. “New Approaches to Ventral Herniorrhaphy”. The Ohio State University Advances in General Surgery 2001 Conference. Feb 2-4, 2001; Captiva Island, FL.
86. “Gall Bladder and Bile Duct Stone Disease”. Thailand 2001: 22nd International Conference in CMDE. February 19 – March 1, 2001; Chiang Mai, Thailand.
87. “Surgical Management of Disorders of the Spleen”. Thailand 2001: 22nd International Conference in CMDE. February 19 – March 1, 2001; Chiang Mai, Thailand.
88. “Inguinal and Incisional Hernias and Herniorrhaphy”. Thailand 2001: 22nd International Conference in CMDE. February 19 – March 1, 2001; Chiang Mai, Thailand.
89. “The Effectiveness of Communication Technology on Surgical Education”. SAGES Education Lunch Symposium. April 20, 2001, St. Louis, Missouri.
90. “Advances in Minimally Invasive Surgery”. Central Kentucky A.O.R.N. Chapter Meeting. April 23, 2001; Lexington, Kentucky.
91. “Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair”. MUSC Postgraduate Course on Surgery. April 25 – 27, 2001; Charleston, South Carolina.

92. “Laparoscopic Colon Surgery”. MUSC Postgraduate Course on Surgery. April 25 –27, 2001; Charleston, South Carolina.
93. “Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery”. MUSC Postgraduate Course on Surgery. April 25 – 27, 2001; Charleston, South Carolina.
94. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy: Outcomes”. Yale University Hernia Symposium. May 9, 2001; Broadcast via Telemedicine from Lexington, Kentucky.
95. “The Challenge of Teaching, Training and Establishing Competencies in New Surgical Techniques”. Catholic Risk Management Forum Annual Conference. May 17 – 19, 2001; Tampa, Florida.
96. “A New Approach to an Old Problem: Ventral Hernia”. University of Pittsburgh Hernia Symposium. June 16, 2001; Pittsburgh, PA.
97. “Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair: Techniques and Outcomes”. Mt. Sinai Hernia Symposium. June 21, 2001; New York, NY.
98. “Metrics for Objective Assessment of Surgical Skills Workshop: Developing Quantitative Measurements through Surgical Simulation”. Invited Participant. July 9-10, 2001; Scottsdale, AZ.
99. “Second Annual MIS Fellowship Fundamentals Conference”. Co-Chairman. August 23-25, 2001; Sedona, AZ.
100. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy: Techniques & Outcomes”. University of Kentucky Hernia Symposium. September 14, 2001; Lexington, Kentucky.
101. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy: Minimal Access Surgery-Solid Organ Surgery Update”. Post Graduate Course. American College of Surgeons. October 8-11, 2001; New Orleans, LA.
102. “Laparoscopic Ventral Herniorrhaphy”. American College of Surgeons Exhibition Hall. October 9, 2001; New Orleans, LA.
103. “Laparoscopic Nissen Fundoplication – Live Telesurgery”. American College of Surgeons Exhibition Hall. October 11, 2001; New Orleans, LA.
104. “Update on Incisional Herniorrhaphy”. Advanced Course in Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair. October 19-20, 2001; South Hampton, NY.
105. “Laparoscopic Ventral Herniorrhaphy: Potential Pitfalls/Suggested Solutions: Potential Pitfalls/Suggested Solutions”. Advanced Course in Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair. October 19-20, 2001; South Hampton, NY.

106. Panelist: Clinical Roundtable Introductory Remarks and Questions/Answers. Telehealth in Kentucky Conference. November 7, 2001; Frankfort, KY.
107. “Advanced Surgical Devices”. O.R. of the Future – A Strategy Development Forum. November 8 & 9, 2001; Baltimore, MD.
108. “Trends and Trials in Minimally Invasive Surgery” Charlotte Surgical Society. November 15, 2001; Charlotte, NC.
109. “Outcomes of Laparoscopic Ventral Herniorrhaphy” Mt.Sinai Incisional/Ventral Hernia Conference. (via teleconference) November 29, 2001; NY, NY.
110. “The Surgical Treatment of GERD”. 3rd Annual MIS Symposium – GERD: The Burning Issues. November 30, 2001; Lexington, KY
111. 3rd Annual MIS Symposium – GERD: The Burning Issues. Conference Organizer and Co-chair. November 30, 2001; Lexington KY
112. “New Vistas in Minimally Invasive Surgery”. National University of Singapore. December 3, 2001; Singapore.
113. “Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair – an Update”. Laparoscopic Surgery Symposium. Second Medical University of Shanghai. Ruijin Hospital. December 6, 2001; Shanghai, China.
114. “Pathophysiology and Surgical Treatment of GERD” Laparoscopic Surgery Symposium. Second Medical University of Shanghai. Ruijin Hospital. December 6, 2001; Shanghai, China.
115. Demonstrated Laparoscopic Inguinal Herniorrhaphy and Laparoscopic Nissen Fundoplication. Laparoscopic Surgery Symposium. Second Medical University of Shanghai. Ruijin Hospital. December 6, 2001; Shanghai, China.
116. “Laparoscopic Incisional/Ventral Herniorrhaphy”. University of Kentucky Center for MIS Hernia Symposium. December 14, 2001: Lexington, KY.
117. “Results and Outcomes of Laparoscopic Repair of Recurrent Incisional Hernias”. Carolinas Medical Center Ventral Hernia Course. January 18, 2002: Charlotte, NC.
118. “Laparoscopic Distal Pancreatectomy”. Center for Minimal Access Surgery Course on Solid Organ Laparoscopy. January 25, 2002; Hamilton, Ontario Canada.
119. Demonstrated Laparoscopic (Right) Adrenalectomy (via telesurgery). Center for Minimal Access Surgery Course on Solid Organ Laparoscopy. January 25, 2002; Hamilton, Ontario Canada.

120. Demonstrated Laparoscopic Nissen Fundoplication (via telesurgery). Southeastern Surgical Congress, Post Graduate Course. February 1, 2002; Nashville, TN.
121. “New Directions in MIS”. Center for Integration of Medicine and Innovative Technology (CIMIT)/Massachusetts General Hospital Forum. February 5, 2002; Boston, MA
122. “Principles of Minimally Invasive Surgery”. 23rd International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 11-21, 2002; Nairobi, Kenya.
123. “Update on the Treatment of GERD”. 23rd International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 11-21, 2002; Nairobi, Kenya.
124. “Laparoscopic Surgery of the Colon”. 23rd International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 11-21, 2002; Nairobi, Kenya.
125. “Techniques and Results to Date”. Mt. Sinai Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair Workshop”. March 11, 2002; New York, NY.
126. “Outcomes and Complications of Ventral Hernia Repair”. SAGES/Suny Downstate Medical Center Course on Laparoscopic Inguinal and Ventral Hernia Repair. March 12, 2002; New York, NY.
127. “Laparoscopic Approach to Incisional Hernia”. Advanced Course in Laparoscopic Hernia Repair. IRCAD/EITS. April 26-27, 2002; Strasbourg, France.
128. “Progress in Hernia Repair Parts I & II” Session Chair. Advanced Course in Laparoscopic Hernia Repair. IRCAD/EITS. April 26-27, 2002; Strasbourg, France.
129. “Live Surgery Demonstration – Inguinal Hernia Repair” Chairman. Advanced Course in Laparoscopic Hernia Repair. IRCAD/EITS. April 26-27, 2002; Strasbourg, France.
130. “New Developments in Laparoscopic Colorectal Surgery”. Association Des Chirurgiens Generaux Du Quebec 33 Congres Annuel. May 23-25, 2002; Montreal, Quebec.
131. “New Vistas in Minimally Invasive Surgery”. (keynote address) Association Des Chirurgiens Generaux Du Quebec 33 Congres Annuel. May 23-25, 2002; Montreal, Quebec.
132. “Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair”. The Great Hernia Debate. (keynote address) Portland Surgical Society-55th Annual Meeting. Providence St. Vincent Medical Center. May 31, 2002; Portland, Oregon.
133. “Advances in Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy”. Tan Toch Seng Hospital Hernia Symposium. July 5-6, 2002; Singapore.

134. “Advances in Biomaterials for Ventral Herniorrhaphy”. Tan Toch Seng Hospital Hernia Symposium. July 5-6, 2002; Singapore.
135. “The Challenging Ventral Hernia”. Advanced LVH – an Evening of Clinical Discussion. August 1, 2002; Louisville, Kentucky.
136. Third Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Conference: Indications & Outcome”. Co-Chairman. August 22-24, 2002; Phoenix, Arizona.
137. “The Role of Laparoscopy in Surgery of the Pancreas”. Department of Surgery 2002 Grand Rounds University of Kentucky. September 11, 2002; Lexington, Kentucky.
138. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy: Outcomes & Biomaterial”. Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy Course. September 21, 2002; Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto, Ontario.
139. “Techniques and Outcomes”. University of Kentucky Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy Workshop. September 27, 2002; Lexington, Kentucky.
140. “Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia” Live Telesurgery. University of Kentucky Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy Workshop. September 27, 2002; Lexington, Kentucky.
141. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy: Approaches, Pearls, and Pitfalls”. Minimal Access Surgery Solid Organ Postgraduate Course. American College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress. October 9, 2002; San Francisco, CA.
142. “Ventral Hernia A Fresh Look at a Familiar Problem”. Chair, SAGES/SSAT Joint Symposium. American College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress. October 9, 2002; San Francisco, CA.
143. “Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery”. Duke Endosurgery. Laparoscopic Solid Organ Surgery Course. October 19, 2002; Asheville, NC.
144. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy Tips and Techniques”. Duke Endosurgery. Laparoscopic Solid Organ Surgery Course. October 19, 2002; Asheville, NC.
145. “Using Simulations in Surgical Resident Education”. Association of American Medical Colleges. November 12, 2002; San Francisco, CA.
146. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy for ITP”. 2002 Update Course in Minimally Invasive Surgery. St. Michael’s Hospital. November 15, 2002; Toronto, Canada.
147. “Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair”. Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada Lecture (keynote address). November 15, 2002; Toronto, Canada.

148. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. (Course Director) University of Kentucky Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy Workshop. November 22, 2002; Lexington, Kentucky.
149. “What’s New in the Surgical Rx of IBD Patient?” 4th Annual MIS Symposium – Inroads in Inflammatory Bowel Disease: Surgical and Medical Advances in the Management of Crohn’s Disease and Ulcerative Colitis. December 13, 2002; Lexington, Kentucky.
150. 4th Annual MIS Symposium – Inroads in Inflammatory Bowel Disease: Surgical and Medical Advances in the Management of Crohn’s Disease and Ulcerative Colitis. Conference Organizer and Co-chair. December 13, 2002; Lexington, Kentucky.
151. “Solid Organs: Spleen and Adrenal”. Difficult Problems and Complication of Laparoscopy and Endoscopy. Southeastern Surgical Congress, Post Graduate Course. February 8, 2003; Savannah, Georgia.
152. “Principles of Laparoscopy/Getting Started”. 24th International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 17-27, 2003; Thailand.
153. “New Directions in Surgery Training: Tech & Turf”. 24th International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 17-27, 2003; Thailand.
154. “GE Reflux Update – burning issues”. 24th International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 17-27, 2003; Thailand.
155. “Laparoscopic Colon Surgery”. 24th International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 17-27, 2003; Thailand.
156. “Hernia” SAGES unedited video session: complications in laparoscopic. SAGES and IPEG. March 10-15, 2003; Los Angeles, CA.
157. SAGES Postgraduate Course – Laparoscopic Hernia. Course Chair. SAGES and IPEG. March 10-15, 2003; Los Angeles, CA.
158. “Update and Outcomes: Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. HMS Belfast - an Evening of Clinical Discussion. June 19-21, 2003; London, United Kingdom.
159. “Fourth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference”. Co-Chairman. August 21-24, 2003; Flagstaff, AZ.
160. “Minimally Invasive Surgery: The view from 30,000 feet”. Fourth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 21-24, 2003; Flagstaff, AZ.
161. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Fourth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 21-24, 2003; Flagstaff, AZ.

162. “Reviewing A Manuscript Can Be Fun And Enlightening (and reduces cavities)”. Fourth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 21-24, 2003; Flagstaff, AZ.
163. “Everything you every wanted to know about a successful Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship”. Fourth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 21-24, 2003; Flagstaff, AZ.
164. Thirteenth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference”. Co-Chairman. August 22-26, 2012; Sedona, AZ.
165. “When Surgeons Serve”. Thirteenth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 22-26, 2003; Sedona, AZ.
166. “Negotiating Your Contract – When to Hold & When to Fold!” Thirteenth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 22-26, 2012; Sedona, AZ.
167. “Techniques and Outcomes of Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy”. Carolinas Laparoscopic Ventral And Advanced Surgery Program. September 12, 2003: Charlotte, NC.
168. “Bio-Material in Ventral Herniorrhaphy”. Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy Course. September 13, 2003; Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto, Ontario.
169. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: update & outcomes ”. Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy Course. September 13, 2003; Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto, Ontario.
170. “Managing Complications of Incisional Hernia Repair”. Minimal Access Surgery Post Graduate Course. American College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress. October 22, 2003; Chicago, IL.
171. “They also serve...Medical Ministry Opportunities Where You Least Expect to Find Them”. Global Missions Health Conference. November 8, 2003; Louisville, KY.
172. Surgical Simulation – Systems, Assessment & Validation: Panel Discussion: Surgical Simulation Conference Summary. The 12th Annual Medicine Meets Virtual Reality Conference. January 14-17, 2004; Newport Beach, CA.
173. Annual Scientific Meeting – Gold Medal Forum Paper (Discussant). Southeastern Surgical Congress. January 31-February 3, 2004; Atlanta, Georgia.
174. “Reoperative Inguinal Hernia”. Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair course: Facts and Figures: Reoperative Surgery. 9th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. February 2-7, 2004; Cancun, Mexico.

175. “Options in Prosthetic Titanium PPM Mesh”. Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair course Surgery. 9th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. February 2-7, 2004; Cancun, Mexico.
176. “Ventral Hernia Repair in the Morbidly Obese”. Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair course Surgery. 9th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. February 2-7, 2004; Cancun, Mexico.
177. “Are we any closer to a consensus?” Advanced LVH – an Evening of Clinical Discussion. March 11, 2004; Baltimore, Maryland.
178. “Who is The MISFC Council and Why Should You Care? Brief History of MISFC”. Primer on establishing and running a MIS/GI Fellowship program. SAGES 2004 Scientific Session & Postgraduate Courses. March 31 - April 3, 2004; Denver, Colorado.
179. “Laparoscopic Approaches to Pancreatic Tumors”. Minimally Invasive Surgery in HPB Tumors - Postgraduate Course IV. SAGES 2004 Scientific Session & Postgraduate Courses. March 31 – April 3, 2004; Denver, Colorado.
180. “Creating a MIS Journal”. SAGES Allied Health Professionals Course (Nursing). SAGES 2004 Scientific Session & Postgraduate Courses. March 31 – April 3, 2004; Denver, Colorado.
181. “The Argument for Laparoscopic Repair of Incisional Hernia”. Panel 6: Pros and Cons: Issues in General Surgery. SAGES 2004 Scientific Session & Postgraduate Courses. March 31 – April 3, 2004; Denver, Colorado.
182. “Incisional Hernia: New approach to an old problem”. University of Maryland Surgical Grand Rounds. April 8, 2004; Baltimore, Maryland.
183. “Anti-reflux surgery: the cutting edge”. Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease: Burning Issues for the PCP. University of Kentucky Symposium. April 17, 2004; Lexington, Kentucky.
184. “Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair”. Minimal Access Surgery Post Graduate Course. American College of Surgeons Spring Meeting (Teleporting). April 24, 2004; Boston, MA.
185. “Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair – TEPP (anatomy and technique)”. Centre for Minimal Access Surgery Laparoscopic Hernia & Ventral Hernia Surgery Symposium. April 30 – May 1, 2004; Hamilton, Ontario.
186. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Centre for Minimal Access Surgery Laparoscopic Hernia & Ventral Hernia Surgery Symposium. April 30 – May 1, 2004; Hamilton, Ontario.

187. “Complications of Ventral Hernia Repair”. Centre for Minimal Access Surgery Laparoscopic Hernia & Ventral Hernia Surgery Symposium. April 30 – May 1, 2004; Hamilton, Ontario.
188. “Dealing with Infected Mesh”. Centre for Minimal Access Surgery Laparoscopic Hernia & Ventral Hernia Surgery Symposium. April 30 – May 1, 2004; Hamilton, Ontario.
189. “Laparoscopic Approach to Incarcerated Hernia”. Centre for Minimal Access Surgery Laparoscopic Hernia & Ventral Hernia Surgery Symposium. April 30 – May 1, 2004; Hamilton, Ontario.
190. “Laparoscopic Ventral Repair – Why should we do it this way?”. Advanced Hernia Repair: A Surgical Symposium. May 8, 2004; Farmington, PA.
191. “Laparoscopic Repair of Ventral Hernias: The Evidence”. 57th Annual Spring Meeting. British Columbia Surgical Society. May 13-15, 2004; Kelowna, BC.
192. “Options for Bariatric Surgery”. 30th Annual Family Medicine Review Course. University of Maryland School of Medicine. June 27 – July 2, 2004; Ocean City, MD.
193. “Laparoscopic inguinal/ventral hernia” SAGES Resident Workshop. Gastrointestinal Endoscopy & Laparoscopy: An introduction for surgeons. August 12-13, 2004; Cincinnati, Ohio.
194. Fifth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. Co-Chairman. August 19-22, 2004; Flagstaff, AZ.
195. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Fifth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 19-22, 2004; Flagstaff, AZ.
196. “Changing Faces of Industry & Academic Partnership? How to make the most of industry relationships”. Fifth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 19-22, 2004; Flagstaff, AZ.
197. “Priorities and Team Building”. Fifth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 19-22, 2004; Flagstaff, AZ.
198. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: Expert Advice” Canadian Surgery Forum. September 8-9, 2004; Westin Ottawa, Ottawa.
199. “MIS Training for the Community Surgeon: How will This Happen?” Canadian Surgery Forum. September 8-9, 2004; Westin Ottawa, Ottawa.
200. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia – Live Telesurgery. 2004 Diverse Surgeons Initiative Course Part II. September 14, 2004; Cincinnati, Ohio.

201. “Developing a Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery: Lessons Learned”. Taiwan Surgical Associates Seminar. September 29-October 1, 2004; Taipei, Taiwan.
202. “Laparoscopic Fundoplication Telesurgery Moderator”. Taiwan Surgical Associates Seminar. September 29-October 1, 2004; Taipei, Taiwan.
203. “Case D: Massive Splenomegaly”. Vexing Problems in Minimally Invasive Surgery: Evidence Experience, and Innovation. American College of Surgeons 90th Annual Clinical Congress. October 10-14, 2004; New Orleans, Louisiana.
204. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: Indication and Limitations”. Ventral Hernia/Abdominal reconstruction session. American College of Surgeons 90th Annual Clinical Congress. October 10-14, 2004; New Orleans, Louisiana.
205. “The Surgeon’s Perspective”. Operating Room of the Future. American College of Surgeons 90th Annual Clinical Congress. October 10-14, 2004; New Orleans, Louisiana.
206. “Ventral Hernia: Principles of Repair”. Ventral Hernia Repair Symposium. University of Washington School of Medicine. November 5, 2004; Seattle, Washington.
207. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: Techniques & Outcomes”. Ventral Hernia Repair Symposium. University of Washington School of Medicine. November 5, 2004; Seattle, Washington.
208. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair – Techniques Update”. Laparoscopic Ventral and Incisional Herniorrhaphy Workshop. Carolinas Medical Center. December 10, 2004; Charlotte, NC.
209. American Hernia Society Scientific Session – Moderator. American Hernia Society. February 9-12, 2005; San Diego, California.
210. “Obturator/Sciatic Hernia Repair”. American Hernia Society. February 9-12, 2005; San Diego, California.
211. “Techno Tour: Scopes and Robots in Surgery”. 25th International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 14-24, 2005; Thailand.
212. “New Developments in Laparoscopic Colorectal Surgery”. 25th International Conference in Continuing Medical and Dental Education. February 14-24, 2005; Thailand.
213. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: Techniques and Outcomes”. Association of VA Surgeons 29th Annual Meeting. March 11-13, 2005; Salt Lake City, Utah.
214. Ventral Hernia Repair Pre-Meeting Symposium – Moderator. Association of VA Surgeons 29th Annual Meeting. March 11-13, 2005; Salt Lake City, Utah.

215. “Biomaterials”. Advanced Laparoscopic Skills/Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Symposium. Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences. April 1, 2005; Bethesda, Maryland.
216. “Dealing with Complications”. Advanced Laparoscopic Skills/Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Symposium. Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences. April 1, 2005; Bethesda, Maryland.
217. “Laparoscopic Fundoplication”. Advanced Laparoscopic Skills/Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Symposium. Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences. April 1, 2005; Bethesda, Maryland.
218. SAGES/Fellowship Council Symposia – Toward the Ideal Fellowship. Co-Director. SAGES. April 13-16, 2005; Fort Lauderdale, Florida.
219. “Smart Image” approach to Solid Organ Resection”. SAGES 2005 Solid Postgraduate Course. April 13-16, 2005; Fort Lauderdale, Florida.
220. “Tissue Transection and Bowel Anastomosis”. American College of Surgeons 33rd Annual Spring Meeting. April 16-29, 2005; Fort Lauderdale, Florida.
221. “Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy”. An Evening of Clinical Discussion. May 13, 2005; Perth, Australia.
222. “History & Evolution of Laparoscopic Ventral/Incisional Hernia Repair”. Laparoscopic Ventral and Incisional Hernia Workshop. May 14, 2005; Perth, Australia.
223. “Material Comparisons & Review of Literature”. Laparoscopic Ventral and Incisional Hernia Workshop. May 14, 2005; Perth, Australia.
224. “Laparoscopic techniques – a step by step approach”. Laparoscopic Ventral and Incisional Hernia Workshop. May 14, 2005; Perth, Australia.
225. “Evolution to the laparoscopic approach. Biomaterial comparison”. Safe Surgery Sydney 06, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons -Ventral & Incisional Hernia Workshop. May 17, 2005; Sydney, Australia.
226. “Laparoscopic technique – a step by step approach”. Safe Surgery Sydney06, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons -Ventral & Incisional Hernia Workshop. May 17, 2005; Sydney, Australia
227. “A Laparoscopic Approach to Abdominal Wall Defects”. Laparoscopic Incisional Herniorrhaphy - an Evening of Clinical Discussion. May 18, 2005; Melbourne, Australia.

228. “OR of the Future”. Baltimore Academy of Surgery Meeting. June 2, 2005; Lutherville, Maryland.
229. “The Operating Room of the Future: A Surgeon’s Perspective”. University of Maryland Baltimore County GI Seminar. June 3, 2005; Baltimore, Maryland.
230. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair – Why do it?” Advanced Hernia Repair: A Surgical Symposium. June 4, 2005; Farmington, PA.
231. “A Novel Method for the Creation of Gastrointestinal Anastomosis: Application of a New Device in an Animal Model”. 22nd Annual Meeting American Society for Bariatric Surgery. June 26-July 1, 2005; Orlando, Florida.
232. Sixth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. Co-Chairman. August 17-21, 2005; Flagstaff, AZ.
233. “Surgical Leadership and Team Building”. Sixth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 17-21, 2005; Flagstaff, AZ.
234. “Everything you ever wanted to know about a successful Fellowship”. Sixth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 17-21, 2005; Flagstaff, AZ.
235. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Sixth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 17-21, 2005; Flagstaff, AZ.
236. “The Operating Room of the Future”. Sixth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 17-21, 2005; Flagstaff, AZ.
237. “Hernia and the Abdominal Wall”. Clinical Correlation 1st year Gross Anatomy - University of Maryland. September 15, 2005; Baltimore, Maryland
238. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Evening of Clinical Discussion. September 16, 2005; Vancouver, BC.
239. “Results and Long-Term Outcomes”. Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair Course. Mount Sinai Minimally Invasive Surgery Center. September 23, 2005; NY, New York.
240. “General Surgery: A Look Ahead”. MIS Global Meeting, Future of MIS. October 5, 2005; Lafayette Hill, PA.
241. “Thoracoabdominal Incisional Hernia”. Abdominal Wall Hernia Symposium. American College of Surgery. October 16-20, 2005; San Francisco, CA.
242. “What’s New in Surgical Fellowship Training” (Course Director) Fellowship Council Symposium. American College of Surgery. October 16-20, 2005; San Francisco, CA.

243. Panelist: Symposium Roundtable Panel. OR of the future, Contemporary Surgery. American College of Surgery. October 16-20, 2005; San Francisco, CA.
244. “Incisional Hernia Repair: Laparoscopy or Open?” (Webcast) What’s Proven, What’s Not. American College of Surgery. October 16-20, 2005; San Francisco, CA.
245. “Update on MIS Inflammatory Bowel Disease” Advances in Inflammatory Bowel Disease: A Case-Based Approach. University of Maryland Medicine. November 18, 2005; Baltimore, MD.
246. “Innovations in Surgery”. Advances in Enabling Technologies for Surgery Workshop. The 14th Annual Medicine Meets Virtual Reality conference. January 24-27, 2006; Long Beach, California.
247. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Advanced Symposium on Laparoscopic Ventral Herniorrhaphy. January 28, 2006; Macungie, PA.
“Operating Room of the Future”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXVII. February 6-16, 2006, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
248. “GERD”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXVII. February 6-16, 2006, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
249. “Role Laparoscopy in Pancreas Surgery”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXVII. February 6-16, 2006, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
250. “Overview of Minimally Invasive GI Surgery”. Nairobi Hospital Grand Rounds. February 16, 2006, Nairobi, Kenya.
251. “Surgical Treatment of Morbid Obesity”. The HEART of the matter Overcoming the Obstacles – The roles of diabetes and obesity in cardiac disease. Baptist Heart & Vascular Institute, Central Baptist Hospital. February 25, 2006. Lexington, Kentucky.
252. “Development of an Anastomotic Device”. ASGE International Conference on Natural Orifice Translumenal Endoscopic Surgery (NOTES). March 9-11, 2006. Scottsdale, Arizona.
253. “Surgical Management of Reflux”. University of Maryland GI - Discussion: Core Curriculum Fellow's Conference. University of Maryland Medical System. March 21, 2006. Baltimore, Maryland.
254. “Surgical Treatment of GERD”. Symposium - GERD: The Burning Issues. April 7, 2006; Baltimore, Maryland
255. Symposium - GERD: The Burning Issues. Course Director. April 7, 2006; Baltimore, Maryland.

256. “New Vistas in Surgery”. Radiation Oncology Grand Rounds, University of Maryland. April 20, 2006; Baltimore, MD.
257. “Tips and tricks of Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. SAGES & IPEG 2006 Scientific Session & Postgraduate Courses. April 26-29, 2006; Dallas, Texas.
258. Minimally Invasive Surgery Session – Moderator. 28th Annual Gary P. Wratten Army Surgical Symposium. May 8-10, 2006; Silver Spring, MD.
259. 7th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. Co-Chairman. August 16-20, 2006; Sedona, AZ.
260. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. 7th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 16-20, 2006; Sedona, AZ.
261. “Natural Orifice Transluminal Endoscopic Surgery Update”. 7th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 16-20, 2006; Sedona, AZ.
262. “Elective Session: Surgeons as Educators”. 7th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 16-20, 2006; Sedona, AZ.
263. “Abdominal Wall”. Clinical Correlation 1st year Gross Anatomy - University of Maryland. September 20, 2006; Baltimore, Maryland.
264. “Laparoscopic Surgery of the Pancreas”. McGill University. September 27, 2006; Montreal, Canada.
265. “General Surgery”. Modeling, Simulation, and Virtual Reality: What’s Proven, What’s Not. American College of Surgery 92nd Annual Clinical Congress. October 8-12, 2006; Chicago, IL.
266. “Technical Tips for Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair”. The Hernia Course (parts I & II). American College of Surgery 92nd Annual Clinical Congress. October 8-12, 2006; Chicago, IL.
267. “Communicating Between the Operating Room and the Outside World”. Designing Your Operating Room: What You Need to Know. American College of Surgery 92nd Annual Clinical Congress. October 8-12, 2006; Chicago, IL.
268. “Management of Complex Ventral & Incisional Hernias”. Advanced Hernia Repair Symposium. October 28, 2006; Boston, MA.
269. Hernia Repair Course - Moderator. Advanced Hernia Repair Symposium. October 28, 2006; Boston, MA.

270. “Training in Endoscopic surgery”. XXVI National Congress of Surgery. Spanish Association of Surgeons. November 6-10, 2006; Madrid, Spain.
271. Pre-congress Course, Endoscopic Surgery “Video Symposium: How do I do it?” Session Chairman. XXVI National Congress of Surgery. Spanish Association of Surgeons. November 6-10, 2006; Madrid, Spain
272. Round Table – Controversies in Esophagogastric Surgery Session Chair. XXVI National Congress of Surgery. Spanish Association of Surgeons. November 6-10, 2006; Madrid, Spain.
273. “North American Experience”. Laparoscopic Colonic Surgery. 77th Argentine Congress of Surgery. November 16-19, 2006; Buenos Aires, Argentina.
274. “Laparoscopic Splenectomy”. Laparoscopic Surgery of the Spleen, Kidney and Adrenal Glands. 77th Argentine Congress of Surgery. November 16-19, 2006; Buenos Aires, Argentina.
275. “Lap Distal Pancreatectomy”. Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary Surgery. 77th Argentine Congress of Surgery. November 16-19, 2006; Buenos Aires, Argentina.
276. “Laparoscopic Treatment”. Laparoscopic Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux. 77th Argentine Congress of Surgery. November 16-19, 2006; Buenos Aires, Argentina.
277. “Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery”. Selected Topics in Surgery Symposium. Lutheran Medical Center. November 30-December 1, 2006; Manhattan, New York.
278. “Operating Room of the Future”. Annual Surgical Symposium at the College of Medicine, King Saud University & King Khalid University Hospital. February 17-18, 2007; Saudi Arabia.
279. “An Update on Laparoscopic Pancreatic Surgery”. Annual Surgical Symposium at the College of Medicine, King Saud University & King Khalid University Hospital. February 17-18, 2007; Saudi Arabia.
280. “An Update on GERD”. Annual Surgical Symposium at the College of Medicine, King Saud University & King Khalid University Hospital. February 17-18, 2007; Saudi Arabia.
281. “Surgical Simulation and Rehearsal”. Christian Medical and Dental Association Education Conference XXVIII. February 26-March 8, 2007; Chiang Mai, Thailand.
282. “Update on Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease”. Christian Medical and Dental Association Education Conference XXVIII. February 26-March 8, 2007; Chiang Mai, Thailand.

283. "Surgical Education" Christian Medical and Dental Association Education Conference XXVIII. February 26-March 8, 2007; Chiang Mai, Thailand.
284. "OR of the Future". Medical and Dental Association Education Conference XXVIII. February 26-March 8, 2007; Chiang Mai, Thailand.
285. "Laparoscopic Management of General Surgery Emergencies". Update in General Surgery 2007 – 47th Annual course for Practicing Surgeons. March 29-31, 2007; Toronto, Ontario.
286. "NOTES: Natural Orifice Transluminal Endoscopic Surgery". Update in General Surgery 2007 – 47th Annual course for Practicing Surgeons. March 29-31, 2007; Toronto, Ontario.
287. "The Changing Face of Training in MIS and Advanced GI Surgery in North American: The Role of Fellowship". 8th Brazilian Congress of Videolaparoscopic Surgery. April 29-May1, 2007: Bento Goncalves, RS, Brazil.
288. "Esophageal Surgery". Video Session. 8th Brazilian Congress of Videolaparoscopic Surgery. April 29-May1, 2007: Bento Goncalves, RS, Brazil.
289. "Why TAPP is better?" 8th Brazilian Congress of Videolaparoscopic Surgery. April 29-May 1, 2007: Bento Goncalves, RS, Brazil.
290. "NOTES Natural Orifice Transluminal Endoscopic Surgery". 8th Brazilian Congress of Videolaparoscopic Surgery. April 29 - May 1, 2007; Bento Goncalves, RS, Brazil.
291. "OR of the future: a reality today". 51^o Clinical Congress of the American College of Surgeons in Chile. May 2-5, 2007; Chile.
292. "Laparoscopic Surgery of the Pancreas". 51^o Clinical Congress of the American College of Surgeons in Chile. May 2-5, 2007; Chile.
293. "Design and Accreditation of the Surgical Center". 51^o Clinical Congress of the American College of Surgeons in Chile. May 2-5, 2007; Chile.
294. "Endoscopic Antireflux Surgery will not likely be a better choice than Lap Nissen Fundoplication". MIS Symposium SSAT/SAGES Endoscopic and Endoluminal Treatment of GERD. DDW. May 23, 2007; Washington, DC.
295. "Leading in the "west" relevant to the "world": The challenge of academic surgery. Keynote Speaker-Bethune Round Table 2007 - Surgery and Technology. May 25-27, 2007: Toronto, CA.
296. Anastomotic Device/Staplers Working Group – Co-Lead. 2nd Annual Int'l Conference on NOTES. July 13-14, 2007; Boston, MA.

297. 8th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. Co-Chairman. August 22-26, 2007; Sedona, AZ.
298. "Leading in America: Relevant to the World". 8th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 22-26, 2007; Sedona, AZ.
299. "Natural Orifice Transluminal Endoscopic Surgery Update/Flexible Endoscopy". 8th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 22-26, 2007; Sedona, AZ.
300. "Reoperation after failed mesh repair". International Surgical Week 2007. August 26-30, 2007; Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
301. "ReOperative Anti-Reflux Surgery". Fifth Annual Esophageal Conference. September 6-7, 2007; Omaha, Nebraska.
302. Fifth Annual Esophageal Conference. Moderator: Achalasia. September 6-7, 2007; Omaha, Nebraska.
303. "Abdominal Wall". Clinical Correlation 1st year Gross Anatomy - University of Maryland. September 14, 2007; Baltimore, Maryland.
304. "Telemedicine Experiences". The AfriHealth conference & Exhibition. September 19, 2007; (Videoconference) Nairobi.
305. "Complications of Solid Organ Surgery? Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen". Minimally Invasive Surgery: The Next Steps. American College of Surgery. October 7-11, 2007; New Orleans, LA.
306. "OR of the Future". University of Maryland Department of Anesthesiology Faculty Retreat. October 27, 2007. Baltimore, Maryland.
307. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery Course - Moderator. December 1, 2007. Farmington, PA.
308. "Technical Overview of Laparoscopic Incisional and Ventral Hernia Repair". Innovations in Advanced General Surgery. December 1, 2007. Farmington, PA.
309. "When Mesh Repairs Fail". Innovations in Advanced General Surgery. December 1, 2007. Farmington, PA.
310. "Reoperative Nissen Fundo for failed prior wraps". GIT(II) Session - Chairman. 7th Mediterranean & Middle Eastern (MMESA) Endoscopic Surgery Congress/Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS). December 2-5, 2007. Hurghada, Egypt.

311. “Lap Pancreas Surgery”. Biliary and Pancreatic (II) Session. 7th Mediterranean & Middle Eastern (MMESA) Endoscopic Surgery Congress/Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS). December 2-5, 2007. Hurghada, Egypt.
312. “Complications of Solid Organ Laparoscopy”. Free Papers (II) Session. 7th Mediterranean & Middle Eastern (MMESA) Endoscopic Surgery Congress/Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS). December 2-5, 2007. Hurghada, Egypt.
313. “OR of the Future”. Round Table Discussion. 7th Mediterranean & Middle Eastern (MMESA) Endoscopic Surgery Congress/Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS). December 2-5, 2007. Hurghada, Egypt.
314. “Pneumoperitoneum after Prior Surgery”. 3rd International Congress of Lap Colorectal Surgery. February 12-13, 2008. Fort Lauderdale, FL.
315. “Where are we with simulators?” 3rd International Congress of Lap Colorectal Surgery. February 12-13, 2008. Fort Lauderdale, FL.
316. “The Role of Simulation in Colon Surgery Training”. 19th Annual International Colorectal Disease Symposium. February 19-21, 2008. Fort Lauderdale, FL.
317. 8th Annual MISS 2008 Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium. Co-Director: Hernia. February 19-23, 2008. Steamboat Springs, Colorado.
318. “Technical Pearls & Pitfalls of LVH”. 8th Annual MISS 2008 Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium. February 19-23, 2008. Steamboat Springs, Colorado.
319. “What to do when mesh repairs fail”. 8th Annual MISS 2008 Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium. February 19-23, 2008. Steamboat Springs, Colorado.
320. “Overview of Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: Techniques, Complications & Outcomes”. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery, A Surgical Symposium. March 1, 2008. Macungi, PA.
321. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. Program Chair. April 9-12, 2008. Philadelphia, PA.
322. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. Session Chair: OR – Hospital of the Future. April 9-12, 2008. Philadelphia, PA.
323. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. Chair: 2008 Presidential Debates. April 9-12, 2008. Philadelphia, PA.
324. 100th Anniversary of the Surgical Stapler. Keynote address. Pennsylvania Convention Center. April 10, 2008. Philadelphia, PA.

325. "Big Cut, Little Cuts, One Cut, No Cut". 2008 Gary P. Wratten Surgical Symposium. May 1, 2008. Bethesda, MD.
326. "Current options in abdominal wall hernia repair and patches". An evening of clinical discussion. May 6, 2008. Vancouver, BC.
327. "Big Cut, Little Cuts, One Cut, No Cut". Grand Rounds, University of British Columbia Department of Surgery. May 7, 2007. Vancouver, BC.
328. 9th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. Co-Chairman. August 20-24, 2008; Sedona, AZ.
329. "Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair". 9th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 20-24, 2008; Sedona, AZ.
330. "Big Cut, Little Cuts, One Cut, No Cut". 9th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 20-24, 2008; Sedona, AZ.
331. "Prospective randomized trial of transfer of training in the development of intracorporeal suturing skill in novices". 11th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. September 2-5, 2008; Yokohama, Japan.
332. Training & Education in Endoscopic Surgery. Session Co-Chair. 11th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. September 2-5, 2008; Yokohama, Japan.
333. "Deconstructing Operative Flow – A focus on anticipatory movements". 11th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. September 2-5, 2008; Yokohama, Japan.
Spleen2. Session Co-Chair. 11th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. September 2-5, 2008; Yokohama, Japan.
334. "Pancreatic Surgery". European Institute of TeleSurgery (eits). IRCAD Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 22-26, 2008; Strasbourg, France.
335. "Spleen Surgery". European Institute of TeleSurgery (eits). IRCAD Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 22-26, 2008; Strasbourg, France.
336. Clinical Workshop Through Video. Video Session Coordinator. American College of Surgery 94th Annual Clinical Congress. October 12-16, 2008; San Francisco, CA.
337. "Using the FC Case Log: Making Sense of the Numbers". The Fellowship Council Symposium. American College of Surgery 94th Annual Clinical Congress. October 12-16, 2008; San Francisco, CA.
338. "Patients Benefit While Surgeons Suffer: An Impending Epidemic". The Surgical Workforce: Challenges for Now and the Future. American College of Surgery 94th Annual Clinical Congress. October 12-16, 2008; San Francisco, CA.

339. “Where is the Grass Greener? Is there any Green Grass out there? One Surgeon's Perspective”. Ontario Association of General Surgeons (O.A.G.S.). November 1, 2008; Toronto, ON.
340. “Is NOTES Nuts?” Ontario Association of General Surgeons (O.A.G.S.). November 1, 2008; Toronto, ON.
341. “Future hospitals”. International Conference Advances in Surgery: Discussion from the cutting edge. December 10-11, 2008; Barcelona, Spain.
342. “Pearls & Pitfalls of Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair” (Course Director) University of Maryland Innovations in Advanced General Surgery Surgical Symposium. February 6, 2009; Baltimore, Maryland.
343. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery: A Surgical Symposium. Live Telesurgery. February 6, 2009; Baltimore, Maryland.
344. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery: A Surgical Symposium - Moderator. March 21, 2009; Farmington, PA.
345. “Technical Overview of Laparoscopic Incisional and Ventral Hernia Repair”. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery: A Surgical Symposium. March 21, 2009: Farmington, PA.
346. “When Mesh Repairs Fail”. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery: A Surgical Symposium. March 21, 2009: Farmington, PA.
347. “Technique – Lap LVH”. SAGES Advanced Laparoscopic Hernia Surgery Workshop. March 26-27, 2009; Norwalk, CT.
348. “Mentorship and Career Planning”. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. April 22-25, 2009; Phoenix, Arizona.
349. 2009 The Great Presidential Debates - Chair. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. April 22-25, 2009; Phoenix, Arizona.
350. Resident and Fellows Scientific Session – Expert Panelist. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. Panelist: April 22-25, 2009; Phoenix, Arizona.
351. “Augmented Reality for Laparoscopic Surgery Using a Novel Imaging Method – Initial Results from a Porcine Model”. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. April 22-25, 2009; Phoenix, Arizona.
352. “Updates and Modifications of the ABS Curriculum”. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. April 22-25, 2009; Phoenix, Arizona.

353. Fellowship Council Symposium: Integrating the New ABS Training Curriculum in the MIS Fellowship – Discussion Moderator. Society American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons. April 22-25, 2009; Phoenix, Arizona.
354. “Laparoscopic management of paraesophageal hernias: technique and results”. 53rd Annual meeting of the Chilean Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. May 3-7, 2009; Santiago, Chile.
355. “Laparoscopic management of abdominal wall hernias”. 53rd Annual meeting of the Chilean Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. May 3-7, 2009; Santiago, Chile.
356. “Laparoscopic surgery in pancreas, selection and technique”. 53rd Annual meeting of the Chilean Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. May 3-7, 2009; Santiago, Chile.
357. “Laparoscopic splenectomy”. 53rd Annual meeting of the Chilean Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. May 3-7, 2009; Santiago, Chile.
358. “Training and accreditation for minimally invasive surgery”. 53rd Annual meeting of the Chilean Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. May 3-7, 2009; Santiago, Chile.
359. “Patients Benefit while Surgeons Suffer: an Impending Epidemic”. 53rd Annual meeting of the Chilean Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. May 3-7, 2009; Santiago, Chile.
360. “Is NOTES Nuts?”. Grand Rounds, University of British Columbia Department of Surgery. June 17, 2009. Vancouver, BC.
361. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. An evening of clinical discussion. June 17, 2009. Vancouver, BC.
362. “How much can we do with simulation?” MASTERS in MIS meeting. July 8, 2009. Kennebunkport, Maine.
363. 10th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. Co-Chairman. August 26-30, 2009; Avon, Colorado.
364. “Oral Presentation”. 10th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 26-30, 2009; Avon, Colorado.
365. “Surgeons Serving”. 10th Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 26-30, 2009; Avon, Colorado.
366. “Ergonomics & The Lap Surgeon”. IRCAD/EITS Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 23-26, 2009; Strasbourg, France.

367. “Pancreatic Surgery”. IRCAD/EITS Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 23-26, 2009; Strasbourg, France.
368. “Splenic Surgery”. IRCAD/EITS Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 23-26, 2009; Strasbourg, France.
369. “Hernias in the Morbidly Obese: Hernia First versus Bariatric Procedure First: The Case for Hernia First. American College of Surgeons. October 11-15, 2009; Chicago, Illinois.
370. “The Purpose and Conduct of the Oral Examination”. College of Surgeons of East Central and Southern Africa. November 29, 2009; Kigali Rwanda.
371. “The Evolution of Surgery – Big Cut to No Cuts?” Evening of Clinical Discussion. Nairobi General Hospital. December 8, 2009; Nairobi, Kenya.
372. “Where surgery can take you”. Clinical Correlation 1st year Gross Anatomy - University of Maryland. January 8, 2010; Baltimore, Maryland.
373. “Diaphragmatic Hernias”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXX. February 8-18 2010, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
374. “Ventral Hernia”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXX. February 8-18-, 2010, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
375. “Delivering an Effective Oral Presentation”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXX. February 8-18, 2010, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
376. 6th Innovations in The Surgical Environment Conference; Current Perspectives on Safe Patient, Safe Surgeon. Program Chair. March 25-27, 2010; Annapolis, Maryland.
377. “Is The Surgeon Safe? 6th Innovations in The Surgical Environment Conference; Current Perspectives on Safe Patient, Safe Surgeon (Keynote). March 25-27, 2010; Annapolis, Maryland.
378. Human Factors and Ergonomics – Moderator. 6th Innovations in The Surgical Environment Conference; Current Perspectives on Safe Patient, Safe Surgeon (Keynote). March 25-27, 2010; Annapolis, Maryland.
379. “When Surgeons Serve”. Grand Rounds, University of Maryland. April 1, 2010, Baltimore, Maryland.
380. The Future of Fellowship: How Will They Be Funded - Chair. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons. April 17, 2010, Landover, MD.
381. Operative Demonstrations – Session Co-Chair. IRCAD/EITS Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. April 30-May 1, 2010, Taiwan.

382. “Ventral mesh positioning”. IRCAD/EITS Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. April 30-May 1, 2010, Taiwan.
383. “Biomaterials”. IRCAD/EITS Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. April 30-May 1, 2010, Taiwan.
384. “Surgical preparation of the defect”. IRCAD/EITS Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. April 30-May 1, 2010, Taiwan.
385. “Indications and limits”. IRCAD/EITS Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. April 30-May 1, 2010, Taiwan.
386. “The Management of Diaphragmatic Hernias”. International Symposium – What’s new in Medicine and Surgery? Asian Institute of TeleSurgery. May 2, 2010, Taiwan.
387. “Technical Overview of Incisional and Ventral Hernia Repair”. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery Course. June 8, 10, 2010. London, England.
388. “Tips and Tricks in Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery Course. June 8-10, 2010. London, England.
389. “Effective Pathways in Complication Resolution – previous mesh, infections, redo’s and revisions”. Innovations in Advanced General Surgery Course. June 8-10, 2010. London, England.
390. “Understanding Level I and II Studies”. Abdominal Wall Reconstruction (AWR). June 17-19, 2010, Washington DC.
391. “Management of Parastomal Hernia”. Abdominal Wall Reconstruction (AWR). June 17-19, 2010, Washington DC.
392. “Clinical Aspects to the Abdomen (Herniae)”. Clinical Correlation 1st year Gross Anatomy - University of Maryland. September 19, 2010; Baltimore, Maryland.
“Is the Surgeon Safe?” Annual Zane Cohen Lecture (Guest Speaker), Mount Sinai Hospital. September 23, 2010. Toronto, Canada.
393. Eighth Annual Esophageal Conference GERD II - Moderator. September 29-30, 2010; Omaha, Nebraska.
394. “Diagnosis and Management of Paraesophageal Hernias”. Eighth Annual Esophageal Conference. September 29-30, 2010; Omaha, Nebraska.
395. Achalasia- Diagnosis and Treatment. Eighth Annual Esophageal Conference. September 29-30, 2010; Omaha, Nebraska.

396. “The Mortal Surgeon. Beyond products and procedures: physical and psychological challenges in the OR.” EES Symposium. October 4, 2010; Washington DC.
397. “Surgical Simulation: Are we there yet?!” Northwestern University Department of Surgery Gerald Ujiki, MD Lectureship & Excellence in Teaching Awards. October 21, 2010; Chicago, Illinois.
398. "Surgical Simulation- are we there yet?" Neurosurgery Grand Rounds – University of Maryland. November 11, 2010; Baltimore, Maryland.
399. “Computed Tomography Guided Laparoscopy: Proof of Concept”. 11th International Conference on Control, Automation, Robotics and Vision (ICARCV). December 7-10, 2010; Singapore.
400. “Update on Diagnosis and Management of Paraesophageal Hiatal Hernias” Grand Rounds – Singapore General Hospital. December 9, 2010; Singapore.
401. Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium (MISS) 2011. Hernia Course Co-Director. February 21-26, 2011; Salt Lake City, Utah.
402. “Abdominal Wall Hernia Repair: What Does the Data Say?” Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium (MISS) 2011. February 21-26, 2011; Salt Lake City, Utah.
403. “Parastomal Hernias”. Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium (MISS) 2011. February 21-26, 2011; Salt Lake City, Utah.
404. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). Chair, Safety for Surgeons Panel: Is your Profession Causing You Physical Harm? (Webcast Session). March 30 – April 1, 2011; San Antonio, Texas.
405. “Ergonomics and NS Injuries in MIS: An Impending Epidemic”. Safety for Surgeons Panel: Is your Profession Causing You Physical Harm? (Webcast Session). Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). March 30 – April 1, 2011; San Antonio, Texas.
406. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). Moderator, Instrumentation/Ergonomics. March 30 – April 1, 2011; San Antonio, Texas.
407. “What do you want to be when you grow up (and how to get there)? Clinician Investigator Program Weekend Retreat. The Future for Clinician Scientists in Canada: Benefits & Backlash. April 15-17, 2011; Nova Scotia, Canada.
408. “Surgeon Health” Tips and Pearls from Masters (Masters Class). 20th Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons Annual Meeting and Endo Expo 2011. September 13-17, 2011; Los Angeles, CA.

409. “Fundamental Principles of Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair”. Intra-Operative Decisions in Laparoscopic Inguinal and Ventral Hernia Repair. 97th Annual American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress. October 23-27, 2011; San Francisco, CA.
410. 97th Annual American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress. Panelist, Surgical Technologies that will Revolutionize Surgery. October 23-27, 2011; San Francisco, CA.
411. 97th Annual American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress. Coordinator and Presiding Officer, (Video) oriented symposium II: Pearls, Pitfall, and Controversies. October 23-27, 2011; San Francisco, CA.
412. “Creating a Safe Work Environment for your Team- Human Factors and Ergonomics; Maximizing Performance”. Creation and Maintenance of High-Performance Teams in Surgery: An Educational and Operational Strategy. 97th Annual American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress. October 23-27, 2011; San Francisco, CA.
413. “Surgeon Wear and Tear”. Surgeon Wear and Tear: The Hidden Cost of Adverse Ergonomics. 97th Annual American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress. October 23-27, 2011; San Francisco, CA.
414. “Update on Diaphragmatic Hernias”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXXI. February 8-16, 2012, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
415. “A Primer on Oral Presentations”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXXI. February 8-16, 2012, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
416. “The Role of Simulation in Surgical Training”. Continuing Medical & Dental Education Conference XXXI. February 8-16, 2012, Brackenhurst, Kenya.
417. Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium (MISS). Chair, Hernia Fundamentals and What’s New? February 20-25, 2012, Salt Lake City, Utah.
418. Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium (MISS). “Diaphragmatic Hernias & Repairs: A Medley.” February 20-25, 2012, Salt Lake City, Utah.
419. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). Chair, Advanced Open & Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair. March 7-9, 2012; San Diego, CA.
420. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). Team Participant, Do you know more than your Fellow? March 7-9, 2012; San Diego, CA.
421. “Critical components of negotiation: When to compromise and when to hold fast”. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). March 7-9, 2012; San Diego, CA.

422. “Problems during the mediastinal dissection”. 5th International Hernia Congress. March 28-31, 2012; New York, NY.
423. “Open or Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair – Which one is the best?” 5th International Hernia Congress. March 28-31, 2012; New York, NY.
424. 5th International Hernia Congress. Panelist, GERD and Paraesophageal Hernia Dilemmas. March 28-31, 2012; New York, NY.
425. 5th International Hernia Congress. Panelist, Dilemmas in Ventral Hernia Surgery – Can Evidence based medicine give us the answer? March 28-31, 2012; New York, NY.
426. 5th International Hernia Congress. Moderator, Abstract Presentations. March 28-31, 2012; New York, NY.
427. Minimally Invasive Surgery Session – Moderator. 34th Annual Gary P. Wratten Army Surgical Symposium. May 3, 2012; Bethesda, MD.
428. “Is the Surgeon Safe? The Ergonomic and Cognitive Toll of Surgery.” 34th Annual Gary P. Wratten Army Surgical Symposium. May 3, 2012; Bethesda, MD
429. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair”. Abdominal Wall Reconstruction (AWR). June 14-16, 2012, Washington DC.
430. “The Failed Biologic Repair: Are Synthetics the Answer”. Abdominal Wall Reconstruction (AWR). June 14-16, 2012, Washington, DC.
431. “Incisional Hernia”. IRCAD/BRAZIL Advanced Course in Laparoscopic Digestive Surgery. July 16-18, 2012, Brazil.
432. “The Operating Room of the Future – The Surgeon’s Workspace”. XI Brazilian Videosurgery Society Congress (SOBRACIL), July 18-20, 2012, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
433. 98th Annual American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress. Panelist, (Video Session – VE05) General Surgery I. September 30 - October 3, 2012; Chicago, IL.
434. “SAGES International Relationships: New Opportunities with COSECSA.” 13th Annual General Meeting of COSECSA and 17th AGM and scientific conference of the SSE (The Surgical Society of Ethiopia), December 5-8, 2012, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.
435. “The How and Why of High Stakes Exam and Tips for the Oral Examiner.” 13th Annual General Meeting of COSECSA and 17th AGM and scientific conference of the SSE (The Surgical Society of Ethiopia), December 5-8, 2012, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

436. Park A: Session 7A; Parastomal Hernia & Atypical. Presenter: Flank and Spigelian. American Hernia Society. March 13-16, 2013. Orlando, FL.
437. “The evolving role of simulation in surgical training”. IRCAD, Strasbourg, France March 30 – April 3, 2013.
438. “Procedural based simulation – taking it to the next level.” SAGES 2013 Conference. April 17-20, 2013, Baltimore, MD.
439. “Parastomal Hernia: Tips for Lowering Recurrence.” Abdominal Wall Reconstruction (AWR). June 6-8, 2013, Washington, DC.
440. Fourteenth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference”. Co-Chairman. August 21-25, 2013; Sedona, AZ.
441. “Health Care Reform: What do we know? How will it affect me? How to prepare?” Fourteenth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference.” August 21-15, 2013; Sedona, AZ.
442. “Negotiating Your Contract – When to Hold & When to Fold!” Fourteenth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 21-25, 2013; Sedona, AZ.
443. “Innovation and IP Generation as a Surgeon.” Fourteenth Annual Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship Fundamentals Conference. August 21-25, 2013; Sedona, AZ.
444. “Laparoscopic anatomy of hernia repair”. IRCAD/Brazil Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 9-12, 2013, Brazil.
445. “Ventral and umbilical hernia.” IRCAD/Brazil Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 9-12, 2013. Brazil.
446. “Anti-reflux Surgery.” IRCAD/Brazil Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 9-12, 2013. Brazil.
447. “Paraesophageal hernia.” IRCAD/Brazil Intensive Course in Laparoscopic General Surgery. September 9-12, 2013. Brazil.
448. “Prosthetic material for abdominal wall reinforcement.” IRCAD/Brazil Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. September 13-14, 2013. IRCAD/Brazil.
449. “How I select my patients and how I do it?” IRCAD/Brazil Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. September 13-14, 2013. IRCAD/Brazil.

450. “Current evidence and recommendations on laparoscopic repair of ventral and umbilical hernia.” IRCAD/Brazil Advanced Course in Hernia Repair. September 13-14, 2013. IRCAD/Brazil.
451. The advanced operating theatre – A vision for 2020.” Canadian Surgery Forum, September 20, 2013, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.
452. “Is the Surgeon Safe?” Grand Rounds, Florida Hospital Orlando, September 27, 2013; Orlando, FL.
453. “Fundamental Principles of Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair.” American College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress, October 6-9, 2013, Washington, DC.
454. “McMaster University Department of Surgery: Characters & Contributions over 40 Years.” McMaster University 40th Year Reunion Gala, Keynote Address. October 26, 2013. Ontario, Canada.
455. “Inguinal Hernia. Long Term Outcomes. Quality of life: is surgery necessary?” Advanced Course in Inguinal & Abdominal Wall Hernia. IRCAD France February 6-8, 2014.
456. “Ventral hernia: laparoscopic and open approach. Parastomal hernia.” Advanced Course in Inguinal & Abdominal Wall Hernia. IRCAD France February 6-8, 2014.
457. “Ventral Hernia. Anatomy & Evaluation. Advanced Course in Inguinal & Abdominal Wall Hernia. IRCAD France February 6-8, 2014.
458. “Special Hernias. The Problem of Parastomal Hernia.” Advanced course in Inguinal & Abdominal Wall Hernia. IRCAD France February 6-8, 2014.
459. “Closing Lecture. Conclusion: Patient partnership in hernia health: new direction.” Advanced course in Inguinal & Abdominal Wall Hernia. IRCAD France February 6-8, 2014.
460. Advanced Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: Perspectives, Insights, and Solutions. Panelist (Virtual), March 5, 2014; (Covidien) Akron, OH.
461. “Conducting Studies in the OR.” Symposium on Human Factors and Ergonomics in Health Care: Leading the Way. Chicago, IL March 17, 2014.
462. “Surgical Education Now and in the Future”. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). Salt Lake City, Utah April 2-5, 2014.
463. “Accountability: What Patients Need to Know.” Abdominal Wall Reconstruction (AWR). June 12-14, 2014, Washington, DC.
464. “Laparoscopic Parastomal Hernia Repair: Indications and Technique,” Abdominal Wall

- Reconstruction (AWR). June 12-14, 2014, Washington, DC.
465. “Imagining the surgeon in the operating room of the future”. XII Brazilian Videosurgery Congress (SOBRACIL) and 1st International Congress of SRS (Society of Robotic Surgery International Meeting), September 24-27, 2014, Florianopolis – Santa Catarina, Brazil.
 466. “Tips and tricks: closing the middle line, prosthetic management fixing...” XII Brazilian Videosurgery Congress (SOBRACIL) and 1st International Congress of SRS (Society of Robotic Surgery International Meeting), September 24-27, 2014, Florianopolis – Santa Catarina, Brazil.
 467. “Acute Care Surgery.” 31st Annual Controversies, Problems & Techniques in Surgery, December 17-19, 2014; New York, NY.
 468. “War Stories from the Surgeon Innovator.” Presenter, Health Tech Forum: SAIL Lecture Series, January 28, 2015; Annapolis, MD.
 469. “GERD – the Burning Issues: Update on Work up and Management.” 13th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery, January 31 – February 2, 2015; Kuwait.
 470. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair.” 13th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery, January 31- February 2, 2015; Kuwait.
 471. “Contemporary Management of Parastomal Hernias.” 13th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery, January 31 – February 2, 2015, Kuwait.
 472. “Physical Wellbeing of Surgeons.” Society of Gynecologic Oncology 2015 Annual Conference, March 28, 2015, Chicago, IL.
 473. “Updates in Abdominal Wall Management: Mesh Theory, Tissue Use, Complex Locations,” Presenter. SAGES, April 15-18, 2015, Nashville, TN.
 474. A Park, HR Zahiri, C Pugh, M Vassiliou, G Voeller. “Raising the Quality of Hernia Care: Is There a Need?” 2015 Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons, Nashville, Tennessee; April 15-18, 2015.
 475. A Park, HR Zahiri, C Pugh, M Vassiliou, G Voeller. “See One, Do One, Teach One: Inadequacies of Current Methods to Train Surgeons in Hernia Repair.” 2015 Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons, Nashville, Tennessee; April 15-18, 2015.
 476. “Quality of Life: is surgery necessary? Is there a role for “Watchful waiting?” Minimally Invasive Inguinal and Abdominal Wall Hernia Surgery Advanced Course, IRCAD France, May 28-29, 2015.

477. “Anatomy of the abdominal wall / Abdominal wall function.” Minimally Invasive Inguinal and Abdominal Wall Hernia Surgery Advanced Course, IRCAD France, May 28-29, 2015.
478. “The problem of parastomal hernia and other atypical abd wall defects.” Minimally Invasive Inguinal and Abdominal Wall Hernia Surgery Advanced Course, IRCAD France, May 28-29, 2015.
479. “Closing Lecture. Conclusion: Patient partnership in hernia health: new direction.” Advanced course in Inguinal & Abdominal Wall Hernia. IRCAD France May 28-29, 2015.
480. “Chair, Session Title: S19 Surgical Endoscopy Festival.” 23rd International Congress of the European Association for Endoscopic Surgery (EAES), Bucharest, Romania, June 3-6, 2015.
481. “Chair, Session Title: S62 Scientific session: Evaluation of surgical quality.” 23rd International Congress of the European Association for Endoscopic Surgery (EAES), Bucharest, Romania, June 3-6, 2015.
482. “The Globalization of Surgical Care: State of Surgical Education.” International College of Surgeons, United States Section, June 11-13, 2015, Annapolis, Maryland.
483. “Acute Care Surgery Model in the World of Specialty Surgery.” International College of Surgeons, United States Section, June 11-13, 2015, Annapolis, Maryland.
484. Panelist, Manufacturer Responsibilities Role of Professional Societies Credentialing Role of Simulators. Robotically-Assisted Surgical Devices: Challenges & Opportunities Public Workshop (FDA), July 27-28, 2015, Silver Spring, MD.
485. “Controversies in Paraesophageal Hernia Repair.” 2015 Canadian Surgery Forum, CAGS/CATS Foregut Symposium, September 17-20, 2015, Quebec City.
486. “Hernia Repair: Where are we Going?” Southwestern Ontario Surgical Association Annual Conference (s), October 16, 2015, Lamplighter Conference Centre, Ontario, Canada.
487. A.J. Grace Memorial Lecture “Does Surgeon Safety Beget Patient Safety,” Southwestern Ontario Surgical Association Annual Conference (SWOSA), October 16, 2015, Lamplighter Conference Centre, Ontario, Canada.
488. Does Surgeon Safety Beget Patient Safety – Key Note Lecturer. 15th Mediterranean and Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association and the 6th Emir4ates Society of Laparo-Endoscopic Surgeons Congress, November 18-21, 2015, Dubai.

489. The Role of “Watchful Waiting” for Inguinal Hernias. 15th Mediterranean and Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association and the 6th Emir4ates Society of Laparo-Endoscopic Surgeons Congress, November 18-21, 2015, Dubai.
490. The Management of Challenging Diaphragmatic Hernias? 15th Mediterranean and Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association and the 6th Emir4ates Society of Laparo-Endoscopic Surgeons Congress, November 18-21, 2015, Dubai.
491. “New Vistas in Ventral Hernia Care.” 44th Annual Phoenix Surgical Symposium, January 28-30, 2016, Scottsdale, AZ.
492. “What’s New in Achalasia Treatment.” 44th Annual Phoenix Surgical Symposium, January 28-30, 2016.
493. “Management of the Challenging Diaphragmatic Hernia.” 44th Annual Phoenix Surgical Symposium, January 28-30, 2016.
494. “The Management of Challenging Diaphragmatic hernias,” Speaker in Keynote Lectures I. 13th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 11th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 4th Egyptian Society of Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 16-20, 2016, Cairo, Egypt.
495. “The role of Targeted intraoperative micro breaks to improve surgeon comfort and performance,” Speaker in Keynote Lectures II. 13th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 11th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 4th Egyptian Society of Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 16-20, 2016, Cairo, Egypt.
496. Chairperson In Session 6 “Hernia.” 13th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 11th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 4th Egyptian Society of Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 16-20, 2016, Cairo, Egypt.
497. Ventral Hernia: Where are we headed? (Speaker). 13th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 11th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 4th Egyptian Society of Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 16-20, 2016, Cairo, Egypt.
498. Raising the Quality of Hernia Surgery-is there a need? (Speaker). 13th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 11th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association

- (MMESA); and 4th Egyptian Society of Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 16-20, 2016, Cairo, Egypt.
499. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). Chair, SESSION: PG Course: Hernia – Abdominal Wall Reconstruction. March 15-18, 2016; Boston, MA.
 500. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). SESSION: The Value of a Surgery Fellowship to My Patients and My Career. “What Are MIS Fellows Doing Now.” (Presenter) March 15-18, 2016; Boston, MA.
 501. Surgical Data Science Workshop, Medical Keynote II Speaker, “The Operating Room: the least understood “high stakes” workspace.” June 18-22, 2016, Heidelberg, Germany.
 502. The Columbia National Congress for General Surgeons, “Laparoscopic repair of ventral hernia.” August 24-26, 2016; Bogota, Colombia.
 503. The Columbia National Congress for General Surgeons, “A new era in ventral hernia care.” August 24-26, 2016; Bogota, Colombia.
 504. “Quality of life: is surgery necessary?” Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal – Ventral & CAWR Surgery, IRCAD France, September 6-14, 2016.
 505. “Anatomy and Abdominal wall function of the abdominal wall.” Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery, IRCAD France, September 6-14, 2016.
 506. “New Vistas in minimally invasive ventral hernia repair.” Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery, IRCAD France, September 6-14, 2016.
 507. “Mechanism of occurrence – therapeutic options.” Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery, IRCAD France, September 6-14, 2016.
 508. “Prevention & Outcomes.” Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery, IRCAD France, September 6-14, 2016.
 509. “Closing Lecture. Patient partnership in hernia health: new direction.” Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery, IRCAD France, September 6-14, 2016.
 510. “New Vistas in Ventral Hernia Care.” 15th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery, February 2 – 6, 2017, Kuwait.
 511. “Surgical Management of Challenging Diaphragmatic Hernias.” 15th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery, February 2 – 6, 2017, Kuwait.

512. “New Considerations in the Surgical Management of GERD.” 15th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery, February 2 – 6, 2017, Kuwait.
513. Associate Examiner in the Certifying Examination, American Board of Surgery. Philadelphia, PA, March 5-8, 2017.
514. “Is Parastomal hernia repair a palliative operation? Therapeutic and prophylactic approaches to the parastomal hernia”. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). March 22-25, 2017, Houston, TX.
515. Global Surgery - I Want to Do it! Where Do I Start? What Do I Need? (Panel – Chair). Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). March 22-25, 2017, Houston, TX.
516. Royal College Speaker, “Is the Surgeon Safe?” British Columbia Surgical Society 70th Annual Spring Meeting. May 4-6, 2017, Parksville, British Columbia.
517. “New Vistas in Minimally Invasive Ventral Hernia. British Columbia Surgical Society’s 70th Annual Spring Meeting. May 4-8, 2017.
518. “Hiatal Hernia Repair”. Congress of Future Medical Leaders, Lowell MA; June 27, 2017.
519. “Lecture on US Med Mal issues, speak to US trends & data”. The Kuwait Association of Surgeons, Featuring the Kuwait Chapter of the American College of Surgeons First Congress Meeting. September 29 – October 1, 2017.
520. “The Growing Problem of Surgeon Burnout,” The Kuwait Association of Surgeons, Featuring the Kuwait Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. First Congress Meeting. September 29 – October 1, 2017.
521. “Ergonomic Risks and Challenges Facing Surgeons,” The Kuwait Association of Surgeons, Featuring the Kuwait Chapter of the American College of Surgeons . First Congress Meeting. September 29 – October 1, 2017.
522. “Importance of Fellowship Programs,” The Kuwait Association of Surgeons, Featuring the Kuwait Chapter of the American College of Surgeons, First Congress Meeting. September 29 – October 1, 2017.
523. “Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair: Sutures vs. Tacks.” American College of Surgeons, Annual Clinical Congress, San Diego Convention Center, San Diego, California. October 22 – 26, 2017.
524. America’s Hernia Society. Hernia and Social Media. Moderator, March 12-15, 2018; Miami Beach, FL.

525. America's Hernia Society. Ethical Introduction of new technique and financial stewardship. Presenter. March 12-15, 2018; Miami Beach, FL.
526. The Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES) and The Canadian Association of General Surgeons (CAGS) Host The 16th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. Parastomal Hernia: Laparoscopic and Open Techniques. Presenter. April 11-14, 2018, Seattle, Washington.
527. The Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES) and The Canadian Association of General Surgeons (CAGS) Host The 16th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery. Post-Myotomy Problems: GERD, Recurrent Dysphagia. Presenter. April 11-14, 2018, Seattle, Washington.
528. Abdominal Wall Conference (AWR). Parastomal Hernia: Sugarbaker Technique. June 7-9, 2018, Washington, DC.
529. The Hamlyn Symposium. "Surgical Visualization – an Evolution. June 24-27, 2018, London.
530. GI Update 2018. The Centre for Minimal Access Surgery. "How MIS impacted management of GI cancers?" August 11-12, 2018. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
531. GI Update 2018. The Centre for Minimal Access Surgery. "Surgeon/Physician well-being" August 11-12, 2018. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
532. ALACE 2018 Conference. "Update on the management of challenging diaphragmatic hernias." August 29-31, 2018. San Jose, Costa Rica.
533. ALACE 2018 Conference. "New alternatives in ventral hernia surgery." August 29-31, 2018. San Jose, Costa Rica.
534. IRCAD Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery. Quality of life: is surgery necessary? Is there a role for "Watchful waiting"? September 20-21, 2018. Strasbourg, France.
535. IRCAD Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery. Anatomy and Abdominal wall function of the abdominal wall. September 20-21, 2018. Strasbourg, France.
536. IRCAD Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery. New Vistas in minimally invasive ventral hernia repair. September 20-21, 2018. Strasbourg, France.
537. (IRCAD Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery. Mechanism of occurrence – therapeutic options. September 20-21, 2018. Strasbourg, France.

538. IRCAD Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery. Prevention & Outcomes. September 20-21, 2018, Strasbourg, France.
539. IRCAD Advanced Course in Minimally Invasive Inguinal-Ventral & CAWR Surgery. Closing Lecture – Patient partnership in hernia health: new direction. September 20-21, 2018. Strasbourg, France.
540. “Surgical Visualization & Evolution.” October 3, 2018. Laboratory for Computational Sensing & Robotics, Johns Hopkins, University, Baltimore, Maryland.
541. New Visions for Surgical Visualization. (Speaker). 16th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 14th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 7th Egyptian Society of Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 13-16, 2019, Cairo, Egypt.
542. What are your options when your Heller fails for your Achalasia patient? (Speaker). 16th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 14th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 7th Egyptian Society of Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 13-16, 2019, Cairo, Egypt.
543. “Surgery is Killing You”. Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES). Baltimore, MD, April 3-6, 2019.
544. UB RIS²E² Innovation and Entrepreneurship Lecture Series, University at Buffalo – Department of Surgery. “Surgical Visualization – An Evolution.” Buffalo, NY. May 10, 2019.
545. 2019 India Mobile Congress, Speaker. Aerocity, New Dehli, October 14-16, 2019.
546. Lessons learned from over 1000 Paraesophageal Hiatal hernias. (Speaker) 17th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 15th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 8th Egyptian Society of Metabolic Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 15-22, 2020, Cairo, Egypt.
547. Achalasia – failure of care and how to manage. (Speaker) 17th International Congress & Workshop of the Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS); 15th Winter Meeting of Mediterranean & Middle Eastern Endoscopic Surgery Association (MMESA); and 8th Egyptian Society of Metabolic Bariatric Surgery (ESMBS), February 15-22, 2020, Cairo, Egypt.
548. “Microbreaks During Surgery”. Surgeon Well-Being: Practical Strategies and Life Hacks (Webinar). Orthopedic Trauma Association (OTA). June 15, 2020.

549. “Is the Surgeon Safe?” 8th International Congress of Hepato-Pancreatico-Biliary and Liver Transplant Surgery. National Liver Institute. Core Scientific Meeting. May 20, 2021. Grand Nile Tower Hotel, CAIRO – EGYPT.
550. “Surgery – A calling not a Job.” Grand Rounds. University of Kentucky College of Medicine, June 25, 2021. Lexington, KY.
551. “Looking After Number 1.” Session – Something completely different. The Association of Coloproctology of Great Britain and Ireland (ACPGBI). Virtual Meeting, July 5 – 7, 2021.
552. “Management of Complex Diaphragmatic Defects.” Coast General Research & Teaching Hospital. Mombasa, Kenya, October 22, 2021.
553. “Surgeon Leadership.” Brachenhurst PAACS Resident Conference, October 3-4 2022, Mombasa, Kenya.
554. “Pearls for Surgical Residents.” Brachenhurst PAACS Resident Conference, October 3-4, 2022, Mombasa, Kenya.
555. “The Worst Surgical Patient.” Surgical Society of Kenya, Mombasa, Kenya, October 6, 2022.
556. IRCAD Ventral Hernia: Anatomy & Evaluation. December 13-20, 2022. Strasbourg, France.
557. IRCAD Abdominal Wall Repair: Quality of life after AWR – when to operate. December 13-20, 2022. Strasbourg, France.
558. IRCAD, Chairman, IHU Strasbourg Scientific Committee Meeting, IRCAD Institute, December 13 – 20, 2022, Strasbourg, France.
559. “Ergonomics for surgeon’s longevity” (Moderator) 18th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery. January 19 – 24, 2023. St. Regis Hotel, Kuwait.
560. “Parastomal hernia treatment: an update” (Moderator). 18th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery. January 19 – 24, 2023. St. Regis Hotel, Kuwait.
561. “Surgical management of challenging diaphragmatic hernias.” (Moderator) 18th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery. January 19 – 24, 2023. St. Regis Hotel, Kuwait.
562. “Achalasia: failures of care and how to manage them” (Moderator) 18th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery. January 19 – 24, 2023. St. Regis Hotel, Kuwait.
563. “Endoscopic management of GERD in non-obese patient.” (Moderator) 18th Annual Kuwait Postgraduate Assembly in Surgery. January 19 – 24, 2023. St. Regis Hotel, Kuwait.

564. “Using data to help optimize outcomes or decision making intraoperatively AI Advances in Surgical Vision” (Speaker) SAGES 2023 Innovation Weekend, Surgical Disruptive Technology Summit (February 3rd & 4th), Torrance Marriott Redondo Beach, 3635 Fashion Way, Torrance, CA, February 2 – 4, 2023.
565. “An Approach to achalasia treatment failures.” (Speaker) 19th International Congress & Workshop of The Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS 2023), Cairo Egypt, February 10 – 18, 2023.
566. “Our Patients as partners – a new approach to Ventral Hernia Care.” (Speaker) 19th International Congress & Workshop of The Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS 2023), Cairo Egypt, February 10 – 18, 2023.
567. “Update in Surgeon Ergonomics – taking care of number one (Speaker) 19th International Congress & Workshop of The Egyptian Society of Laparoscopic Surgery (ESLS 2023), Cairo Egypt, February 10 – 18, 2023.
568. Presidential Session; Role: Co-Chair. SAGES 2023 Annual Meeting, March 29 – 31st, Montréal, Canada.
569. “Principles of Laparoscopic Surgery – physiology & pathophysiology.” West African College of Surgeons (WACS) Laparoscopic Surgery Symposium. Lume, Togo, March 16-21, 2023.
570. “Laparoscopic Equipment set up and Instrumentation.” West African College of Surgeons (WACS) Laparoscopic Surgery Symposium. Lume, Togo, March 16-21, 2023.
571. “Update on GERD – diagnosis and treatment.” eCAP Symposium. Kenya. April 23, 2023.
572. “Fundamentals of UGI Endoscopy.” 2nd International Congress, Innovations in Global Surgery (ICIGS) Flexible Endoscopy Work Shop. Kenya. April 24, 2023.
573. “Current and Future State of Laparoscopy and Endoscopy in Kenya. Surgical Society of Kenya (SSK) Annual Congress 2023. Kenya. April 2023.
574. “Ergonomics and Physician Wellness.” (Presenter) Session Title: Ergonomics and the Surgeon: Striking a Healthier Pose. Digestive Disease Week, McCormick Place Convention Center, Chicago, IL, May 7, 2023.
575. “Human Factors, Surgeon Performance, Patient Outcomes...any connection?” **Society of Asian Academic Surgeons Annual Meeting 2023**. Sept 13-15, 2023. Baltimore, MD
576. Inguinal -Ventral and Complex Abdominal Wall Repair(CAWR) Surgery Conference Co Director. Oct12-14, 2023. Strasbourg, France.
577. “Ventral Hernia: Anatomy & Evaluation”. Oct 12-14, 2023. Strasbourg, France

578. “Abdominal Wall Repair:Final Thoughts. Quality of life after AWR – when not to operate”. Oct 12-14, 2023. Strasbourg, France.
579. Research Primer and Update. PAACS Faculty Development Mtg(virtual) Dec 19,2023
580. Surgical Leadership (panel) **Maryland ACS chapter Annual mtg** Mar 23, 2024.Baltimore ,MD
581. “Advances and Innovations for Complex Surgery” **Innovations for Global Surgery 2024**. May 5-7,2024. Cape Town ,South Africa

Abstracts, (Book Reviews and Discussion after Papers)

1. Park A, Towner RA, Langer JC: Diagnosis of Intestinal Ischemia in the Rat Using Double Contrast Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI). **Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract**, May 19-22, 1991; New Orleans, Louisiana.
2. Park A, Towner RA, Langer JC: Diagnosis of Persistent Intestinal Ischemia in the Rabbit Using Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI). **Surgical Section of American Academy of Pediatrics**, October 10-11, 1992; San Francisco, California.
3. Park A, Gagner M, Pomp A: Laparoscopic Splenectomy: Superiority of the Lateral Approach. **Canadian Society of Laparoscopic and Endoscopic Surgery**, September 8-9, 1993; Vancouver, British Columbia.
4. Park A, Gagner M: A Porcine Model for Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy. **Canadian Society of Laparoscopic and Endoscopic Surgery**, September 8-9, 1993; Vancouver, British Columbia.
5. Park A, Gagner M: Laparoscopic Duodena Pancreatectomy. **3rd G.I. Tract Laparoscopic Surgery International Meeting**, September 9-10, 1993; Liege, Belgium.
6. Park A, Gagner M, Pomp A: Splenectomie par laparoscopic: Approach Lateral. **Reunion Scientifique Department de Chirurgie** (Hotel-Dieu de Montreal), September 30, 1993; Montreal, Quebec.
7. Park A, The Role of Surgery Residents in Undergraduate Surgical Education. **Undergraduate Education in Surgery in the Year 2000**, October 28-30, 1993; Niagara- on-the-Lake, Ontario.
8. Park A, Gagner M, Pomp A: The Lateral Approach to Laparoscopic Splenectomy. **Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons**, April 18-19, 1994; Nashville, Tennessee.

9. Park A, Gagner M: A Porcine Model for Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy. **Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons**, April 18-19, 1994; Nashville, Tennessee.
10. Park A, Gagner M, Pomp A: Laparoscopic Repair of Large Incisional Hernias: Preliminary Results. **Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons**, April 18-19, 1994; Nashville, Tennessee.
11. Park A, The Lateral Approach for Laparoscopic Splenectomy - Ongoing Experience. International College of Surgeons Canada. **Symposium on Minimal Access Surgery**, July 1- 3, 1994; Montreal, Quebec.
12. Park A, Laparoscopic Repair of Large Incisional Hernia - Ongoing Experience. International College of Surgeons Canada. **Symposium on Minimal Access Surgery**, July 1- 3, 1994; Montreal, Quebec.
13. Gagner M, Park A, Pomp A: Laparoscopic Repair of Large Incisional Hernia. **American College of Surgery**, October 4-9, 1994; Chicago, Illinois.
14. Gagner M, Park A, Pomp A: Laparoscopic Splenectomy by the Lateral Approach. **American College of Surgery**, October 4-9, 1994; Chicago, Illinois.
15. Gagner M, Pomp A, Park A: Laparoscopic Splenectomy Using the Lateral Approach. Film Program, Highlights from 1994 Clinical Congress. **American College of Surgery**, April 30- May 3, 1995; Boston, Massachusetts.
16. Park A, Gagner M, Pomp A: Laparoscopic Splenectomy by Lateral Approach - Ongoing Experience. **Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract**, May 15-17, 1995; San Diego, California.
17. Park A, Common Bile Duct Surgery in the Laparoscopic Era. **International Congress on Endoscopic Surgery**, May 16-18, 1995; Moscow, Russia.
18. Park A, Laparoscopic Splenectomy. **Clinical Seminars in Advanced Techniques in Laparoscopic Surgery**, May 19, 1995; Moscow, Russia.
19. Park A, Laparoscopic Repair of Incisional Hernias. **Clinical Seminars in Advanced Techniques in Laparoscopic Surgery**, May 19, 1995; Moscow, Russia.
20. Park A, Laparoscopic Adrenalectomy. **Clinical Seminars in Advanced Techniques in Laparoscopic Surgery**, May 19, 1995; Moscow, Russia.
21. Fitzgerald P, Langer J, Cameron B, Park A, Marcaccio M, Walton M, Skinner M: Initial Experience with the Lateral Approach for Laparoscopic Splenectomy in the Pediatric Age Group. **Canadian Association of Pediatric Surgeons**, September 2-4, 1995; Montreal, Quebec.

22. Park A, Ongoing Experience with Laparoscopic Splenectomy by the Lateral Approach. **Advances in Endoscopic Surgery**, September 6-7, 1995; St. Petersburg, Russia.
23. Park A, Gagner M, Pomp A: Laparoscopic Incisional Hernia Repair - Ongoing Experience. **Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada**, September 13-18, 1995; Montreal, Quebec.
24. Breten G, Pomp A, Gagner M, Park A: Splenectomy in the right lateral decubitus position does not require embolization. **Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada**, September 13-18, 1995; Montreal, Quebec.
25. Park A, The Hamilton Experience with Laparoscopic Splenectomy. **Advances in Diagnosis and Treatment of Splenic Disorders**, February 9, 1996; Los Angeles, California.
26. Park A, Marcaccio M, Fitzgerald P, Paterson C: Superiority of the Lateral Approach to Laparoscopic Splenectomy Over Open Splenectomy. **5th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery**, March 13-17, 1996; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
27. Park A, Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair - Indications and Options. **European Institute for Telesurgery Seminar**, June 10-14, 1996; Strasbourg, France.
28. Park A, Laparoscopic CBD Surgery and Complications. **European Institute of Telesurgery Seminar**. June 10-14, 1996; Strasbourg, France.
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