



## **SGS Annual Course in Advanced Gynecologic Surgery La Jolla, CA**

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### **Wednesday, December 1 – UCSD, Center for the Future of Surgery**

7:00 – 8:00 am      **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

#### **Hands-on Laparoscopic Suturing + Electrosurgery Workshop**

8:00 am – 12:00 pm      **Fundamentals, Ergonomics, Needle Handling, Knot Tying**  
Malcolm Mackenzie, MD

12:00 – 12:30 pm      Lunch Pail Session  
Electrosurgery **Principles and Applications for Safe and Efficient Dissection**

1:00 – 5:00 pm      **Deliberate Practice; Cuff Closure, Myomectomy**  
Real tissue model  
~Malcolm Mackenzie, MD



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**Thursday, December 2 – San Diego Marriott, La Jolla, CA**

- 7:15 – 7:50 am      **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 7:50 – 8:00 am      **Welcome and Opening Remarks ~ Cara King, DO**
- 8:00 – 9:15 am      **Session 1 – Foundations of Laparoscopy and Total Laparoscopic  
Hysterectomy Panel**  
**Moderator: Cara R. King, DO, MS**  
**Panel: Ted Lee, MD, Kelly Wright, MD**
- Peritoneal Entry Approaches, Trocar Locations, Ergonomics  
Mastering Retroperitoneal Anatomy  
Critical Views for Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy  
Questions & Answers
- 9:15 – 9:45 am      ***Morning Break/Visit Exhibits***
- 9:45 – 11:30 am      **Session 2 – Chronic Pelvic Pain and Endometriosis Panel**  
**Moderator: Cara R. King, DO, MS**  
**Panel: Sawsan As-Sanie, MD Ted Lee, MD Javier Magrina, MD,  
Megan Wasson, DO**
- Chronic Pelvic Pain Workup  
Imaging in Endometriosis  
Surgical Management of Endometriosis  
Peri-Operative Pain Management  
Questions & Answers
- 11:30 am - 12:45 pm      ***Lunch on Own /Optional non - CME luncheon***



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**Thursday, December 2 (cont.)**

12:45 – 2:30 pm      **Session 3 – Uterine Sparing Fibroid Management Panel**  
**Moderator: Cara R. King, DO, MS**  
**Panel: Matthew Siedhoff, MD, Kelly Wright, MD**

Laparoscopic Myomectomy  
Mini-Laparotomy Myomectomy  
Ablative Techniques  
Operative Hysteroscopy and Vaginoscopy  
Tissue Extraction  
Questions & Answers

2:30 – 3:00 pm      *Afternoon Break/ Visit Exhibits*

3:00 – 4:15 pm      **Round Table Break Out Sessions**

- Robotic Docking, Set Up, and Efficiency ~Megan Wasson, DO
- Complex Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy ~Ted Lee, MD
- Complex Excision of Deeply Infiltrative Endometriosis- Javier Magrina, MD
- Complex Laparoscopic Myomectomy ~Matthew Siedhoff, MD
- Complex Hysteroscopy ~Kelly Wright, MD
- Multidisciplinary Approach to Chronic Pelvic Pain ~Sawsan As-Sanie, MD
- Complex Total Vaginal Hysterectomy ~Rosanne Kho, MD
- Integration of Surgical Coaching in Surgical Education ~Cara King, DO
- Standardization of Surgical Approach ~Andrew Walter, MD
- Optimization of Open Procedures ~John Gebhart, MD

4:45 – 6:00 pm      **Learning from and Mingling with our Mentors Session**  
Moderators: Megan Wasson, DO and Cara King, DO



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**Friday, December 3, San Diego Marriott, La Jolla, CA**

- 7:00 – 7:15 am      **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 7:15 – 7:25 am      **Welcome and Opening Remarks ~ Emily Weber LeBrun, MD**
- 7:25 – 8:40 am      **Session 4 – Foundations of Vaginal Hysterectomy Panel**  
**Moderator: Emily Weber LeBrun, MD**  
**Panel: John Gebhart, MD, Rosanne Kho, MD, Carl Zimmerman, MD**
- Anterior/Posterior Colpotomy  
Traditional vs. Alternative Approaches  
Accessing the Upper Pedicles/Adnexa  
Traditional vs. Alternative Approach  
Uterine Morcellation  
Questions & Answers
- 8:40 – 9:10 am      **Management of Surgical Complications ~ Javier Magrina, MD**
- 9:10 – 9:15 am      **Questions & Answers**
- 9:15 – 9:45 am      ***Morning Break/Visit Exhibits***
- 9:45 – 11:10 am      **Session 5 – Suspending the Vaginal Apex Panel**  
**Moderator: Emily Weber LeBrun, MD**  
**Panel: John Gebhart, MD, Peter Rosenblatt, MD, Andrew Walter, MD**
- Selecting a Suspension Procedure – Special Consideration and Strategy  
Surgical Troubleshooting  
Anticipating Occult Stress Urinary Incontinence  
Questions & Answers



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**Friday, December 3 (cont.) San Diego Marriott, La Jolla, CA**

- 11:10 am – 1:10 pm *Lunch /Visit Exhibits*  
*Dry Lab (prior registration required)*
- 1:10 – 1:40 pm **James Breen Address**  
~ Carl Zimmerman, MD – SGS President
- 1:40 – 2:40 pm **Session 6 – Obstetrical Related Pathologies**  
**Moderator: Emily Weber LeBrun, MD**  
**Panelists: John Gebhart, MD, Cara King, DO, Peter Rosenblatt, MD,**  
**Andrew Walter, MD**
- Pelvic Floor Changes with Pregnancy  
Management of Obstetrical Perineal Injuries  
Cesarean Section Scar Ectopic, Isthmocele Repair  
Questions & Answers
- 2:40 – 3:10 pm *Afternoon Break/Visit Exhibits*
- 3:10 – 4:00 pm **Interesting Cases from Participants: Stump the Faculty**
- 4:00 pm **Adjourn**



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**Saturday, December 4 – UCSD, Center for the Future of Surgery**

**Morning Session: Laparoscopic Cadaveric Dissection and Anatomy Lab**

**Lab Faculty:**

<b>Cara King, DO</b>	<b>Mallory Stuparich, MD</b>
<b>Rosanne Kho, MD</b>	<b>Megan Wasson, DO</b>
<b>Ted Lee, MD</b>	<b>Emily Weber-LeBrun, MD</b>
<b>Javier Magrina, MD</b>	<b>Kelly Wright, MD</b>
<b>Peter Rosenblatt, MD</b>	

7:00 – 7:30 am **Continental Breakfast for participants in the Laparoscopic lab**

7:30 – 7:35 am **Introduction ~ Megan Wasson, DO**

7:35 – 8:30 am **LIVE DEMONSTRATION: Laparoscopic Dissection~ Ted Lee, MD**

830 – 11:30 am **Laparoscopic Dissection**

Retroperitoneal dissection of Paravesical and pararectal spaces  
Identification of Uterine Artery from its origin  
Ureterolysis  
Presacral space and hypogastric nerve dissection  
Pelvic floor anatomy and dissection

8:30 am – 11:30 am **Tissue extraction stations will be available for hands-on (power and manual morcellation techniques)**



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**Saturday, December 4 – UCSD, Center for the Future of Surgery**

12:00 – 12:30 pm     **Lunch for participants in the Vaginal Hysterectomy lab**

12:30 – 12:35 pm     **Introduction ~ Emily Weber LeBrun**

**Lab Faculty:**

<b>John Gebhart, MD</b>	<b>Andrew Walter, MD</b>
<b>Bruce Kahn, MD</b>	<b>Megan Wasson, DO</b>
<b>Rosanne Kho, MD</b>	<b>Emily Weber LeBrun, MD</b>
<b>Javier Magrina, MD</b>	<b>Carl Zimmerman, MD</b>
<b>Peter Rosenblatt, MD</b>	

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm     **LIVE DEMONSTRATION: Vaginal Hysterectomy and Sling Placement ~ Rosanne Kho, MD and Peter Rosenblatt, MD**

1:30 pm – 4:30 pm     **Vaginal Hysterectomy and Sling Lab**

Open avascular spaces  
Anterior and posterior peritoneal entry  
Ligation of upper pedicles  
Vaginal cuff closure  
Sling placement